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**Founded 1824.**

AND

**Rawson**  
**Convalescent Home**

**Founded 1888.**

**117th ANNUAL REPORT.**



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THE ONE-HUNDRED-AND-SIXTEENTH ANNUAL

# REPORT

OF THE

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AND

## RAWSON CONVALESCENT HOME

HARROGATE, YORKSHIRE

Instituted for the Relief of Poor Persons from all  
parts of Great Britain and Ireland, whose  
cases require the use of the various  
Mineral Waters and Baths  
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## ANNUAL MEETING

Saturday, 20th March, 1943.

The 117th Annual General Meeting of the Royal Bath Hospital and Rawson Convalescent Home was held on Saturday, 20th March, 1943.

The Mayor of Harrogate (Councillor G. G. Stephenson, J.P.) presided. Among those present were C. E. Carter, Esq., J.P. (Chairman of the Board of Management), Stanley Barnes, Esq. (Hon. Treasurer), Col. V. J. Greenwood, Herbt. Crowther, Esq., O.B.E., J.P., LL.B., J. S. Holmes, Esq., J.P., C. E. Morris, Esq., C. J. Simpson, Esq., Arthur Woodhead, Esq., A.M.I.C.E., Dr. G. L. Kerr Pringle, M.C., Dr. A. C. Sharp, Dr. W. Yeoman, Dr. J. L. Wesley-Smith, Dr. J. A. Thomson, Dr. Dorothy Potter, Mr. A. Woodmansey, Mr. Geo. Chapman, Mrs. Simpson, Mrs. Geldart, Miss Young, the Matron (Miss E. C. Baynes), and the Secretary.

Apologies for absence were received from the Earl of Harewood, Col. W. F. Collins, Mr. R. A. Breare, Mr. W. H. Ferrand, Mr. J. W. May, Mr. A. B. Pavey-Smith, Dr. Muriel Keyes, Mr. W. Riley-Smith (Tadcaster), and Mrs. Norton (Huddersfield).

**Mr. Carter**, moving the adoption of the various Reports, said that 1942 had been a normal year, financially at any rate. In 1941 they drew a fairly considerable payment from the Ministry of Health which put them on the right side. In 1942 they had had no such help, in fact they had actually refunded to the Government more than the Government had paid them. Despite this they had ended the year with a small balance. Considering the difficult circumstances the result was very satisfactory. It had been achieved by hard work and great care and he thanked his colleagues on the Committee and on the Staff for their loyal support during the year. It might be invidious to mention names but he did want to mention the Matron (Miss Baynes) and the Chairman of the House Committee (Mr. Woodhead). The Matron had had a very difficult time with Domestic Staff problems but she had managed to come through smiling. Mr. Woodhead had an insatiable appetite for work and always seemed to be asking for more.

The most urgent problem at present was not so much finance as staffing; it was a common complaint at all hospitals. A few weeks ago Matron had told them that her



domestic staff had been depleted to such an extent that the number of beds would have to be reduced by at least one-third if she could not get more help. He had made an appeal in the Press for Voluntary helpers and, thanks to their help, there had been a very satisfactory response and things were working more smoothly. The Committee were very grateful to those ladies who had come forward to help in a time of real difficulty and they had proved most valuable.

Another problem arose from the calling up of members of the Staff. Last September two of the Masseurs had been called up and report says that no use hitherto seems to have been made of their skill and experience. They had been carrying on with a "jury team" which had done very well, but whether they would be able to stand up to the summer time pressure of work was a question. Again, two of the boilermen would be liable for service from the 1st May. If they were taken and efficient substitutes could not be found a very serious situation would arise. It seemed to him that the keeping of workers on the active list, thanks to the treatment received in the Hospital, fully justified leaving the key men at their work in institutions like theirs. He hoped that those responsible for the calling up of such men would balance the actual benefit accruing from their call up against the benefits known to exist whilst they remained at their present posts.

It was impossible to forecast the position of Hospitals like this in the future but he felt confident that the facilities for specialised work, such as institutions like this possessed, would not be overlooked. He was sure they could give good service whatever was put upon them.

**Dr. Pringle** seconded the adoption of the Reports, and the motion was unanimously carried.

**Mr. Stanley Barnes** (Honorary Treasurer), moving the adoption of the Accounts and Balance Sheet, said he was glad to report a slight increase in the annual subscriptions. He referred to the adoption of the Federated Superannuation Scheme for the benefit of the Nurses and other members of the Staff, and said that he welcomed it as a step in the right direction. The Ladies' Linen League had been of inestimable value and would be an increasingly important asset as the years went by. He saw no reason why they should not have another good year; he preferred to be optimistic rather than the reverse. The balances they had brought forward annually had enabled them to make small improvements



from time to time which would not otherwise have been possible without drawing on their endowment or incurring a bank overdraft.

**Mr. Herbert Crowther**, seconding, spoke of the Grey Cross Campaign which was launched in 1938 and raised £40,000 in 16 months. Of that sum £10,000 had been spent on a new Boiler House and the installation of new boilers. During last year the house "Charnwood" opposite the Hospital had been acquired. Here the Nurses were away from the Institutional atmosphere and enjoyed greater relaxation and more freedom.

After referring to the Beveridge and Rushcliffe Reports he said he would like to see some scheme for the future planned by the Board. They had £19,000 invested from the Grey Cross and, in two years, covenanted payments should bring in a further £6,000. The two main provisions of the Campaign, the installation of new boilers and the provision of a Nurses' Hostel, had been completed, and they ought now to set down clearly and deliberately what they were going to do in the future. In the broadest sense he believed that the best was yet to be.

**The Mayor** moved a vote of thanks to the Chairman and Board of Management for their services and proposed the re-election of Messrs. C. E. Carter, W. H. Ferrand, and J. S. Holmes and the nominees of the Medical Staff—Dr. A. C. Sharp, Dr. W. Yeoman, Dr. J. L. Wesley-Smith, and Dr. J. A. Thomson be re-appointed. He believed that the services of the Hospital would be needed by an increasing number of patients in the future.

**Mr. George Chapman**, seconding, said he was convinced of the future of the voluntary system. He could not see State aid effectively taking the place of generous public support, for it was this very support which contributed and maintained a most valuable personal association and interest.

The motion was carried.

**Mr. Arthur Woodhead** proposed and **Mr. J. S. Holmes** seconded, the re-election of Mr. Stanley Barnes as Honorary Treasurer. Mr. Woodhead said that the fact of Mr. Barnes having held the position of Honorary Treasurer for the past eleven years was in itself adequate testimony to his services.

He was not opposed to planning as such, but it must be individualistic and adapted to the needs and interests of each separate body. The administration of such Hospitals as theirs must not be handed to Whitehall but given to those



who came forward to serve their fellow men to the best of their ability and had a knowledge of local needs. The super planner's aim was central control which must create uniformity, the hallmark of autocracy, and destroy diversity, the chief feature of democracy.

**Mr. C. J. Simpson** moved the re-election of the Hon. Medical Staff. He asked the Hospital to plan with vigour for the future. There were one million sufferers from rheumatism and yet the Spa Hospital in Britain's foremost Spa had only 150 beds. He looked forward to an era of development and great work by Hospitals of that type. He realised how much the future of Harrogate depended upon the Doctors, especially upon those associated with the Hospital. He wanted them to question whether everything that energy and wisdom could do was being done to further its work. Great as had been its work in the past, the future held still greater tasks and opportunities. He hoped they would grasp those opportunities with both hands and go boldly forward in developing the Hospital.

**Mr. Morris** seconded the motion, which was carried.

**Dr. Wesley-Smith**, replying, spoke of the difficulties of the work through depletion of Staff. He believed that better results would be obtained if the patients stayed longer in the Hospital.

The Medical Staff was very interested in the promotion of a Department of Occupational Therapy and they were glad to know that the Board was favourably disposed towards this. If the Hospital were enlarged and the patients allowed to stay longer, it was very desirable that they should have some occupation when they were not having treatment.

As to the future, occupational therapy might seem to be a minor detail now, but if the Hospital were going comprehensively to combine all kinds of treatment and research, it was an important item. It was the hope of the Honorary Medical Staff that the Board would devote itself to post-war planning so that they would be prepared to take action when the opportunity for doing so arrived.

**Dr. Sharp** proposed and **Mr. Woodmansey** seconded the re-election of Messrs. Lowrey, Weston and Whalley, Chartered Accountants, Leeds and Harrogate, as auditors.

A vote of thanks to the Mayor for presiding was moved by **Dr. Pringle**, who said that the Mayor's well known genius for obtaining support for many charitable purposes seemed to be a happy augury for the coming year.

**Mr. Barnes** seconded the motion.

**The Mayor** briefly replied.



## Report of the Committee of Management

To the Right Honourable The Earl of Harewood, K.G., G.C.V.O.,  
D.S.O., and Subscribers of the Royal Bath Hospital  
and Rawson Convalescent Home, Harrogate.

In presenting its 117th Annual Report, Statements of Accounts and Balance Sheet, your Committee, for the second year in succession, finds it necessary to summarise the activities of the Hospital during the past twelve months in a severely curtailed form. One or two items, omitted last year, have, however, been restored, where it has seemed desirable to maintain continuity of record.

The figures for the past year show considerable increases in the number of civilians admitted—Men 80, Women 238—and this is, perhaps, the more remarkable in view of the constant absorption of man and woman power by national requirements. These increases are, however, more than discounted by a decrease in the number of Service cases admitted, separate figures for which cannot be given:—

	1941.	1942.	
Men (including Service cases) ....	907	683	— 224
Extensions (civilian only) ....	539	658	+ 119
Women ....	560	798	+ 238
Extensions ....	518	755	+ 237

It will be seen from the above that the decline of 224 in the number of men admitted in 1942, both civil and military, is more than offset by an increase of 238 in the number of women admitted and that the number of extensions granted shows a total increase of 356 on the figures for 1941.

Work has proceeded with comparative immunity from official interference, though the loss of two valued and experienced masseurs created serious difficulties in the men's side of the Treatment Department and necessitated the formation of an "Emergency" team. The taking away of "key" men, whom at the present time it is impossible to replace, makes the carrying on of our work—already difficult enough—even more difficult and threatens to dislocate it entirely. Before such trained men are taken away very serious consideration should be given to the comparative importance in the national interest of the occupation into which they are likely to be drafted and the work on which they have been engaged.

Problems of Nursing and Domestic Staffing have been ever present and are not likely to become less acute with



the prolongation of the war and its increasing demands. Apart from an occasional temporary "crisis" it has hitherto been found possible to maintain the essential services, though considerably below the strength desirable for full efficiency, and the Matron has had to show no little ingenuity and resource to achieve even this modified degree of success. At the same time credit must be given to those who loyally and cheerfully responded to the special calls which have been made upon them.

It may be stated without qualification that the provision of a hostel for the Nursing Staff with modern and separate accommodation has been fully justified as a venture and as fully appreciated by those on whose behalf the venture was made. On June 3rd a Sale of Work was held in the grounds and, favoured by brilliant weather, realised more than £175 towards the final costs of furnishing. Those who then had the opportunity of seeing the house were unanimous in their favourable opinion, both of the suitability of the premises and of the attractive way in which they had been equipped.

The Ladies' Sewing Party and Linen League, a detailed report of whose activities appears on another page, have continued throughout the year with unabated regularity and energy. Not content with their weekly meetings they have taken over the patients' library and organised a Sale of Work which, held on Tuesday, September 8th, brought in £160. As will be seen from the Statement of Accounts they made a block grant of £100 towards defraying the cost of Uniforms, Linen, etc. For this most generous and acceptable help your Committee is the more grateful in view of the extra demands made on all housewives at the present time.

Your Committee after long and careful consideration decided to become a participating Institution in the Federated Superannuation Scheme for Nurses and Hospital Officers. The Scheme is on a contributory basis, the Hospital paying 2/3rds of the premium and the employee 1/3rd. It is felt that this step will contribute both financially and psychologically to the well-being and contentment of those categories of hospital workers who are affected by the Scheme.

#### **PERSONAL.**

It is with sincere regret that your Committee has to record the deaths of Mr. C. A. Laurence and of Mr. W. Arthur Taylor.



Mr. Laurence joined the Board in 1934 and was appointed Chairman of the House Committee in the following year. Though he had held this position for only two years, when he removed from Harrogate, his time and business abilities were unstintingly given to promoting the wider interests of the Hospital; at the same time his practical and direct approach to the various problems incidental to his office greatly conduced to efficiency in detail and smooth working.

Mr. Taylor joined the Board in 1932. The range of his interest in several charitable organisations, in some of which he held office, precluded his frequent attendance at the Meetings of the Board.

Your Committee is gratified that one of its most active members, Mr. Herbert Crowther, is making steady recovery from a serious operation, and hopes he will soon be able to attend the weekly meetings of the House Committee with the regularity which he showed prior to the claims of war work. In this connection it is pleasing to add that his services gained well merited recognition by the bestowal of the O.B.E.

Lastly, your Committee desires to place on record its appreciation of the public spirit shown by Dr. Pringle, one of the Honorary Consultants, in resuming active work on the Hon. Medical Staff, in view of its depletion through Dr. Rutherford and Dr. Mathers having joined the Forces. His action affords yet another proof of the disinterested service Dr. Pringle has given to the Hospital over a longer term than any of those now associated with its direction and administration can claim.

### FINANCE.

The results of the year's working shows a loss on the Rawson Home of £198 as against £605 in 1941, and a surplus on the Hospital of £990 compared with £1,172 in 1941. Hence there is a net credit balance of £792. The accounts since the outbreak of war have now been agreed with the Ministry of Health. The settlement has necessitated the refund by the Hospital of £555, which amount represents over payment by the Ministry in respect of casualty beds. This item has been debited in full against the income for 1942.

Credit for this satisfactory and encouraging result must be given, in the first place, to the annual subscribers, for the support they have so loyally maintained and your Committee



desires to place on record its appreciation and gratitude for the help which has been forthcoming during these times of exceptional strain and difficulty.

Although the total expenditure has actually risen by only £100 over the preceding twelve months, it will be seen on reference to the Statistical Tables that the weekly cost per patient has risen by 4/10 per week, from £2-6-6 to £2-11-4. This represents an excess of 9/4 per week over the highest rate of payment made by any patients. This sum has to be found from investments, donations, etc. The increase, as might have been expected, is mainly due to increases in Salaries and Wages, particularly the domestic section, where the supply is so scarce. A fall of £100 for provisions may be accounted for as an offset against rises in prices by more rigorous rationing regulations. Decreases under Surgery, Dispensary, etc., and Water of £270 and £50 respectively are satisfactory features. Figures for Gas and Electricity are almost identical with those of the previous year, despite the rise in prices, and a decrease of £60 for fuel is even more noteworthy though the full extent of the rise has yet to be experienced. The items in this group showing increases are Furniture £40, Bedding and Linen £70, Hardware £70, but it has to be borne in mind that the figures under these heads were all exceptionally low in 1941. The heaviest increases occur under Salaries and Wages £376. Superannuation claims an extra £70 and Domestic £200.

In view of the fact that the amount received from the Ministry of Health declined by more than £5,000, certain sources of income may be said to have shown considerable recuperative powers in bringing the total receipts to within £1,450 of that of the previous year.

Subscribers to the Rheumatism Research Fund may be interested to know that the reason why no statement of the accounts of this Fund has ever appeared in the Annual Report since the inception of the scheme is because it is financed entirely outside Hospital funds under Trustees, and is administered by a Joint Committee representing various interested bodies under the Chairmanship of Lord Harewood.

It is intended that the work shall be resumed as soon after the conclusion of the war as circumstances permit.

### LEGACIES.

During 1942 the following sums were received and credited to the Endowment Fund for investment : Mrs. A. E. Richard-



son (11th distribution), £45 ; Mr. E. O. Wooler, £10 ; Mrs. W. A. Davies, £500 ; Mr. J. A. A. Lancaster, £309-7-10, together with the sum of £208-5-10, repayment of Income Tax in respect of the estate of the late Mr. Anthony Brown.

### GREY CROSS CAMPAIGN.

It is gratifying to report that the payments under the Seven Years' Covenant Scheme have been well maintained, and that the Twenty Thousand Shillings Fund has passed its goal with a total of £1,085. This represents an addition during the year of £190, a strong finish to a protracted effort, towards the realisation of which the voluntary labours of Miss Myers, Miss Young and Mr. W. J. Moxon must be remembered with grateful appreciation.

In connection with the appeal the following letter, received early in its history, is of sufficient interest to merit publicity :

Calgary,  
Alberta,  
Canada.

Dear Sir,

I see by your letter you are asking for subscriptions for the enlargement and improvement of the Royal Bath Hospital. Enclosed you will find one dollar, hoping you will receive it all right.

It is around 19 years since I had to attend the Royal Bath Hospital suffering from Sciatica. I may say how thankful I was for the treatment and attention that was given to me. I am pleased to say that I have never had any pain since.

I have been out in Western Canada for about 15 years and we have some terrible weather to contend with during winter months, but, thanks to the treatment and cure I received at the hands of the doctors and nurses, I battle the winters of Canada very well.

Kindest regards, I remain,

Yours truly,  
J. N.

### THANKS.

Though precluded by official instructions from giving the usual lists of donors with their gifts, your Committee asks all those who have helped in any way to accept their thanks, for never was help, whether by personal voluntary service or by material gifts, more acceptable and valuable than at the present time.



1,863 eggs were received from the Ripon area, and this number was supplemented by money gifts amounting to £13-8-0 from those who were unable to give in kind to their customary generous extent.

Fruit and vegetables from private donors and from the congregations of St. Peter's and St. Mary's, Harrogate, helped to meet catering problems. Books, Magazines and Bedding, together with two invalid chairs, accounted for most of the other articles received. In all, or most of these cases, it is hoped that a personal letter of thanks has been sent.

## **Ladies' Linen and Sewing League.**

President - Mrs. Myles Stapylton.

Chairman - Mrs. Clark.

Vice-Chairman - Mrs. Howells. Cutter-out - Mrs. Harland.

Hon. Sec. and Treasurer :

Mrs. Carter, Edenfield, 7, Leadhall Lane.

The Linen and Sewing League was organised and began its work in October, 1941. It has a membership of about 20 enthusiastic workers, who meet at the Hospital every Monday afternoon from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. During the past fifteen months they have made the following articles :

**Nurses :** Uniform Frocks, 7 ; Hospital Blue Capes, 2 ; Aprons, 19 ; Caps, 24 ; White Coats, 5 ; Sleeve Frills, 48. Total, 105.

**Domestic :** Afternoon Uniform Frocks, 6 ; Morning Frocks, 4 ; Aprons, 31 ; Caps, 17 ; White Coats, 3 ; Pillow Cases, 120. Total, 181.

In addition to the above, 93 articles were repaired. £200 has been collected by Subscriptions, Donations, and a "Bring and Buy" Sale. £100 of this has been handed over to the Hospital as a contribution to the cost of Uniform and Linen during the year. Until the financial position of the League becomes more firmly established, it is considered prudent to retain £100, which is deposited in the Westminster Bank.

It is the ambition of the League ultimately to be able to meet the full cost of the Linen for the Hospital.

At a meeting held on October 12th, 1942, Mrs. Clark retired as Chairman, and Mrs. Howells was elected in her place.

M. CARTER, Hon. Sec.



## Report of the Hon. Medical Staff.

During the past year two members of the Honorary Medical Staff—Dr. Rutherford and Dr. Mathers, joined the R.A.M.C. Dr. Pringle, Consulting Physician to the Hospital, very kindly came forward with an offer of his services to help to fill the vacant posts. His colleagues are grateful for the relief his help has given them.

Unfortunately the Hospital also lost two of its Masseurs who have joined the Services, although every effort was made by the Board to retain them. Hitherto it has not been found possible to replace them with capable substitutes.

The Staff is of the opinion that their work in the Hospital was of real national importance, as in the past they have helped many men back to active work and wage earning.

So far in the Services the special abilities and experience of these two men have found no employment.

The question of forming a department of Occupational Therapy in the Hospital has received sympathetic consideration by the Board of Management. They realise the value of such a Department and, as soon as the necessary funds are available, and conditions permit, consider that the scheme should go forward.

Any such developments will have to be considered in conjunction with the recommendations of the B.M.A. Planning Commission and the Nuffield Hospital Scheme for Provincial Hospitals. The Medical Staff are strongly of opinion that, under any scheme, cases of arthritis in the North Regional area should be primarily referred to this Hospital, where all necessary investigations can be carried out and suitable lines of treatment commenced; whereas at present in many cases much valuable time is lost before the patient is referred to the Hospital for investigation.

The work of the Gynaecological Department has perforce been very limited owing to war conditions. As soon as happier times obtain it is hoped that the special rooms will be again available, so that the full range of treatments can be resumed.

It is to be regretted that comparatively few skin cases are sent to the Hospital. It should be more widely recognised that numerous chronic skin lesions respond readily to Balneological treatments, particularly with the Sulphur Water.



The Medical Staff are delighted that the Board of Management has during the year given the Nursing Staff new and modern quarters.

In conclusion they wish specially to mention Dr. Valentine's excellent work as Resident Medical Officer during the year.

J. L. WESLEY-SMITH, M.B., Ch.B.  
Chairman.

### NOMENCLATURE OF RHEUMATIC DISEASES.

	Men	Women	Total
1. <b>Rheumatic Fever</b> ....	16	9	25
2. <b>Specific Infective Arthritis :</b> (T.B. Gonococcal, Meningococcal, Dysentery, etc.) ....	1	5	6
3. <b>Rheumatoid Arthritis :</b> (Atrophic Arthritis)			
(a) Typical ....	92	224	316
(b) A-Typical ....	71	89	160
4. <b>Osteo-Arthritis :</b> (Chronic hypertrophic or degener- ative arthritis) ....	120	162	282
5. <b>Traumatic Arthritis :</b> (Secondary to fractures, deformi- ties, internal derangements of joints, etc.) ....	6	2	8
6. <b>Arthritis Secondary to Constitu- tional Disease :</b> (Haemophilia, Scurvy, Serum Sick- ness, intermittent hydrarthrosis, etc)	2	9	11
7. <b>Gout :</b> (Acute gout and chronic tophaceous arthritis) ....	20	1	21
8. <b>Spinal Arthritis :</b> (a) Atrophic and Ankylosing Spondylitis ....	21	14	35
(b) Hypertrophic or osteophytic type often secondary to degen- eration of intervertebral discs or congenital abnormalities ....	49	11	60
9. <b>Non-Articular Rheumatism :</b> (Fibrositis, Myalgia, Neuritis, Sciatica) ....	222	242	464
	<hr/> 620	<hr/> 768	<hr/> 1388



	Men	Women	Total
<b>Diseases of the Skin :</b>			
Dermatitis ....	8	1	
Eczema ....	4	4	
Lichen Planus ....	1	1	
Pruritis ....	—	1	
Psoriasis ....	—	3	
Seb. Capitis ....	—	1	
	<hr/> 13	<hr/> 11	<hr/> 24
<b>Diseases of the Nervous System :</b>			
Amyotrophic Lat. Sclerosis ....	1	—	
Disseminated Sclerosis ....	1	3	
Hemiplegia ....	2	1	
Locomotor Ataxia ....	3	—	
Neurasthenia ....	3	1	
Parkinson's Syndrome ....	1	—	
Poliomyelitis ....	—	1	
Spastic Paraplegia ....	1	—	
	<hr/> 12	<hr/> 6	<hr/> 18
<b>Diseases of Bones and Joints :</b>			
Cervical Rib ....	—	1	
Osteitis ....	1	—	
Paget's Disease ....	2	1	
Pes Planus ....	1	—	
	<hr/> 4	<hr/> 2	<hr/> 6
<b>Anaemia and Debility</b> ....	3	2	5
<b>Endocrine Dysfunction</b> ....	—	4	4
<b>Heart and Circulatory</b> ....	1	3	4
<b>Malignant Disease</b> ....	4	1	5
<b>Respiratory</b> ....	—	1	1
	<hr/> 8	<hr/> 11	<hr/> 19
	<hr/> <b>657</b>	<hr/> <b>798</b>	<hr/> <b>1455</b>
	<hr/>	<hr/>	<hr/>
	Men	Women	Total
<b>Radiographic Examinations made</b> ....	326	253	<b>579</b>



**Radiograms Taken :**

Cervical Spine (A.P.)	33
Cervical Spine (Lateral)	33
Dorsal Spine (A.P.)	45
Dorsal Spine (Lateral)	44
Lumbar Spine and Sacro Iliac Joints (A.P.)	222
Lumbar Spine (Lateral)	216
Pelvis and Hip Joints	134
Knee Joints (A.P. and Lateral)	159
Feet and Ankles (A.P. and Lateral)	33
Fingers, Hands and Wrists	28
Elbow Joints	6
Shoulder and Acromio Clavicular Joints	41
Chest and Lungs	17
Gall Bladder	11
Kidneys and Bladder	4
Barium Examinations	5
Skull	8
Accessory Sinuses	9
Teeth and Jaw	7
Long Bones	9
Stereoscopic Examinations	11
Heart	7
<b>Total</b>	<b>1082</b>

**Clinical Laboratory.**

Year ending December 31st, 1942.

	<b>Total</b>
Number of Patients referred	849
Number of Specimens examined	5,128
Details of Specimens examined—	
Bacteriological	430
Bio-chemical	3,115
Haematological	1,488
Metabolic	44
Serological	42
Blood Transfusions	5
Miscellaneous	4
	<b>5,128</b>



**OCCUPIED BEDS :**

The Daily Average for each month was as follows :

January ....	73.9	May ....	128.9	September ....	151.7
February ....	73.0	June ....	138.4	October ....	125.4
March ....	80.3	July ....	142.0	November ....	106.1
April ....	92.2	August ....	147.4	December ....	45.0

Monthly Average—110.6

The following **Treatments** have been given during the year :

	Men.	Women.	Total.
Aix Douche ....	—	25	25
Needle Douche ....	3,934	2,977	6,911
Scotch Douche ....	155	17	172
Vichy Douche ....	2,245	1,659	3,904
Sulphur Bath ....	4,820	1,042	5,862
Undercurrent Douche ....	3,729	2,296	6,025
Liver Pack ....	29	138	167
Local Pack ....	—	—	—
Harrogate Mud Pack ....	1,384	1,551	2,935
Berthollet ....	1,104	1,342	2,446
Paraffin Wax ....	1,516	2,402	3,918
Foam Bath ....	—	—	—
Nauheim ....	86	72	158
Contrast ....	194	223	417
Special ....	—	167	167
	<hr/> 19,196	<hr/> 13,911	<hr/> 33,107
Dry Massage ....	<hr/> 5,394	<hr/> 5,303	<hr/> 10,697
Swedish Remedial Exercises ....	<hr/> 952	<hr/> 756	<hr/> 1,708



**Electrical Treatments** have been given as follows :

	Men.	Women.	Total.
Ionization .....	331	659	990
Leucodescent Lamp .....	173	247	420
Radiant Heat .....	1,564	1,691	3,255
„ „ and Ionization .....	—	—	—
High Frequency, general .....	—	—	—
„ „ and Massage .....	—	—	—
„ „ and Breeze .....	—	—	—
„ „ and Vacuum .....	—	—	—
Galvanism .....	9	20	29
Faradism .....	255	144	399
Schnee Four Cell .....	136	124	260
Diathermy .....	1,571	1,748	3,319
Sinusoidal .....	40	6	46
Moderator .....	234	68	302
Dia Fango .....	128	114	242
Ultra Violet Ray .....	628	382	1,010
Infra Red Ray .....	662	669	1,331
	<hr/> 5,731	<hr/> 5,872	<hr/> 11,603

### STATISTICAL TABLES

For the year ending 31st December, 1942.

	1941	1942
1. Total Number of available Beds	195	195
2. Patients resident, daily average	119.6	110.6
3. Number of Patients admitted during year .....	1,467	1,481
4. Average length of stay in days	25.0	26.5
	(Civilians only)	
5. Total Number of Hospital Days	43,727	39,744
6. Number of Patients in Hospital at 31st December .....	69	—







# THE HARROGATE REVENUE ACCOUNT for the

## EXPENDITURE.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<b>1. To Provisions—</b>						
Meat .....	654	11	10			
Fish .....	141	1	5			
Groceries .....	914	19	10			
Milk .....	572	3	10			
Butter and Eggs .....	130	12	9			
Vegetables .....	329	2	9			
Flour and Bread .....	305	3	1			
				3047	15	6
<b>2. „ Surgery and Dispensary—</b>						
Drugs, Chemicals, Disinfectants, &c. ....	171	5	5			
Dressings, Bandages, &c. ....	17	18	7			
Instruments .....	10	14	1			
Salaries .....	83	1	4			
X-Ray Expenses .....	411	12	11			
				694	12	4
<b>3. „ Domestic—</b>						
Renewal and Repair of Furniture ....	121	10	10			
Renewal and Repair of Bedding and Linen ....	127	17	1			
Renewal and Repair of Crockery and Hardware ....	117	8	3			
Chandlery .....	162	1	10			
Uniforms .....	60	1	4			
Water .....	179	7	4			
Coal and Coke .....	1223	1	6			
Electricity .....	252	3	9			
Gas .....	96	9	4			
				2340	1	3
<b>4. „ Salaries and Wages (Maintenance)—</b>						
Medical .....	262	3	0			
Nursing .....	1648	5	10			
Treatment Staff .....	1715	6	9			
Domestics .....	1111	1	11			
Other Employees .....	1210	7	2			
Superannuation Contributions .....	147	13	8			
				6094	18	4
<b>5. „ Miscellaneous—</b>						
Garden .....	203	8	7			
Sundries .....	46	0	9			
				249	9	4
<b>6. „ Administration—</b>						
Salaries .....	717	13	10			
Printing and Stationery .....	181	4	1			
Postages, Telephone, &c. ....	102	6	1			
Auditors .....	42	0	0			
				1043	4	0
<b>7. „ Establishment—</b>						
Repairs and Renewals to Buildings and Plant ....	145	17	10			
Annual Decorating .....	197	2	0			
				342	19	10
<b>8. „ Finance—</b>						
Rent of Wells .....	5	0	0			
Rates and Insurances .....	278	1	5			
War Damage Contributions .....	165	11	6			
				448	12	11
				14261	13	6
Deficit on Laboratory Account transferred ....				241	7	11
Ministry of Health—Refund re Casualty Beds ....				554	19	1
				15058	0	6
Balance, Surplus for the year .....				990	9	9
				£16048	10	3



# ROYAL BATH HOSPITAL

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Year ending 31st December, 1942

## RECEIPTS.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
By Annual Subscriptions .....	2131	3	3			
Less: 361 Home Patients on Hospital Recommendations .....	641	11	0			
	1489	12	3			
Add: 15 Hospital Patients on Home Recommendations .....	31	10	0			
				1521	2	3
„ Receipts on Account of Services Rendered—						
Patients' Board .....	562	3	6			
Occasional Subscriptions .....	46	19	0			
Admissions by Payment .....	1017	18	0			
Societies .....	3589	17	0			
Ministry of Health for Casualty Beds .....	409	4	0			
				5626	1	6
„ Hospital Sunday and other Collections .....	142	7	4			
„ Donations .....	147	3	8			
Do. Ladies' Sewing Party and Linen League .....	100	0	0			
	389	11	0			
Less: Proportion due to Convalescent Home .....	157	18	0			
				231	13	0
„ Dividends from Investments .....				2159	8	5
„ Income Tax refunded .....				626	3	2
„ Bank Interest less Charges .....				2	16	11
„ Maintenance and General Expenses						
Pro rata of 667 Patients admitted to the Convalescent Home .....				5881	5	0

£16048 10 3



# THE RAWSON CONVALESCENT REVENUE ACCOUNT for the

## EXPENDITURE

	£	s.	d.
To Transfer from Royal Bath Hospital for Maintenance and General Expenses of 667 Patients .....	5881	5	0

£5881 5 0

## THE HARROGATE LABORATORY REVENUE ACCOUNT

## EXPENDITURE

	£	s.	d.
To Wages .....	271	12	6
„ Alcohol, Drugs, etc. ....	7	7	7
„ Equipment, Test Tubes, etc. ....	34	13	2
„ Electricity .....	5	13	9
„ Gas .....	1	3	6
„ Repairs .....	10	8	5

£330 18 11



**HOME, HARROGATE***Year ending 31st December, 1942***RECEIPTS**

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
By Annual Subscriptions .....	73	9	0			
Less 15 Hospital Patients on Home Recommendations .....	31	10	0			
	41	19	0			
Add 361 Home Patients on Hospital Recommendations .....	641	11	0			
				683	10	0
„ Receipts on Account of Services Rendered :						
Patients' Board .....	621	17	0			
Admissions by Payment .....	1743	1	6			
Societies .....	1973	9	0			
				4338	7	6
„ Transfer (pro rata) of the Revenue from Hospital Sunday and Other Collections and Donations .....				157	18	0
„ Dividends from Investments .....				407	10	0
„ Income Tax refunded .....				96	0	0
				5683	5	6
„ Balance—Deficit for the year .....				197	19	6
				<b>£5881</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>

**ROYAL BATH HOSPITAL***for the Year ending 31st December, 1942***INCOME**

	£	s.	d.
By Dividends from Investments .....	48	10	0
„ Income Tax refunded .....	40	0	0
„ Vaccine Fees .....	1	1	0
„ Deficit for the year transferred to Hospital Account .....	241	7	11

**£330 18 11**



# THE HARROGATE ROYAL BATH HOSPITAL BALANCE SHEET,

LIABILITIES.						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
ROYAL BATH HOSPITAL ENDOWMENT FUND :						
As last year.....	61424	1	3			
Add : Legacies received during the year....	1072	13	8			
				62496	14	11
RAWSON CONVALESCENT HOME ENDOWMENT FUND :						
As last year.....				13056	4	5
LABORATORY ENDOWMENT FUND :						
As last year.....				1882	5	0
RESERVE FOR DEPRECIATION OF INVESTMENTS :						
Hospital—As last year .....	4762	19	2			
Home—As last year.....	1955	0	0			
				6717	19	2
PREPAID SUBSCRIPTIONS .....				25	4	0
CONTINGENCIES RESERVE ACCOUNT :						
As last year.....				4500	0	0
SUNDRY CREDITORS .....				686	6	10
MINISTRY OF HEALTH—BALANCE OF REFUND :						
re Casualty Beds .....				55	3	1
ROYAL BATH HOSPITAL REVENUE ACCOUNT :						
As last year.....	7157	3	2			
Add : Surplus for the year.....	990	9	9			
				8147	12	11

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£97567 10 4

## THE GREY CROSS FUND :

Donations, etc., received to date.....	31730	9	0			
Less : Amounts paid out.....	2261	2	6			
				29469	6	6

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£127036 16 10

We have examined the books of THE ROYAL BATH HOSPITAL AND RAWSON CONVALESCENT HOME with the Vouchers and have verified the Securities for money invested and hereby certify the above Balance Sheet to be correct.

18th January, 1943.

# AND RAWSON CONVALESCENT HOME

31st December, 1942

INVESTMENTS :	ASSETS	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<i>Hospital Account—</i>							
At cost, as last year .....		69096	9	2			
Add: Further amount invested .....		1800	0	0			
					70896	9	2
<i>Home Account—</i>							
At cost, as last year .....					13055	2	4
<i>Laboratory Account—</i>							
At valuation, as last year .....					1871	15	6
<i>Reserve for Depreciation Account—</i>							
Hospital, at cost, as last year .....		4762	19	2			
Home, do. do. do. ....		1955	0	0	6717	19	2
	TOTAL OF INVESTMENTS				92541	6	2
DIVIDENDS ACCRUED DUE :							
Hospital Account .....		603	2	2			
Home Account.....		98	15	0			
Laboratory Account .....		21	12	6			
					723	9	8
AMOUNTS DUE FROM MINISTRY OF HEALTH .....					136	9	7
BARCLAYS BANK, LTD. :							
Deposit Account .....		950	2	10			
Current Account .....		2021	6	5			
Hospital Endowment Account .....		81	2	3			
Home Endowment Account .....		3	8	4			
Laboratory Endowment Account .....		10	9	6			
					3066	9	4
PETTY CASH IN HAND .....					35	4	2
WAR DAMAGE CONTRIBUTION PREPAID .....					43	0	0
RAWSON CONVALESCENT HOME REVENUE ACCOUNT :							
As last year .....		823	11	11			
Add: Deficit for the year.....		197	19	6			
					1021	11	5
					£97567	10	4
THE GREY CROSS FUND :							
Payments to Contractors, to date—							
New Boiler House and Kitchen Improve-							
ments .....		8357	6	9			
Nurses' Home and Sundry Improvements..		529	1	9			
Nurses' Hostel. Furnishing, &c. ....		342	19	7			
Investments, at cost .....		19700	0	0			
Cash at Bankers and in hand .....		539	18	5			
					29469	6	6
					£127036	16	10

LOWREY, WESTON & WHALLEY,

CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS, AUDITORS.



## THE HARROGATE

## THE GREY

## RECEIPTS and PAYMENTS ACCOUNT

## RECEIPTS

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# ROYAL BATH HOSPITAL

## CROSS FUND

*for the Year ending 31st December, 1942*

PAYMENTS										£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
By	Expenses of the Appeal :															
	Clerical Assistance	....	....	....	....	....				26	0	0				
	Audit Fee	....	....	....	....	....				3	3	0				
	Postages	....	....	....	....	....				1	10	0				
													30	13	0	
„	Payments to Contractors :															
	Nurses' Home	....	....	....	....	....				75	0	0				
	Furnishing and Fitting out Nurses' Hostel									342	19	7				
													417	19	7	
„	Nurses' Hostel :															
	Rent	....	....	....	....	....				150	0	0				
	Legal re Lease	....	....	....	....	....				8	15	0				
													158	15	0	
„	Investments at cost :															
	£4700 2½% National War Bonds, 1949/51													4700	0	0
„	Balance in hand ;															
	Cash at Bankers	....	....	....	....	....				537	5	11				
	Petty Cash in hand	....	....	....	....	....				2	12	6				
													539	18	5	
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## HOSPITAL SUNDAY COLLECTIONS, etc.

From Harrogate & District Hospital Sunday  
Collections :

Churches—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
St. Peter's .....	12	19	0			
St. Michael & All Angels (Beckwithshaw) .....	12	15	7			
Harrogate Methodist Circuit .....	9	9	0			
St. Wilfrid's .....	9	9	0			
Knaresborough Parish Church .....	9	3	6			
Society of Friends .....	6	6	0			
Christ Church .....	5	1	9			
St. Mark's .....	5	0	0			
Congregational Church .....	3	3	0			
St. John's (Bilton) .....	3	3	0			
St. Robert's (Harrogate) .....	3	3	0			
Elim Hall .....	3	0	0			
Hebrew Congregation .....	2	6	7			
St. Mary & All Saints' (Harlow) .....	2	5	4			
St. Luke's .....	2	2	0			
St. Robert's (Pannal) .....	1	7	9			
St. Paul's Presbyterian .....	1	6	11			
Amounts under £1 .....	5	15	11			
				97	17	4
<b>Street Collections—</b>						
Starbeck .....	3	6	6			
Valley Gardens and Prospect Hill .....	2	13	2			
Civic Service at St. Peter's .....		18	4			
				6	18	0
<b>Hotels—</b>						
Claremont .....	1	0	5			
Grange .....		16	8			
Green Park .....		15	0			
Langham .....		12	4			
Russell .....		10	10			
Avenue .....		10	8			
Amounts under 10/- .....	4	11	10			
				8	17	9
Civil Servants in Hotels, etc. ....				2	13	5
				116	6	6
Less Proportion of Expenses ....				3	5	2
Carried forward ....				£113	1	4

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward				113	1	4
Battysford Sick and Poor Fund	9	9	0			
Boroughbridge Friendly Societies	8	8	0			
Bedale and District Hospital Association	3	3	0			
Rev. G. A. Elwin (Wyke)	3	3	0			
Ripley Parochial Church Council	3	3	0			
Kirkby Overblow Harvest Festival	2	0	0			
				29	6	0
				<b>£142</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>4</b>

## DONATIONS.

	£	s.	d.
Ladies' Sewing League	100	0	0
Mayor's "Holidays at Home" Fund	20	0	0
W.R.C.C. Sunday Opening of Cinemas	20	0	0
A Grateful Patient (per A. Dawson, Esq.)	15	0	0
W.V. Fire Squad, Leeming Bar	7	0	0
Darnborough Trust, Ripon	5	10	8
Mr. R. Runton, Leeds	5	5	0
A.R.P. Control Ambulance Drivers & First Aid Posts	5	0	0
In Memoriam, Richard Westhope	5	0	0
Leeds City Tramways Employees	5	0	0
Mrs. Ling, Harrogate	5	0	0
Mr. and Mrs. Northman	5	0	0
"Anon." Leeds	4	0	0
Eagle Star Insurance Co.	4	0	0
Miss C. Jenkins, Cheltenham	3	3	0
Mrs. Riddell, Harrogate	3	3	0
Mrs. Oliver, Norton-on-Tees	3	0	0
Mr. Pollard, Wakefield	2	2	0
Mr. Laverick, Leeds	2	0	0
Mr. Brearley, Preston	1	1	0
Mr. Hill, Mansfield	1	1	0
Messrs. Porter, Brown & Ellis, Harrogate	1	1	0
Miss E. Prowde, Boroughbridge	1	1	0
Mrs. Valentine, Inverurie	1	1	0
Mrs. Birkinshaw, York	1	0	0
Mrs. Fell, Batley	1	0	0
Mr. J. Gault, South Bank	1	0	0
Mrs. Harrison, Baildon	1	0	0
Egg Money: Lady Moore, £12; Rev. & Mrs. H. E. Horton, £1-0-6; Cash, 7/6	13	8	0
Amounts under £1	5	7	0
	<b>£247</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>8</b>



# Royal Bath Hospital Endowment

## SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS at 31st December, 1942

Stock.				Market Value		
£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
5000	0	0	London & North Eastern Railway 3% Deb. Stock	4162	0	0
4000	0	0	do. do. 4% 1st Guar. Stock	3945	0	0
1075	0	0	do. do. 4% 2nd Guar. Stock	967	0	0
1075	0	0	do. do. 4% 1st Pref. Stock	667	0	0
140	0	0	do. do. 4% 2nd Pref. Stock	45	0	0
1635	0	0	London, Midland & Scottish Railway 4% Deb. Stock	1749	0	0
6875	0	0	do. do. 4% Pref. Stock	5259	0	0
562	0	0	do. do. 4% Pref. Stock, 1923	355	0	0
612	0	0	do. do. Ord. Stock	174	0	0
210	0	0	Great Western Railway 5% Consolidated Guar. Stock	269	0	0
1790	0	0	Southern Railway 5% Pref. Stock	1951	0	0
2000	0	0	2½% Consolidated Stock	1645	0	0
550	0	0	Forth Bridge Railway 4% Stock	569	0	0
10265	14	3	3½% War Stock	10779	0	0
750	0	0	4% Funding Loan, 1960/90	851	0	0
17000	0	0	3½% Conversion Loan, 1961	18105	0	0
3100	15	6	Metropolitan Water Board 3% A. Stock, 1963	2992	0	0
16350	0	0	Local Loans 3% Stock	15860	0	0
140	0	0	3½% India Stock, 1931	140	0	0
1000	0	0	Govt. of the Commonwealth of Australia 3½% Stock, 1964/74	914	0	0
2350	0	0	3% Savings Bonds, 1955/65	2379	0	0
800	0	0	3% Defence Bonds	815	0	0
1000	0	0	3% Savings Bonds, 1960/70	1006	0	0
£78280	9	9	Cost - £74871 9s. 2d.	£75598	0	0

# Rawson Convalescent Home Endowment

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
975	0	0	London, Midland & Scottish Railway 4% Pref. Stock	746	0	0
3300	0	0	Southern Railway 4% Deb. Stock	3696	0	0
300	0	0	Great Western Railway 5% Consolidated Guar. Stock	385	0	0
150	0	0	Forth Bridge Railway 4% Stock	155	0	0
4400	0	0	3½% War Loan	4620	0	0
3000	0	0	3½% Conversion Loan, 1961	3195	0	0
1400	0	0	Local Loans 3% Stock	1358	0	0
£13525	0	0	Cost - £14730 2s. 4d.	£14155	0	0

# Laboratory Endowment

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
1000	0	0	Southern Railway 5% Guar. Pref. Stock	1280	0	0
1000	0	0	London & North Eastern Railway 3% Deb. Stock	832	0	0
100	0	0	2½% Consolidated Stock	82	0	0
200	0	0	3% Defence Bonds	204	0	0
£2300	0	0	Cost - £1871 15s. 6d.	2398	0	0

# The Grey Cross Fund

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
3000	0	0	2½% National War Bonds, 1945/47	3037	0	0
2000	0	0	do. 1946/48	2017	0	0
4700	0	0	do. 1949/51	4700	0	0
10000	0	0	Borough of Harrogate 2½% Mortgage	10000	0	0
£19700	0	0	Cost - £19700 0s. 0d.	£19754	0	0



# ALPHABETICAL LIST OF PLACES

FROM WHICH

## PATIENTS CAME TO THE HOSPITAL & HOME

DURING 1942, AND THE NUMBER FROM EACH COUNTY  
(Yorkshire excepted).

<b>Bucks. (2)</b>		<b>Hants. (3)</b>		Birtley .....	1
Beaconsfield .....	1	Bournemouth .....	2	Blyth .....	3
Bletchley .....	1	Crookham .....	1	Forest Hall .....	1
<b>Cheshire (8)</b>		<b>Herts. (3)</b>		Haltwhistle .....	1
Cheadle .....	1	St. Albans .....	1	Hexham .....	3
Chester .....	1	Stevenage .....	1	Jarrow .....	1
Crewe .....	2	Welwyn .....	1	Lemington .....	1
Heswall .....	1	<b>Lancashire (114)</b>		Newburn .....	4
Rockferry .....	1	Accrington .....	1	Newcastle .....	19
Stockport .....	1	Askham-in-Furness .....	2	N. Shields .....	1
Timperley .....	1	Barrow .....	8	Otterburn .....	1
<b>Cumberland (10)</b>		Blackburn .....	1	Prudhoe .....	2
Carlisle .....	2	Blackpool .....	6	Seaton Delaval .....	4
Penrith .....	6	Bolton .....	1	Seghill .....	1
Threlkeld .....	1	Burnley .....	3	Shiremoor .....	1
Workington .....	1	Bury .....	2	Stocksfield .....	1
<b>Derby (5)</b>		Carnforth .....	1	Wallsend .....	8
Buxton .....	1	Chorley .....	1	Whitley Bay .....	2
Chesterfield .....	4	Colne .....	5		
<b>Devon (1)</b>		Lancaster .....	3	<b>Notts. (35)</b>	
Torquay .....	1	Liverpool .....	16	Hucknall .....	6
<b>Durham (161)</b>		Manchester .....	13	Mansfield .....	15
Barnard Castle .....	2	Morecambe .....	1	Nottingham .....	4
Bearpark .....	1	Nelson .....	5	Popplewick .....	1
Billingham .....	15	Oldham .....	6	Retford .....	2
Bishop Auckland .....	21	Oswaldtwistle .....	3	Somercotes .....	1
Blaydon .....	3	Preston .....	4	Underwood .....	1
Burnhope .....	1	Rawtenstall .....	1	Worksop .....	5
Chester-le-Street .....	1	Rochdale .....	3		
Chopwell .....	1	Rossendale .....	4	<b>Oxford (1)</b>	
Consett .....	2	St. Annes .....	1	Burford .....	1
Dalton .....	1	St. Helens .....	3		
Darlington .....	10	Southport .....	14	<b>Staffs. (4)</b>	
Durham .....	1	Ulverston .....	2	Burton-on-Trent .....	1
Easington .....	1	Warrington .....	2	Dudley .....	1
Eastgate .....	1	Waterfoot .....	1	Stoke .....	1
East Boldon .....	1	Wigan .....	1	Walsall .....	1
Ferryhill .....	3	<b>Lincs. (12)</b>		<b>Surrey (1)</b>	
Frosterley .....	1	Grimsby .....	2	Oxted .....	1
Gateshead .....	6	Mablethorpe .....	2		
Hartlepool .....	3	Market Rasen .....	1	<b>Warwick (1)</b>	
Hebburn .....	1	Scunthorpe .....	4	Birmingham .....	1
Hobdon .....	18	Spalding .....	1		
Leadgate .....	1	Stamford .....	2	<b>Westmorland (4)</b>	
Marton .....	1	<b>London (7)</b>		Appleby .....	3
Norton .....	4	London .....	7	Kendal .....	1
Old Penshaw .....	1	<b>Middlesex (5)</b>		<b>Wilts. (2)</b>	
Ryton .....	1	Hayes .....	1	Salisbury .....	1
Seaham .....	3	Isleworth .....	1	Trowbridge .....	1
Sedgefield .....	1	Kenton .....	1		
Shildon .....	5	Southall .....	1	<b>Worcs. (1)</b>	
Shotley Bridge .....	1	Wembley Park .....	1	Kempsey .....	1
Spennymoor .....	1	<b>Norfolk (3)</b>			
Stanhope .....	4	Norwich .....	3	<b>Scotland (9)</b>	
Stockton .....	22	<b>Northants. (3)</b>		Castle Douglas .....	1
Sunderland .....	6	Kettering .....	1	Dalbeattie .....	1
Thornaby .....	5	Peterborough .....	1	Glasgow .....	4
Wearhead .....	1	Raunds .....	1	Irvine .....	1
W. Auckland .....	1	<b>Northumberland (58)</b>		Keiso .....	1
W. Hartlepool .....	5	Alnwick .....	1	Kilmarnock .....	1
Wolsingham .....	4	Ashington .....	1		
<b>Essex (3)</b>		Berwick .....	1	<b>Wales (5)</b>	
Nazeing .....	1			Anglesey .....	1
Roydon .....	1			Bangor .....	1
Westcliffe-on-Sea .....	1			Colwyn Bay .....	1
				Newport .....	1
				Wrexham .....	1
				<b>Total</b> .....	<b>461</b>



# ALPHABETICAL LIST OF PLACES IN YORKSHIRE

FROM WHICH

PATIENTS CAME in 1942, AND THE NUMBER  
FROM EACH.

Ackworth .... 2	Halifax .... 7	Redcar .... 8
Askrigg .... 1	Harrogate .... 61	Richmond .... 2
Baildon .... 5	Haworth .... 1	Ripon .... 9
Barnsley .... 44	Hebden Bridge .... 5	Rotherham .... 18
Batley .... 13	Heckmondwike .... 5	Royston .... 7
Bedale .... 1	Hemsworth .... 5	
Beverley .... 3	Horbury .... 1	Saltburn .... 13
Bingley .... 4	Horsforth .... 2	Scarborough .... 3
Birkin .... 1	Huddersfield .... 10	Scorton .... 1
Boosbeck .... 2	Hull .... 23	Sedbergh .... 1
Boroughbridge .... 3	Ilkley .... 6	Selby .... 6
Boston Spa .... 2		Settle .... 2
Bradford .... 58	Keighley .... 15	Sheffield .... 25
Bramley .... 3	Kendray .... 1	Shipley .... 6
Bridlington .... 11	Knaresborough .... 4	Skelton .... 2
Brighouse .... 6		Skipton .... 11
Brotton .... 1	Lealholm .... 1	South Bank .... 7
Brough .... 2	Leeds .... 245	South Elmsall .... 4
Burley-in-Wharfedale .... 2	Leyburn .... 3	South Kirkby .... 4
	Liversedge .... 3	South Milford .... 1
	Lofthouse .... 1	Sowerby Bridge .... 1
	Lofthouse Gate .... 1	Sutton-in-Craven .... 1
	Loftus .... 1	Swinton .... 1
Castleford .... 10		
Catterick .... 1	Maltby .... 3	Tadcaster .... 4
Cleckheaton .... 3	Malton .... 10	Thirsk .... 1
Crigglestone .... 1	Menston .... 2	Thornhill Lees .... 1
Cudworth .... 7	Mexborough .... 1	Thornton-le-Dale .... 1
	Middlesbrough .... 35	Tingley .... 1
Darfield .... 3	Mirfield .... 4	
Denby Dale .... 2	Moorthorpe .... 1	Upton .... 1
Dewsbury .... 8	Morley .... 7	
Doncaster .... 12		Wakefield .... 36
Driffield .... 2	Normanton .... 1	Walton .... 1
	Northallerton .... 8	Weeton .... 1
E. Ardsley .... 1	N. Ferriby .... 1	West Ardsley .... 1
Elland .... 1		Wetherby .... 4
	Ossett .... 1	Wombwell .... 11
Farsley .... 2	Otley .... 10	Wyke .... 1
Featherstone .... 2	Oulton .... 1	
Filey .... 1		Yeadon .... 3
Fitzwilliam .... 3	Pateley Bridge .... 7	York .... 62
	Pickering .... 1	
Goole .... 2	Pontefract .... 3	
Grangetown .... 1	Pool .... 1	
Grimethorpe .... 1	Pudsey .... 5	
Guiseley .... 2		

**Total 994**



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1943

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Old Linen will be thankfully received at the Hospital

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January (see Rule 26), and are payable to the  
Hon. Treasurer or Secretary.*

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*The House Committee meet every Thursday at 3 p.m.*

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*Any person subscribing the sum of £40 becomes a  
Life Subscriber, and can recommend One Patient  
Annually—See Rule 5 (4)*

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*Forms of Recommendation are supplied only at the  
time when Subscriptions are paid.*

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N.B.—The Committee urgently request particular attention to the Rules  
laid down for the admission of Patients, and beg that a strict  
enquiry be made into the circumstances of those who apply  
for recommendations. A personal knowledge of the applicant is  
desirable in order to prevent any attempted abuse of the Charity.

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N.B.—In case of Removal to another Residence, the Subscriber will oblige  
the Secretary by apprising him thereof.

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E. P. L. DIXON, M.A., Secretary,  
Harrogate Royal Bath Hospital.



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The Hospital and Home have at the present time only four beds partly endowed out of a total of 150, and it is felt that many of our supporters could perpetuate the memory of relatives and friends in no better way than by endowing and naming a bed after them.