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THE ROYAL  
HOSPITAL FOR INCURABLES,  
PUTNEY HEATH.

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*Instituted in the year 1854.*

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OFFICES: 4, ST. PAUL'S CHURCHYARD, E.C.

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REPORT

For Year Ended September 30th, 1916.

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*The Institution is intended for the middle classes.*

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*God save our gracious King,  
Long live our noble King,  
God save the King!  
Send him victorious,  
Happy and glorious,  
Long to reign over us,  
God save the King!*

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The Hospital is not quite a mile from East Putney Railway Station (District Railway), where cabs are obtainable. Putney Station (L. & S. W. Railway), is rather more than a mile distant. Motor omnibuses (Services Nos. 70 and 85) run from Putney Bridge Station (District Railway) to the top of Putney Hill, which is within three minutes' walk of the Hospital.

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PUTNEY HEATH.

### REPORT

For Year ended September 30th, 1916,

FOR

Presentation at the Annual General Meeting,

November 24th, 1916.

"VICTORY," said Napoleon, "belongs to the most persevering." That is as true of Institutions as it is of Nations, and in submitting the sixty-second Annual Report of the Royal Hospital for Incurables to the Governors and friends, the Board of Management claim that under Providence another year's successful work is due largely to the fact that perseverance has been unremittingly exercised.

The Annual Report of a voluntary hospital has A Year's Survey.  
been variously termed. One authority has styled it "The Sepulchre of the Year's Work," while another has labelled it "The Book of the Words." Put bluntly, the Annual Report can only be a clumsy finger pointing to the outstanding administrative and

financial and domestic events of the year. Eloquence must be banned for want of space; fervour must be barred for fear of egoism; praise of good friends must be temperate and resentment of eager critics must be mild. The Report must be brief and unlaboured, and, if possible, readable. The risk of writing too much is greater than the risk of writing too little . . . A moment after one year's work is done the work of another year has begun, and nine-tenths of what has been done must inevitably go unrecorded.

**Deaths of two  
Members of  
the Board.**

It is seldom possible to print our Annual Report without including as a melancholy item the death of a member of the Board. This year we record a double sorrow: the death at an advanced age of Mr. Henry Ellis, who for more than forty years was one of the responsible Governors of the Institution, and that of Mr. Arthur William Ridley. Mr. Ellis died in March last, and Mr. Ridley so recently as August. Until shortly before his passing Mr. Ellis was regular in his attendance at our meetings, both at the Hospital and the City Offices. He visited many of the bedridden among the Patients, and he and his devoted daughters never allowed the Christmas festivities or the annual Sale of Work to go by without kindly participation.

Mr. Arthur William Ridley went to his rest suddenly on a day following his usual attendance at a House Committee meeting. The sad news came as a great shock. He was a most highly valued colleague; his cheery disposition, his warm and friendly ways, his large-hearted and steadfast outlook, helped us to realise the privilege that was ours in being allowed to work with him on behalf of those suffering ones

for whom this Hospital was founded. Mr. Ridley served on the board for twenty years, and we shall miss him sorely. A courteous and polished English gentleman, he has bequeathed to us—memory and work.

The postal addresses of three members of the Board are still "somewhere in France" **Absent Friends.**

The death of Sir James Goodhart, for sixteen years Consulting Physician to this Hospital, has removed from us a kindly friend and an able physician. His skill and his winning manner of taking men and women by the hand as he found them had won him a high place in the hearts of his fellows and the esteem of his profession. Consequently he was one of the most popular and busiest of physicians in London. Yet he always found time, and at once, to come down to see any one of our patients who needed him, and was never in too great a hurry to give his best attention to the case, and would usually advise on several other cases while in the buildings. The Board desire to put on record their deep sense of the honour of his association with the Hospital, and of the value of his services given so ungrudgingly and in an entirely honorary capacity for so many years. **Death of a Consulting Physician.**

To our Medical Officer and Mrs. Gay the Board tender their deepest sympathy on the loss of their only son, 2nd Lieut. John Gay ("Jock"), Royal Flying Corps, who was killed while on active service in France. He had performed good and valuable work and won warm praise from his Squadron Commander and special commendation from Head **2nd Lieut John Gay.**



Quarters. "Out of the stress of the doing into the peace of the done."

**New Member of the Board.**

The Board count themselves fortunate in having persuaded Sir Horace Brooks Marshall to join them in conducting the affairs of this National Charity. For many years Sir Horace has been among our generous supporters, and in the year 1910 he became a Vice-President by reason of his work in raising a sum of £4,200 in connection with a festival dinner at which he was to have occupied the Chair, but which was abandoned a day or two before the date fixed upon, in consequence of the death of King Edward VII.

**Carrying on.**

Yielding to the many urgent needs of a large number of accepted candidates, the Board have decided to elect **thirty** after the annual meeting to-day. In May last **twenty** were elected. The Board as a whole feel that with the many pressing claims of helpless invalids who have been deprived of assistance from sources diverted to other purposes since the outbreak of war, something substantial must be done for this particular class, and they trust to their supporters to endorse their action. The name of the **ROYAL HOSPITAL FOR INCURABLES** will stand greater than ever if it rises to the occasion. In years to come there will be nothing more memorable in the annals of voluntary work than the way in which this National Charity kept the flag flying throughout the duration of the war.

**Finance.**

Below are some figures in reference to the Hospital's income this year as compared with that of last year. It will be seen that subscriptions, donations and

legacies are generally satisfactory. "Life Subscriptions" are particularly satisfactory, mainly as a result of "changing the bowling" (as cricketers say). By this is meant the holding of a Festival Luncheon in place of the usual Festival Dinner. On other pages in this Annual Report the Festival Luncheon is referred to more fully.

	1916.	1915.
Annual Subscriptions ... ..	£5,945 4 5	£6,156 12 8
Life Subscriptions ... ..	9,845 15 0	4,703 15 0
Donations, &c. ... ..	2,431 17 5	2,320 17 6
Dividends from Investments ... ..	7,190 11 5	7,529 8 2
Sundry Receipts ... ..	271 3 1	161 19 4
Legacies ... ..	10,804 8 5	10,314 2 0
	<u>£36,488 19 9</u>	<u>£31,186 14 8</u>

The balance-sheet may be described as the hook on which hangs the Annual Report. Those who examine this year's balance-sheet will learn with concern that the Royal Hospital for Incurables has been compelled to sell out some £5,000 of precious investments. This was done in April last, in order that debts might be paid. To the bankers the Hospital at that time owed £9,000. The usual interest had to be paid upon this sum. Those who supply the food and drugs and bedding, our sixty nurses, and others who serve, must be paid. Subscribers may rest assured that money is only borrowed when it seems the best or the only course that is open and expedient.

Not until August (the last month but one of our financial year) were we out of debt. From October



**Finance.** to August our always-low balance at the bank was overdrawn. And it was not by annual subscriptions or donations alone that we were able to free the Hospital from an anxious position; it was made possible by a handsome legacy. We have supporters who urge that we should invest all legacies. We wish our financial position were always good enough to act upon that advice, but after ten months of heavy debt the only course seemed to be to discharge our liabilities at the first opportunity.

Such of our investments as were suitable have been lent to the Government.

**A Festival Luncheon.**

Year by year, for more than sixty years, a festival dinner has been held in aid of the funds, but last year, because of national affairs, no such function was arranged. It was felt that this year something must be done to fill the alarming gap in our finances. The customary £5,000 raised by the festival dinner was sadly missed, and legacies and donations had fallen off. After earnest consideration it was decided to hold a Festival Luncheon. The Grocers' Company were kind enough to lend us their beautiful Hall for the occasion. The date fixed upon was June the 2nd.

**A Great Success.**

The total sum raised as the result of this special luncheon was £9,350. Truly a striking and wonderful success. The guests at the tables numbered 210, and the event was evidently appreciated by all present. The cost of the luncheon was relatively

small, thanks mainly to the amount of purely honorary work done.

Following the loyal toasts, Sir Frederick Green, Luncheon who kindly presided, made a most interesting and Speeches. practical speech. He told of a visit he had paid to the Hospital recently, of his talks with some of the patients, of his conviction that the Institution was well and economically managed, of the determination of those in authority to do everything that science and human sympathy could suggest, of the responsibility of the Board in raising and spending wisely £35,000 every year, and he concluded by thanking the Master and the Court of Assistants of the Grocers' Company for their kindness in lending their Hall.

Mr. Thomas W. Wickham, L.C.C., Chairman of the Board, delivered an optimistic and outspoken speech; after thanking Sir Frederick Green very warmly for his remarks, Mr. Wickham explained the policy of some institutions which keep out of debt by curtailing the work they were established to perform. He won applause when he said that the Royal Hospital for Incurables was resolved to try and act up to its great traditions and to work at full pressure, even when it was not always possible to have a balance at the bank. "My colleagues and I," said Mr. Wickham, "endeavour to live in an atmosphere of faith."

Alderman Sir George Wyatt Truscott, Bart., proposed the toast "The President, Board of Management, the Lady Visitors, and the Luncheon Stewards." In a few happy sentences Sir George referred to the excellence of the services rendered by all those



Luncheon  
Speeches.

grouped in the toast, though he did not refer to his own work in serving as a Vice-President of the Hospital and to his invariable custom of putting forward the claims of this National Charity whenever any money in the City is "going begging."

Mr. Alexander Glegg, J.P., a member of the Board, in responding to the toast, said that while he was young in association with the work of the Board of Management, he was bound to say that his acquaintance with his colleagues had been a very happy one. They had no cranks on the Board; everybody had taken his full share of the work, and they all pulled well together. The whole purview of the work of the Hospital came before the Board at their meetings, and they knew exactly how everything was going. The House Committee met weekly at the Hospital and received reports from the Medical Officer, the Chaplain, the Matron and the Steward. The various cost books were checked and the cost per head compared with that of the previous year.

Sir William Lancaster, in proposing the health of the Chairman, said that Sir Frederick Green's name was not only well known and greatly respected in the highest commercial circles of the City, but he was also known to many of them as an earnest worker in the great cause of Charity. He was quite sure that all who had listened to his kind and withal business-like speech in pleading the cause of those poor sufferers who could not plead for themselves would agree that nothing he (the speaker) could say was really good enough to thank their Chairman for his services on that occasion.

At the first meeting of the Board after the Festival luncheon it was agreed to invite Sir Frederick Green to become a Vice-President of the Hospital. It was further agreed, in view of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Lesslie's long and beneficent relationship with the Institution, to name a ward in the building after them.

The admirable work of the Ladies' Association has been carried on successfully by H.R.H. Princess Christian and Lady Loch. In April last the following appeal was made:—

"There is no sadder word in the English language than *incurable*. No word that in our own case we should more dread to hear, yet every year adds a certain number to this terrible category, and the indirect result of the War will undoubtedly add many more. Among the innumerable cases which apply for help to the Royal Hospital for Incurables, some are almost entirely unbefriended, and have therefore little hope of securing rapid election. It is with such cases that the Ladies' Association of the Royal Hospital for Incurables specially deals. In the years before the War an annual entertainment was given to raise money before the May Election. Such an entertainment is at present out of the question, but we appeal with confidence to the public to help us to find the sum of £500 with which to alleviate the sufferings of a few of those whose life is at best but a prolonged martyrdom.

"HELENA,

"President of the Ladies' Association."



This appeal realised £488 5s. od., making the contributions for the year from the Ladies' Association to the Hospital £593 5s. od., which enabled the ladies to help substantially a number of unbefriended candidates and to secure the election of one particularly sad case. Miss Allcroft, 93, Elizabeth Street Eaton Square, is the Honorary Secretary.

**The Lady Visitors.**

While the Board of Management deals with the rules and general arrangements of the Institution and the official heads of the Hospital with the details of its actual working, the Lady Visitors occupy a position contributing to the comfort of the sick and suffering inmates, though one which is more friendly than formal. At any time and about anything a patient can consult her Lady Visitor and make known wants and wishes, complaints or requests, without let or hindrance, as the kind friend chats by the side of the bed, or couch, or chair. The ladies visit constantly and even specially, if asked to do so; they are free to go at all reasonable hours and to all parts of the Hospital, and can obtain the confidence of the inmates more intimately than if they held more official positions. Intercourse with the Lady Visitors tends to smooth over many causes of friction arising from the aggregation of our poor invalids, and a little kindly sympathy goes far to soothe the worn and weary ones.

**The Annual Sale of Work.**

The result of the Sale of Work came as a pleasurable surprise this year. Some difficulty had presented itself through the death of the dear patient who for thirty years, with most unselfish activity, arranged

many details of the Sale. But others came bravely forward, and the empty place was filled. Shortly before the day of the opening, the Rance of Sarawak found herself unable to fulfil her engagement to perform this little ceremony. Her place was most kindly taken by our invaluable friend, Mrs. Lesslie, of Croydon. Her delightful speech proved an inspiration and incentive, and told largely on our receipts, while the liberality of our kind friend added to them greatly. The Sale realised over £500. The money earned by the small workers was increased to 35s. from the Bounty Stalls, and every helpless patient (of whom there are 74) unable to work received 30s. To Mrs. Casher, the Honorary Secretary, our most grateful thanks are offered.

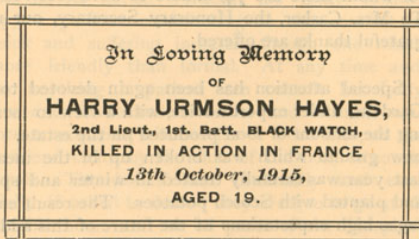
Special attention has been again devoted to the Gardens, under expert advice, with a view to increasing the amount of food produced on the estate. The new ground which was broken up in the meadow last year was carefully treated in winter and spring, and planted with Scotch potatoes. The result encourages high expectations of the future of this addition to the garden, because the soil will probably give good crops of other vegetables when the time comes to make a change. The old kitchen garden is again full of excellent crops, including all the principal vegetables. Some changes have been made in the grounds, the majority of the very small beds having been done away with in order to reduce the labour. By making two large new borders and planting a line of ornamental trees, the decorative features of the gardens have been maintained, and in due time, when the trees and borders have become well established, will be enhanced. The staff of the gardens have



worked loyally and well in order to make up for the loss of labour consequent on military demands.

**In Memoriam.** The following announcement appeared in the newspapers in July last:—

"The Board of Management of the Royal Hospital for Incurables, Putney Heath, have put the following inscription over a bed, which has been named in perpetuity in consideration of a donation from the parents of the brave young officer:—



**Tea Parties for Soldiers.**

Encouraged by the very evident appreciation of their hospitality last summer, the Board of Management, the Patients and the Staff have again this year invited parties of wounded soldiers from neighbouring hospitals to an *al fresco* tea and quiet amusements in our beautiful grounds. These parties were voted amongst the guests as being the most enjoyable of the many entertainments offered them, and they have also afforded great satisfaction and pleasure to those whose privilege it was to provide them.

Sir Henry Lopes, Bart., our Treasurer, gave his annual Garden Party to the Patients and Staff on Wednesday, July 12th. In the unavoidable absence of Sir Henry, a telegram of greeting and thanks was despatched to him during a very pleasurable afternoon.

We owe and acknowledge huge debts of thanks to a whole host of kind friends who in these difficult times have aided us with prayer, money, time, thought, interest, sympathy and goodwill. Without the tax-payer the best government in the world is useless, and no Charity has a wider, more devoted and loyal circle of practical supporters than has the Royal Hospital for Incurables. Glance at the length of our official list of subscribers, visit our extensive buildings, write and ask for news of any one of our seven hundred and twenty pensioners, look where you will for the effects of our far-reaching work, and wonder and thankfulness will overwhelm any conceivable scepticism. This is not only the work of the Board: it is the result of an ever-forthcoming revenue of the wherewithal from countless benefactors. To all we tender our very, very grateful thanks.

By Order of the Board,

CHARLES CUTTING,

Secretary.

November 24th, 1916.

## EXTRACT FROM THE CONSTITUTION.

"The design of this Charity is not to interfere with the action of any existing institution, nor to relieve those cases for which provision is found elsewhere; nor does it profess to relieve temporary affliction; but so far as funds will permit, its aim is to provide relief for that which is continuous and permanent, and for which no public provision exists. It does not, therefore, deal with idiots, persons of unsound mind, with those who have been afflicted from birth, or who have received parochial relief."

It may surprise some readers to learn that the Royal Hospital for Incurables, Putney Heath, is denied a share in the annual distribution from the King Edward's Hospital Fund and the Saturday and Sunday Collections for the Hospitals. Not one penny from these Funds ever finds its way to this Charity. The main reason for this is that the Royal Hospital for Incurables does not cure patients, a task which it would naturally not pretend to undertake since it only accepts cases which have already been rejected as incurable by other hospitals, or by unattached members of the medical profession. Surely the fact that this hospital is denied a share in the distribution of these Funds lends added claim upon the generosity of the public.

There are two Elections a year, one on the last Friday in MAY and one on the last Friday in NOVEMBER. The List for the MAY Election closes on January 1st, and the List for the November Election closes on July 1st. *The Board can only deal with one Election at a time.* Friends who send applications for the May Election *after* the 1st of January must please understand that the papers are held over for the November Election; just as friends who send in papers for the November Election *after* the 1st of July must understand that the papers are held over for the Election in May.

The Matron will be glad to receive gifts of clothing of all kinds for the use of the male and female patients.

All presents of old Linen, large quantities of which are used, will be most thankfully received.

Presents of Game for the Patients are very highly valued.

All Subscribers and Friends are cordially invited to visit the Hospital any afternoon between 2 and 6 o'clock; Sundays, 2 to 4 p.m.



FORM OF BEQUEST

I bequeath to THE ROYAL HOSPITAL FOR INCURABLES, PUTNEY HEATH, the sum of £ \_\_\_\_\_, free of duty, to be paid, together with the duty thereon, out of such part of my estate as can be lawfully bequeathed for charitable purposes, and to be applicable to the general purposes of such Institution, and I declare that the receipt of the Treasurer or other proper officer for the time being of such Institution shall be a sufficient discharge for the same.

*N.B.—By virtue of the "Mortmain and Charitable Uses Act, 1891," land may now be devised to a Charity, but it is liable to be sold within one year from the death of the Testator.*

**Remittance Form.**

To MR. CHARLES CUTTING, Secretary,  
ROYAL HOSPITAL FOR INCURABLES,  
4, ST. PAUL'S CHURCHYARD, E.C.

\_\_\_\_\_ 191

Date

From\* \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Sir, Enclosed you will find a \_\_\_\_\_ for £ \_\_\_\_\_

which \_\_\_\_\_ send you as†  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{an Annual Subscription} \\ \text{a Donation} \\ \text{a Life Subscription} \end{array} \right\}$  in aid of the funds of the

ROYAL HOSPITAL FOR INCURABLES,  
PUTNEY HEATH.

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

AN ANNUAL SUBSCRIBER has One Vote at each Election for each Half-Guinea.  
A DONATION entitles to Votes at the next ensuing Election, Four Votes being given for each Guinea contributed.  
A LIFE SUBSCRIBER has one Vote for Life for Five Guineas, and an additional Vote for Life for every additional Five Guineas.

\* Please write name as it should be printed in the list of Governors and Donors.  
† Please strike out the words not applicable.

CHEQUES TO BE CROSSED "Messrs GLYNN, MILLS, CURRIE & CO."

Inquiries are invited from Intending Subscribers.

BANKERS' ORDER.

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Messrs. \_\_\_\_\_

Please pay now and annually to the A/c of the Royal  
**Hospital for Incurables (Putney) at Messrs. Glyn, Mills,**

Currie & Co., the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ Guinea

£ : : \_\_\_\_\_



CO., 4 1/2% MORTGAGE DEBENTURE STOCK	77 16 3
35 0 0 BROWN BROS., LTD., 6% CUMULATIVE PREFERENCE SHARES OF £5 EACH	30 12 6
25 0 0 CALLENDERS SHARE & INVESTMENT TRUST LTD., 5% DEBENTURE STOCK	22 15 0
20 0 0 NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE ELECTRIC SUPPLY CO., LTD., 5% PREFERENCE SHARES	15 0 0
55 0 0 METROPOLITAN ELECTRIC CO., LTD., 4 1/2% CUMULATIVE PREFERENCE SHARES OF £5 EACH	32 6 3
25 0 0 EXCHEQUER BONDS	25 0 0
1,034 0 0 CONSOLS	672 2 0
131 8 10 CANADA 3 1/2% STOCK	100 0 0
REPAYMENT OF LOAN	9,000 0 0
REPAYMENT OF OVERDRAFT	592 1 8
DEPOSIT AT MESSRS. GLYN & CO. (Pension Fund)	500 0 0
DEPOSIT (GENERAL Fd.)	1,000 0 0
BANK and SUNDRY CASH BALANCES	194 19 6
	<u>£47,882 15 3</u>

Payments Account for the year ending 30th September, 1916 (as above set thereto, and certify same to be correct in accordance therewith. I have also

More, F.C.A., of the Firm of GEORGE R. HELMORE, HELMORE & CO., Chartered Accountants, 185, Piccadilly, London.

**CHAPLAIN ENDOWMENT FUND.**

Balance Sheet, Oct. 1st, 1915, to Sept. 30th, 1916.

£ s. d.		£ s. d.
45 18 11	By Chaplain's Salary	300 0 0
122 16 3	„ Balance at Bank	28 15 2
160 0 0		
<u>£328 15 2</u>		<u>£328 15 2</u>

Examined and found correct.  
GEORGE R. HELMORE, F.C.A.

**DIE-SEWELL PENSION FUND.**

£ s. d.		£ s. d.
100 18 1	By Pensions Paid	124 0 0
104 2 9	„ Balance at Bank	81 0 10
<u>£205 0 10</u>		<u>£205 0 10</u>

Examined and found correct.  
GEORGE R. HELMORE, F.C.A.





385 4 8	35 0 0	Brown Bros. Ltd. 6% Cumulative Preference Shares of £5 each.	17 10
119 9 0	25 0 0	Callender Share and Investment Trust Ltd., 5% Debenture Stock.	1 0 0
626 8 9	30 0 0	Newcastle-on-Tyne Electric Supply Co. Ltd. 5% Preference Shares.	16 3
94 5 4	55 0 0	Metropolitan Electric Co. Ltd., 4 1/2% Cumulative Preference Shares of £5 each.	19 10
8 1 8	25 0 0	Exchequer Bonds.	5 10
153 6 8	11,007 1 10	India 3 1/2% Stock (including Beynon Trust)	385 4 8
400 0 0	3,982 1 5	India 3% Stock	119 9 0
366 19 6	6,833 17 8	Bank of England Stock	580 17 7
66 8 2	3,142 11 4	*London County Consols 3 1/2% (including Delglise Bed)	94 5 4
262 3 6	1,764 0 0	Consols	40 16 7
212 10 0	5,176 1 4	Metropolitan Water (B) 3% Stock	155 5 6
36 1 1	3,000 0 0	New Zealand 4% Stock	260 0 0
220 0 0	9,174 7 7	*Queensland 4% Invested Stock (1940-50)	366 19 6
430 7 10	2,500 0 0	Natal 3% Consolidated Stock (1929-1949)	59 1 3
40 7 7	8,063 13 3	*New South Wales 3 1/2% Stock (1930-1950)	245 0 9
59 1 9	6,000 0 0	New South Wales 4% (1942-62) Stock	189 0 0
367 8 6	1,163 8 10	Victorian Government Inscribed 3 1/2% Stock (1888-189-1923)	32 1 4
	6,000 0 0	Victoria Government 4% (1940-60) Stock	204 0 0
	11,872 15 4	*Cape of Good Hope Government 4% Stock	373 19 10
	1,000 0 0	Portsmouth Corporation 3 1/2% Stock (1924)	35 16 8
	300 0 0	Ditto 3 1/2% Stock (1927)	
	1,906 15 8	Jamaica Government Inscribed 3 1/2% Stock (1919-1949)	52 11 1
		Return of Income Tax	640 5 6
	7,511 15 11		7,190 11 5
	20,872 12 8		25,684 11 4
	10,314 2 0	To Legacies	10,804 8 5

31,186 14 8	Total Income for the year	36,488 19 9
7,000 0 0	Loan from Messrs. Glyn, Mills, Currie & Co.	5,000 0 0
592 1 8	Bank Overdraft	220 2 8
	Sale of £7,000 New Zealand 4% Stock	5,520 5 6
<u>£40,287 17 8</u>		<u>£47,882 15 3</u>

Average number of In-patients during year, 222. Average cost per bed occupied, £86 1 5 per annum.  
 \* The interest (or portions thereof) only of these funds is available for Expenditure, in accordance with the terms of the Bequests.  
 \*\*\* Subscriptions and Donations amounted to £1,013. (Christmas Appeal.)  
 † Subscriptions received, £593. (Ladies' Association.)  
 \*\* Subscriptions and Donations amounted to £9,350. (Festival Luncheon.)

14,136 13 4	By Pensions Paid	14,060 0 0
51 0 0	Issue of Pensions and Stationery	47 12 0
14,187 13 4		14,107 12 0
719 6 4	ADMINISTRATION—	
189 19 3	Official Salaries (Proportion one-half)	781 1 3
140 14 9	Rent of Office, &c.	209 17 10
40 1 5	Official Printing and Stationery	165 3 2
72 6 11	Official Travelling	39 12 7
10 10	Postage and Telegrams	95 14 4
18 7 6	Law Charges	6 15 5
3 15 0	Auditors' Fee	18 7 6
25 10 6	Telephone	8 17 7
89 10 0	Sundries	10 0 9
13 18 1	Pensions and Allowances	88 10 0
	Interest on Loan from Bankers	127 9 6
1,314 0 7		1,552 9 11
15,501 13 11	Total Expenditure of Pension Fund	15,660 1 11

40 5 4	Election Expenses	40 5 0
238 5 1	Advertisements	314 10 5
10 0 0	Ladies' Association	
111 13 6	** Festival Luncheon	105 12 0
305 0 0	*** Christmas Appeal	227 10 0
705 3 11		748 3 5
35,124 10 4	Total Expenditure for the year	35,600 4 3

INCOME TAX PAID	9 17 10
INTEREST ON GIFT	10 0 0
BY TRANSFER OF—	
£780 CONSOLS	
£1,204 MET. WATER BOARD STOCK	
£125 0 0 QU'APPELLE & Co., STEAMBOAT CO., 4 1/2% MORTGAGE DEBENTURE STOCK	77 16 3
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I have examined the Receipts and Payments Account for the year ending 30th September, 1916 (as above set forth), with the books and vouchers relating thereto, and certify same to be correct in accordance therewith. I have also verified the whole of the Securities and Bank Balances.  
 (Signed) GEORGE R. HELMORE, F.C.A., of the Firm of GEORGE R. HELMORE, HELMORE & Co., Chartered Accountants, 185, Piccadilly, London.  
 October 30th, 1916.

BEYNON TRUST.

To cost of Maintenance of the "Beynon Ward," viz., 6 Inmates at £86 1 5 per head	£ 516 8 6	By Income from Invested Funds, India 3 1/2% ...	£ 295 12 2
		Extra cost charged to Maintenance Fund	219 16 4
	<u>£516 8 6</u>		<u>£516 8 6</u>

THE LOPES' CHAPLAIN ENDOWMENT FUND.

To Balance, 1st October, 1915	£ 45 18 11	By Chaplain's Salary	£ 300 0 0
Dividend on £5,000 L. & N. W. Railway 3% Stock	122 16 3	Balance at Bank	28 15 2
Received from General Account	160 0 0		
	<u>£328 15 2</u>		<u>£328 15 2</u>

Examined and found correct.  
 GEORGE R. HELMORE, F.C.A.

SUNDRY DEPOSIT ACCOUNT.

To Balance 1st October, 1915	£ 165 14 6	By Funeral Expenses, &c.	£ 14 10 0
Cash Received	40 0 0	Balance at Bank	197 1 7
Interest on Deposit	5 17 1		
	<u>£211 11 7</u>		<u>£211 11 7</u>

Examined and found correct.  
 GEORGE R. HELMORE, F.C.A.

THE BRODIE-SEWELL PENSION FUND.

To Balance, 1st October, 1915	£ 100 18 1	By Pensions Paid	£ 124 0 0
Dividends on £3,778 1 2 Canada 3 1/2% Stock	104 2 9	Balance at Bank	81 0 10
	<u>£205 0 10</u>		<u>£205 0 10</u>

Examined and found correct.  
 GEORGE R. HELMORE, F.C.A.





