

Geelong Infirmary and Benevolent Asylum,
INCORPORATED.

During the past year **947** more cases were treated than during **1896** and **1897**. **2566** Out-door Patients were treated at the Dispensary. The attendances were **8763**. **1022** In-Patients were admitted, being **371** more than last year. The Income was **£5762 0s. 4d.**, and the Expenditure **£6783 18s. 3d.**, showing a deficit of **£1021 17s. 11d.**

The rapid development of the usefulness of the Institution has year by year exceeded the growth of the subscriptions for maintenance.

The Income during the past year was not sufficient to meet the Expenditure.

To render the Institution self-supporting the Committee appeals for increased, or Additional Annual Subscriptions, and they earnestly ask the co-operation of friends.

The Secretary will be glad to receive the name of any likely Subscriber, on whom the Collector will gladly call.

J. H. GREY, President.

CHAS. SHANNON, Acting Hon. Treasurer.

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... FORTY-SIXTH REPORT ...
OF THE
COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT
OF THE

Geelong Infirmary

--- AND ---

Benevolent Asylum

(INCORPORATED).

WITH THE

FINANCIAL STATEMENT,
List of Subscriptions and Donations,

AND

*Statistical Table of Cases treated during the Twelve Months
ended June 30th, 1898.*



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Geelong Infirmary

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BENEVOLENT ASYLUM

(INCORPORATED).

The FORTY-SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT of the General Committee
of Management.

To the Governors and Subscribers.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,

Your Committee of Management begs to submit to the Subscribers and the Public their Forty-Sixth Annual Report, and audited Balance Sheet, with a synopsis of the finances of the Institution.

The past year has been one of unprecedented depression all over the Colony, including the district from which the Institution derives its financial support.

The intensely hot summer through which we have passed, together with the high price of food, has taxed the resources of the Hospital to their utmost.

The year just closed has been the heaviest your Institution has ever had to contend with as regards the number of patients. 371 in-patients and 582 out-patients have been treated in excess of last year's figures. Notwithstanding this fact, your Committee is glad and thankful to be able to say that no case has had to be turned away this year.

Your Committee, while fully appreciating the efforts publicly and individually made in the town and several districts within the radius relieved by the Institution, yet feel it their duty to bring before your notice the fact that if the Institution is to be maintained at its present high state of efficiency, increased subscriptions will have to be looked for during the ensuing year.

The £940 subscribed by private contributors includes several large amounts from the Banks, Friendly Societies, &c.; when these are taken away, the sum left is not great considering the populous and wealthy district to which we minister.

During the last few years £250 has been taken off the Government grant; 20 more beds have been added to the Benevolent Asylum at a yearly cost of at least £300; the yearly average of private subscriptions from 1885 to 1890 was £1053; during the last 5 years it has only been £891. This means a dead loss of £712 yearly, as compared with our former income. Added to this the Government expects a far higher state of efficiency as regards nursing, &c., and the Training Home, although of infinite benefit to the community at large in providing them with highly trained nurses, costs the Institution at least £300 per year.

Following this will be found a full statement of all matters that it is considered necessary to lay before you, and your Committee hopes that the fulness of details will cause an increased amount of support to be given to the Institution.

During the year ended June 30th, 3,763 cases have received relief. This is 947 more than were treated last year. Full particulars are given in the following tables:—

In-Door Patients.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Remaining in the House 1st July, 1897	44	28	72
Number admitted during the year	600	350	950
	644	378	1022
Discharged, cured or relieved	540	327	867
Discharged at own request	4	2	6
Left unrelieved	19	7	26
Died	41	21	62
Number remaining 30th June, 1898	40	21	61
	644	378	1022

Benevolent Asylum Inmates.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Remaining 1st July, 1897	85	36	121
Number admitted during the year	35	19	54
	<u>120</u>	<u>55</u>	<u>175</u>
Discharged or left at own request	22	8	30
Died	13	9	22
Remaining 30th June, 1898	85	38	123
	<u>120</u>	<u>55</u>	<u>175</u>

Out-Door Patients.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Number admitted during the year	1261	1305	2566
Number of occasions on which they attended			8763

The daily average in the House has been 192·8.

The average rate of mortality has been 7·06 for all cases and 6·07 for Hospital In-door Patients. This is a very low death rate for a General Hospital, and speaks eloquently for the skill of the Medical Staff and the general administration of the Institution, especially as there is no proper accommodation for infectious diseases.

The total number remaining in the House on the 30th June, 1898, was 184.

The Religious Denominations and Birth-places of those treated in the Institution during the year have been as follows:—

RELIGIOUS DENOMINATIONS.		BIRTH-PLACES.	
Church of England	440	Victoria	658
Roman Catholic	350	England and Wales	213
Wesleyan	175	Ireland	173
Presbyterian	157	Scotland	86
Baptist	25	Germany	10
Other Protestant	49	China	4
No Religion	1	Other Foreign Countries	14
		„ Australian Colonies	30
		„ British Possessions	9
	<u>1197</u>		<u>1197</u>

Income and Expenditure.

The Receipts for maintenance during the year were £5762 os. 4d. ; and the total Expenditure under this heading was £6594 15s. 4d. There was therefore the sum of £832 15s. od. required to make ends meet. During the year 1896-7 the deficiency was £995 11s. 4d. 947 cases have been treated more than last year.

Under the heading of Building £189 2s. 11d. was paid.

The Bank Overdraft on 30th June, 1897, was £3444 19s. 9d. This was reduced to £444 19s. 9d. in July by transferring £3000 from the Endowment Fund to the General Account.

Owing to building expenses, and the deficit on the general maintenance account, the overdraft, when the present year ended on June 30th, had increased to £1650 12s. 5d.

The Receipts for maintenance exceed those of last year by £583 8s. 11d., but this increase has been swallowed up by the larger number of patients treated, and the extremely high price of provisions. Had the year been an ordinary one, your institution would have been well within its means.

Patients' Contributions.

During 1896-97 £338 17s. 6d. was collected from this source. For 1897-98 the sum received was £828 14s. 3d. This is an increase of £489 16s. 9d. for the current year.

Endowment and Reserve Fund.

The amount to the credit of this fund is £1804 1s. 7d. ; this just covers the bank overdraft.

Average Cost of Indoor Patients.

Amount expended 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898 ... £ s. d.
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	£	s.	d.
Building	136	2	4
Repairs, Building Account	13	0	0
Fittings and Furniture, Building Account	40	0	7
One-third Drug Account	168	3	10
One-third Doctor's Salary	89	5	4
Interest on Bank Overdraft	25	10	6
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Daily average, 192.8 Indoor Patients.

Annual average cost, £32 14s. 7d. per head. This is £2 9s. 7d. per head less than last year. Considering the high price of provisions this may be considered as a very satisfactory reduction.

Charge for Drugs to Out-Patients.

This Charge is not rendered in the slightest degree oppressive, and all those who are too poor to pay are exempted. An increase of £25 18s. 6d. shows for the year under review.

The amounts received in the five years since the charge for medicine was first made are as follows:—

	£	s.	d.			
1892-93	57	1	0			
1893-94	65	9	0			
1894-95	78	14	0			
1895-96	76	13	0			
1896-97	78	15	0			
1897-98	104	13	6			
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	1892-93	1893-94	1894-95	1895-96	1896-97	1897-98
Number of Out-Patients	1232	1449	1930	1952	1984	2566
„ „ Attendances	4057	4994	6694	6254	7465	8763

Special Donations.

The following amounts received during the year are specially acknowledged by the Committee:—

	£	s.	d.
Estate John Brogan (decd.), per T. L. Price ...	10	0	0
„ John Moloney „ ...	10	0	0
„ James Noble „ per J. Anderson ...	10	0	0
„ John Bell „ ...	10	10	0
„ John Donaghy „ per J. H. Grey ...	100	0	0
U.A.O. of Druids, part proceeds of Gala, per W. Barnett ...	5	0	0
Proceeds Concert and Ball, Lethbridge, per Messrs. Woodman and T. Brosnan ...	6	6	0
Eight Hours' Anniversary Committee ...	10	0	0
Proceeds Ball at Meredith, per M. Cahir ...	13	12	0
Metropolitan Committee A.N.A., per E. D. Wilcox ...	20	0	0
Collection, V.P.A. Band Performance, per Lieut.-Col. Umphelby ...	21	1	10
Independent Order of Rechabites, per H. Marsh ...	25	0	0

Hospital Sunday Collections.

Paid direct to the Hospital:—

	£	s.	d.
Roman Catholic Churches, Geelong, per Ven. Archdeacon Slattery ...	45	6	6
Presbyterian Church, North Shore ...	3	3	0
E. Morgan ...	0	10	0
Presbyterian Church, Bellarine ...	1	14	6
Lutheran Church, Germantown, per Rev. L. Schultze ...	2	10	0
„ „ „ per Rev. G. Heyer ...	4	0	0
Presbyterian Church, Ryrie Street, per J. Nicol ...	6	5	0
„ „ Connewarre, per R. Jones ...	0	19	0
Church of England Churches, Connewarre, Mt. Duneed, and Marshalltown, per Rev. T. Winsor ...	2	0	9
Wesleyan Churches, Yarra St. Circuit, per Rev. E. T. Cox ...	13	15	5
Presbyterian Churches, per Rev. A. Houston ...	6	11	0
„ „ Lismore ...	5	10	0
„ „ Leigh, per Jno. Bell ...	1	0	0
„ „ Camperdown, per T. N. Tail ...	1	9	6
St. James' Church, Mortlake, per Rev. J. Wagg ...	1	15	6
St. John's Church, Kolora „ „ ...	0	10	0

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Queenscliff, per C. V. Crow	£	s.	d.
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St. John's Church of Eng., Portarlington, per S. Mitchellhill	1	1	0
Collection, per Major Stanley	6	4	0
Christ Church, Geelong	14	5	9

Received and distributed by the Hospital Sunday Committee, per
H. Blomfield Brown, Esq., Hon. Treasurer.

	£	s.	d.
Trinity Free Church, Geelong	1	3	0
Church of England, Barrarbool	1	11	4
" " Highton	1	0	6
Collected by Salvation Army	6	6	8
St. Thomas' Church of England, Winchelsea	2	4	6
St. George's " " Queenscliff	1	18	6
All Saints' " " Newtown	10	5	1
Church of Christ, Hope Street	0	13	8
Wesleyan Church, Geelong West Circuit	5	15	9
Collection, Band Performance, Johnstone Park	9	4	10
Baptist Church, Aberdeen Street	3	19	0
Presbyterian Church, Inverleigh	4	3	6
Belmont Baptist Sunday School	0	19	0
Church of England, Lara	2	2	9
" " St. Paul's, Inverleigh	1	3	0
" " Murgheboluc	0	19	0
" " Leigh Road	0	16	0
Reformed Presbyterian Church	2	0	6
Congregational Church, Gheringhap Street	3	1	6
" " Sunday School " 	0	6	8
All Saints', Lorne	1	3	9
Primitive Methodist Church, Bond Street	1	5	4
" " " Pakington Street	12	9	
" " " Leopold	0	19	0
Church of England, Murradoc	0	16	0
Presbyterian Church, Winchelsea	3	7	2
Congregational Church and Sunday School, North Geelong	1	2	9
Church of England, Drysdale	1	15	0
" " Bellarine	0	7	4
Presbyterian Church, Barrarbool	4	0	9
St. Mathew's Church of England, Geelong	0	19	0
St. Paul's " " " " 	9	19	2
St. Barnabas' " " " " 	1	8	2

			£	s.	d.
St. John's Church of England, Geelong	...	...	0	15	2
St. Luke's " " "	...	...	0	5	6
St. Paul's Sunday School	...	...	0	11	6
Church of England, Anakies	...	...	1	4	6
" " Little River	...	...	0	4	9
Fenwick Street Baptist Church	...	...	2	4	4
Rev. T. Quinton	...	...	0	12	8
St. Andrews' Presbyterian Church of Victoria	...	...	1	5	4
Free Presbyterian Church, Geelong	...	...	6	6	8
Presbyterian Church, Werribee	...	...	0	17	4
Children St. Joseph's R.C. School, Breakwater	...	...	0	4	3
St. George's Presbyterian Church	...	...	4	18	2
Church of England, Leopold	...	...	1	1	8
" " Ocean Grove	...	...	0	7	4
" " St. Albans	...	...	0	7	4

Inspector of Charities Report.

Mr. A. S. Bond, the Acting Inspector of Charities, visited the Institution on 25th March. His Report we deem highly satisfactory.

The following are extracts from his Report to the Hon. the Treasurer of Victoria, viz. :—

“The Institution and grounds are kept in thorough order, and are well looked after. I was sorry to see that the drain in front of main gate, and drawn attention to in my Report last year, had not been dealt with.

“When funds are available, an iron fire escape should be built from balcony No. 5 ward to the yard.

“The Institution, which is both Hospital and Benevolent Asylum combined, is certainly superior to any in this Colony, and it is to be regretted that the ends cannot be made to meet without trenching on reserved capital, and I hope to see a special effort made to increase the funds of this very deserving charity.”

Tickets of Admission Good for Twelve Months.

Your Committee has decided that Subscribers' Tickets shall be available for the admission of patients 12 months after date of issue only. This has been done in the best interests of your Institution, and is in accordance with the rules of all the large British Institutions.

Improvements.

The whole of the male staff are exercised at fire drill at certain periods with the new fire appliances, and would give a good account of themselves in case of need.

Primus Stoves, burning kerosene gas, have been substituted for gas stoves for cooking small necessaries in the wards, thus saving the gas.

Wards 2 and 7 have been painted throughout a light shade of green, which proves very soothing to the eyes of the patients. The cupboards and furniture in above have also been grained and varnished.

The floors of the two Typhoid tents, which were originally a fixture, had to be renewed owing to decay from exposure. The flooring is now laid down in movable sections, which are kept under cover during the winter.

An apartment has been fitted up as a laboratory for the Medical staff and for the safe keeping of scientific instruments, &c. A new microscope and a full apparatus with storage battery for taking Roentgen Ray photographs has been purchased, and a dark room for developing same has been built. Many pictures have been taken, which have proved very valuable for locating injuries, diseases, foreign bodies, &c., &c.

An extra meal is now provided for patients at 7 p.m., consisting of beef tea, milk, or other light food.

Much other work has been done at considerable expense, as in a large public Institution something is always wanting repairs, and the cheapest way is to keep it in a state of efficiency.

Re Cases Infectious Diseases.

Under the existing bye-laws, it is strictly laid down that infectious diseases are not admissible. It is quite impossible to adhere to this rule, as it would entail much suffering. During the past year 75 cases of typhoid fever have been treated, 6 proving fatal. Two of these were practically past recovery when admitted. 108 patients have been admitted suffering with diphtheria, 6 deaths occurring from this disease.

The Public Health Act, sections 153 and following, places the responsibility of providing for such cases on the Municipal Bodies. The Amount donated by the aforesaid bodies is quite inadequate to cover the cost of treatment of these cases. A single typhoid runs a course of 6 weeks, and frequently much longer. Extra and isolated accommodation for the reception of infectious and contagious diseases is an urgent necessity.

The Municipal Bodies interested, by largely subscribing, would indirectly force the large majority of now non-contributors to help the funds of the Institution.

Benevolent Asylum.

It was expected that when 20 more beds were added some short time ago, that an increased amount would be subscribed. Your Committee regrets to have to report that their anticipations have not been realised.

125 (one hundred and twenty-five) beds are constantly occupied, and if this number is to be kept up, increased subscriptions must be looked for. Notwithstanding the above addition, poor old men and women have to be refused admission at times, as there is no more space available.

Re Drain in front of Hospital.

As will be seen, the Inspector of Charities has again complained about this eyesore. The Town Council has repeatedly been asked to remedy this menace to the community, but reply they cannot alter it. It is flushed out and swept daily by one of the inmates.

New Typhoid Tent.

Subscriptions were asked in the public papers to replace one of the Typhoid Tents, which had become too old for use. The cost will be about £60: up to the present only £18 14s. 1d. has been subscribed.

Owing to the generous liberality of a gentleman resident in Geelong, the Typhoid Tent has now been assured, he having intimated to the Secretary that he will make up the balance of the money required.

Honorary Solicitors.

Your thanks are due to the President, J. H. Grey, Esq., of Messrs. Taylor, Buckland & Gates, for the generous manner in which he conducts the law business of the Institution, gratis. This would amount to a considerable sum per annum if it had to be paid for.

***Re* Providing a Bed.**

To those who may be disposed to signalise any particular year by giving a special donation, your Committee would commend the maintenance of a bed. The estimated cost of each bed on an average of years is about £75; if therefore, any one alone or in conjunction with others contributes that sum, he will have the satisfaction of knowing that thereby a bed is maintained for a year, in other words, that he has provided for about ten patients, allowing each an average period of residence, viz.—34.15 days.

The system of endowing a bed in perpetuity, in memory of deceased relatives, (the names of the donors being inscribed on a tablet at the Hospital) is respectfully suggested to your notice as being a noble and charitable way of perpetuating their memory.

***Re* Factory and Workshop Employees Subscriptions.**

It is earnestly requested that managers and proprietors of Shops and Factories bring before their employees the system of small voluntary allowances each pay day. Two or three pence per week would never be missed. It is less burdensome to the givers, and much more beneficial to the Infirmary than the present practice of making a call in one sum at the close of the year.

Collections in State Schools.

The following amounts are gratefully acknowledged for the past year:—

				£	s.	d.
No. 1911	State School,	Moolap ...	...	0	5	0
" 3028	" "	Warrion West ...	...	0	13	6
" 883	" "	Koloro ...	...	0	6	9
" 417	" "	Murradoc ...	...	0	11	3
" 932	" "	Bannockburn ...	...	0	5	3
" 256	" "	Freshwater Creek ...	...	0	3	0
" 1190	" "	Queenscliff ...	...	2	11	3
" 1691	" "	Fyansford ...	...	0	7	6
" 2106	" "	Calvert's Reserve	0	2	0
" 396	" "	Modewarre	0	5	9
		Swanston Street,	}	2	6
		South Geelong			
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Gifts in Kind.

Your Committee is much obliged to all friends of the Institution who have from time to time kindly sent gifts in kind, and would be glad if other friends would remember us in like manner.

Many persons who cannot afford to give donations in money can, without missing it, give contributions of goods.

Firewood, fruit, vegetables, worn clothing, old linen, will be always gratefully received.

Staff.

Mr. A. Hopkins, Supt. and Secretary, resigned in November, and out of 86 applicants, Mr. A. J. Reilly was appointed in his stead.

Mrs. Denham resigned in October, and Miss A. Davies was appointed her successor.

The new appointees have given every satisfaction to the Committee.

Several changes have taken place in the personnel of the Nursing and General Staff. One painter, one night wardsman and a general help have been dispensed with, also 3 assistant nurses, their work being performed by the senior trainees

Salaries and Wages.

A decrease of £75 is shown here as compared with last year.

Report of Monthly Visitors for the Year.

JULY 15th, 1897.

A report was submitted by Messrs. Bradley and Jullien to the effect that they had made a thorough inspection of the Institution and grounds, and found everything very clean and in admirable order throughout.

AUGUST 12th, 1897.

A letter was read from the Rev. Canon Goodman reporting that, with Mr. Higgins, he had made a visit of inspection of the Institution since the previous meeting. They found the whole place in a very cleanly state, and everything in good order.

SEPTEMBER, 1897.

Mr. Brown reported that with Mr. Vines, he had made an inspection of the Hospital premises and found everything satisfactory, and there were no complaints.

OCTOBER 15th, 1897.

Mr. J. H. Connor reported that he had visited the Institution during the past month, and found everything satisfactory. Mr. Geo. Faulkner endorsed the favourable opinion expressed by the preceding speaker regarding the state of the Institution, but complained of the offensive state of the street drain in front of the Hospital.

NOVEMBER 11th, 1897.

The reports from the President and the Rev. A. Davidson, regarding the general state of the Institution, were satisfactory to the Committee.

DECEMBER 9th, 1897.

Dr. Small, on behalf of himself and the Rev. E. T. Cox, as visitors for last month, reported that everything had been found in excellent order.

JANUARY 13th, 1898.

The Rev. Allan Webb reported having visited the Institution officially, in company with Mr. Chas. Shannon, and found everything in a satisfactory condition.

FEBRUARY 10th, 1898.

A satisfactory report was made by Messrs. W. W. Bradley and Wm. Higgins, regarding the state in which they had found the Institution, on the occasion of their visit.

MARCH 11th, 1898.

The Rev. Canon Goodman reported that the cleanliness of the Institution was, as usual, perfect, but the old standing grievance of the drainage in Ryrie Street was not satisfactory. It had been pointed out to him that a hand-rail was necessary on the steps at the entrance to the "Harding" Home for nurses. Mr. Martin as the other visitor, said that he agreed with the report, and was greatly impressed with the economies that had been introduced into the Institution.

APRIL 14th, 1898.

Mr. H. B. Brown, who visited the Hospital last month in company with Mr. Vines, reported that generally they had found everything in satisfactory order.

MAY 12th, 1898.

Mr. W. W. Bradley, on behalf of the visitors for last month, reported that he had visited the Institution and found everything in a highly satisfactory condition. Mr. Munday endorsed the report made by Mr. Bradley.

JUNE 9th, 1898.

Mr. C. Shannon wrote saying he had visited the Institution during the month, and had found everything in a satisfactory state. The Hon. J. H. Connor endorsed his letter.

Honorary Medical Staff.

The Honorary Medical Officers are Drs. Small, Kennedy, Newman, Marwood, with Dr. Croker as Consulting Surgeon.

They retire, but are eligible for re-election.

Your thanks are due to these gentlemen for their kind attention to both In and Out-Patients during the year.

Votes of Thanks.

The Ladies of the Flower Mission still continue to attend every week with flowers for the sick in the wards, and the thanks of the subscribers are hereby tendered to them for their kindness, and to all those societies and individuals who have given or promoted Concerts or Entertainments for the amusement of the Patients and Inmates; also to the generous donors of the Royal Feast we were enabled to give the Inmates last Christmas.

Your Committee begs to thank the proprietors of the following papers, viz : "Argus," "Australasian," "Age," "Leader," "Geelong Advertiser," "Geelong Times," "Ballarat Star," and "Ballarat Courier," for the gratuitous supply of their papers, which are much appreciated.

Re **Subscribers giving Tickets of Admission.**

All Subscribers are earnestly requested to make searching enquiry into each and every case before giving a ticket either as an In or Out-Patient. Subscribers have it in their own hands to protect the Institution from being imposed upon, by satisfying themselves that applicants are unable to pay for outside medical treatment.

Life Subscribers.

The following have been elected during 1897-98 :

J. BLAKISTON, Esq., nominated by A.N.A. Fete Committee.

LIEUT.-COL. UMPHELBY, nominated by V.P.A. Band.

HY. MARSH, Esq., nominated by I.O. of Rechabites.

General Committee of Management.

Mr. J. Purdie was elected in October to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Mr. E. Coulston. This vacancy, with five others, making the statutory six, will have to be filled at the forthcoming annual meeting. The Hon. Treasurer was granted 6 months' leave of absence to visit Europe, and Mr. C. Shannon was elected as Acting Hon. Treasurer during this time.

Committees.

From the accompanying tables it will be seen that during the past year 16 meetings of the General Committee of Management, 51 of the House Committee, and 14 of the Finance Committee have been held.

The President, J. H. Grey, Esq., has only been absent from one meeting of the General Committee.

Mr. J. Nicol, chairman of the House Committee, has also attended all these, and has never missed occupying the chair at each of the 51 of his own committee meetings.

The thanks of the subscribers are due to these gentlemen and the other members of the Committee for the assiduous way in which they have looked after the interests of the Institution.

Final.

The members of your Committee who retire under the Act of Parliament regulating the Charities, in addition to Mr. Purdie, previously mentioned, are the Hon. J. H. Connor, M.L.C., Messrs. G. Martin, J. W. Sayer, Rev. A. Davidson, H. Blomfield Brown, or W. Humble.

J. H. GREY,
President.

July 13th, 1898.

	Contributions for year ending 30th June, 1898.			Shire Donations for year ending 30th June, 1898.			Church Collec- tions for year ending 30th June 1898.	Total Amount for year ending 30th June, 1898.			Gross Annual Rateable Value.			Number of Ratepayers.	Number of Subscribers of 5s. and over.	Number of Churches and Schools Contributing.	Number of Contributors on Collecting Lists.
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.				
Geelong ...	618	7	11	20	0	0	Including Hospital Sunday Fund, per H. B. Brown, Treasurer, and Church Col- lections paid direct to Hospital.	638	7	11	91,717	0	0	3,066	310	Including Amounts of under 5s. paid in Single Donations.	1398
Geelong West ...	26	16	6					26	16	6	27,904	0	0	1,382	28		
Newtown & Chilwell ...	22	11	0					22	11	0	29,054	0	0	1,147	29		
Corio ...	41	11	9					41	11	9	30,570	0	0	455	39		
Barrabool ...	37	7	6	4	0	0		41	7	6	24,281	0	0	383	56		
Bellarine ...	64	10	0	10	0	0		74	10	0	39,011	0	0	444	101		
Hampden ...	40	0	3	15	0	0		55	0	3	122,082	0	0	934	8		
Winchelsea ...	24	16	0	8	8	0		33	4	0	48,122	0	0	687	18		
South Barwon ...	31	8	6	2	2	0		33	10	6	17,870	0	0	441	45		
Bannockburn ...	63	8	0	3	0	0		66	8	0	18,114	0	0	330	50		
Meredith ...	36	5	0	5	5	0		41	10	0	15,862	0	0	314	19		
Queenscliff ...	35	9	10	5	5	0		40	14	10	12,381	0	0	257	13		
Leigh ...	35	15	0					35	15	0	37,364	0	0	382	7		
Hawthorn ...	1	0	0					1	0	0	63,725	0	0	3,523	1		
Melbourne ...	35	5	6					35	5	6	1,447,151	0	0	14,284	6		
Wyndham ...	12	2	6	3	0	0		15	2	6	56,676	0	0	425	10		
Colac ...	5	6	6					5	6	6	106,574	0	0	1,415	3		
Mortlake ...				5	0	0		5	0	0	85,203	0	0	583			
Ballan ...	1	7	3	3	0	0		4	7	3	33,035	0	0	1,342	1		
Churches ...								241	11	2							
Amounts under 5s. ...	26	14	0				26	14	0								
	1160	3	0	84	0	0	241	11	2	1485	14	2		744	118		

*DISTRICTS from which Patients of Hospital and Inmates of Benevolent Asylum
have been received during the Year ended June 30th, 1898.*

	In-Patients.	No. of Days in Hospital.	Out-Patients.	Inmates of Benevolent Asylum.		In-Patients.	No. of Days in Hospital.	Out-Patients.	Inmates of Benevolent Asylum.
Remaining from last year ..	72	8743		121	Shire of Bannockburn				
Geelong	350	8268	1512	21	Darriwill			1	
Geelong West ..	151	3900	400	9	Gheringhap	4	34		
Newtown & Chilwell ..	62	1476	216	3	Inverleigh	2	50		1
Queenscliff	28	670	36		Leigh Road	15	340	7	
Shire of South Barwon					Lethbridge	5	89	4	
Belmont	4	70	29	1	Murghelolue	4	35	9	
Breakwater	4	90	20		Pollocksford	1	31	1	
Barwon Heads	1	8	5		Sutherland's Creek ..			1	
Connewarre	8	141	8		Shire of Ballan—				
Germantown	3	51	16		Beremboke	6	176		
Highton	1	53	3		Morrison's	2	20	1	
Marshalltown	4	105	6	1	Shire of Corio—				
Shire of Barrarbool—					Batesford	6	54	7	2
Anglesea	1	35			Cowie's Creek	3	77	4	
Barrarbool Hills ..	7	126	5		Fyansford	12	263	7	
Ceres	6	61	2		Herne Hill	6	117	6	
Clifford			1		Lara	12	205	12	
Freshwater Creek ..	4	44	1		Lovely Banks			1	
Gnarwarre	1	9	7		Moorabool	2	62	1	
Jan Juc	9	71	12		North Geelong	8	235	9	
Laketown	1	13			Shire of Hampden—				
Modewarre	6	339	1		Camperdown	5	121	1	
Mt. Duneed	2	9	4		Cobden				
Mt. Moriac	4	62	10		Darlington			1	
Pettavel	2	42		1	Terang	1	82		
Paraparap			2		Shire of Leigh—				
Torquay	1	133	2		Corindhap			1	
Wauru Ponds	3	92	9		Rokewood	1	8		
Shire of Bellarine—					Shelford	1	30		1
Bellarine	2	26			Teesdale			1	1
Clifton Springs	1	5			Shire of Meredith—				
Drysdale	13	437	34		Anakies	4	123	4	
East Geelong	2	47	3		Banganie				
Leopold	6	126	12		Elaine	1	3		1
Moolap	8	110	20		Meredith	16	423	14	
Ocean Grove	2	43	6		Steiglitz	17	393	2	
Point Henry	3	41	2		Shire of Wyndham—				
Portarlington	14	88	9	1	Little River	9	256	9	
St. Albans	10	181	14		Werribee			1	
St. Leonards	4	66			Shire of Winchelsea—				
Swan Bay			1		Airey's Inlet	2	101		
Wallington	5	99	8		Buckley's Road	3	193	1	1
	805	20980	2416	158	Bambra	2	66		1
						150	3587	106	8

DISTRICTS, &c., (continued.)

	In-Patients.	No. of Days in Hos pital.	Out-Patients.	Inmates of Bene- volent Asylum.		In-Patients.	No. of Days in Hos pital.	Out-Patients.	Inmates of Bene- volent Asylum.
Shire of Winchelsea—									
Birregurra ..	3	51	2	1	Melbourne ..	14	488	9	
Cape Otway ..					Mildura ..	1	11		
Lorne ..			2		Mansfield ..	1	21		
Winchelsea ..	7	165	5	3	Pt. Lonsdale ..				1
Wensleydale ..	1	65	1		Paywit ..	1	11		
					Richmond ..	1	8		
Avoca ..	1	14			Sydney ..	1	27		
Ballarat ..	3	37	3		Warrnambool ..	1	29	2	
Burrumbeet ..	1	83			Warracknabeal ..	1	36	1	
Colac ..	3	54		1	Williamstown ..	1	211		
Gippsland ..	1	15			No Residence ..	24	540	18	3
Hamilton ..			1						
Kensington ..	1	66							
	21	550	14	5					
					Grand Total ..	1022	26444	2566	175

ATTENDANCE LIST.

1st JULY, 1897, to 30th JUNE, 1898.

NAMES.	General Committee, 16 Meetings.	Finance Committee, 14 Meetings*	House Committee, 51 Meetings.
Grey, J. H., President	15	2	2
Hon. J. H. Connor, M.L.C. } Vice-Presidents	7		
Martin, G. }	13		7
Sayer, J. W., Hon. Treasurer	12	2	
Goodman, Rev. Canon	12		
Davidson, Rev. A.	6		
Webb, Rev. A.	11		
Cox, Rev. E. T.	7	7	
O'Brien, Rev. E.	10		
Bradley, W. W.	14	13	
Brown, H. B.	14	14	
Coulston, E. (deceased)	1		2
Jullien, E. L.	10		28
Gardiner, W.	9		23
Higgins, W.	8	8	
Humble, W.	9		35
Munday, J.	10		30
Nicol, J.	15		51
Faulkner, G. F.	8		
Shannon, C.	7		
Vines, J.	9	11	
Purdie, J.	9		
Small, Dr.	12		

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Dr. Statement of Receipts and Expenditure for the Year from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898. Cr.

	MAINTENANCE.			BUILDING.				MAINTENANCE.			BUILDING.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To Government Grant	3000	0	0				By Building				136	2	4
„ Grants by Municipalities	84	0	0				„ Repairs to Building	222	13	10	13	0	0
„ Private Contributors	926	11	11				„ Fittings and Furniture				40	0	7
„ Proceeds of Entertainment in aid ..	78	17	1				„ Groceries and General Stores ..	1026	4	6			
„ Hospital Sunday Collections	132	19	5				„ Meat	554	18	10			
„ Other Church Collections	114	15	9				„ Milk	270	9	11			
„ Legacies	169	2	0				„ Bread	361	9	5			
„ Interest from Reserve and Endow- ment Fund	231	8	2				„ Fuel and Light	358	19	0			
„ Patients' Contributions	641	5	9				„ Medical Comforts	301	13	11			
„ Out-Patients' Fees	187	8	6				„ Drugs, Surgical Instruments, &c. ...	504	11	6			
„ Sale of Refuse and Sundries	19	2	0				„ Bedding, Clothing and General Outfit..	234	1	1			
„ Government <i>re</i> Lunatics	87	5	0				„ Printing, Advertising and Stationery ..	94	1	1			
„ Transferred from Endowment Fund	3000	0	0				„ Collector's Salary	85	8	4			
„ Sundries	109	16	9				„ Collector's Commission	57	11	5			
							„ Funeral Expenses	36	12	6			
				8782	12	4	„ Supervision, Medical Staff, &c. ...	828	19	9			
							„ Wages of Servants and Attendants ..	1435	2	5			
							„ Sanitation	43	9	0			
							„ Interest	25	10	6			
							„ Insurance	43	17	2			
							„ Other Expenses	109	1	2			
								6594	15	4	189	2	11
„ Bank Overdraft, 30th June, 1898 ..	1650	12	5				„ Bank Overdraft from 1896-97	3444	19	9			
„ Cheque outstanding, No. 49756	0	16	5				„ Cash transferred to Endowment Fund	192	16	2			
							„ Cheque 49587, not presented	1	2	0			
							„ Donation to Typhoid Tent	11	5	0			
				£10434	1	2		£10244	18	3	£189	2	11

(Signed) CHAS. SHANNON, Acting Hon. Treasurer.
A. J. REILLY, Secretary.

Audited and found correct,
(Signed) JOHN A. WHITFIELD, } Licensed Auditors.
A. J. YOUNG, }

Geelong, 11th July, 1898.

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Dr. RESERVE and ENDOWMENT FUND for the Year ended 30th June, 1898. Cr.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1897.						
July 1—To Amount brought forward ..	4554	0	11			
„ Cash	172	4	2			
„ Proceeds 2 Bank of Victoria Shares sold	20	12	0			
„ 2 Colonial Bank Preference Shares	3	12	0			
„ Deferred Colonial Bank Deposit Receipts	53	12	6			
				4804	1	7
„ Interest to General Account ..				14	11	1
				£4818	12	8
1898.						
July 1—Amount to Credit of Fund ..	£1804	1	7			

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1898.						
June 30—By Amount on Fixed Deposit Bank of Australasia ..	252	10	0			
„ Amount of Government Inscribed Stock	100	0	0			
„ 2 Colonial Bank Preference Shares, present value ..	3	12	0			
„ Deferred Colonial Bank Deposit Receipts	53	12	6			
				1394	7	1
„ Balance at Bank				1394	7	1
				1804	1	7
„ Amount transferred to General Account	3000	0	0			
				3000	0	0
„ Interest to General Account..	14	11	1			
				14	11	1
				£4818	12	8

(Signed) CHAS. SHANNON, Acting Hon. Treasurer,
A. J. REILLY, Secretary.

Geelong, 11th July, 1898.

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MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT CURRENT.

ASSETS.				LIABILITIES.				MAINTENANCE.
1898.			£ s. d.	1898.			£ s. d.	
June 30—	Firewood in Stock	.. ..	38 0 0	June 30—	Bank Overdraft	.. ..	1650 12 5
	Stock of Goods in Matron's Store	.. ..	220 0 0		Unpaid Accounts	.. ..	437 11 7
	Stock of Goods in General Store	.. ..	109 3 0		Outstanding Cheque	.. ..	0 16 5
	Drugs, &c.	... ..	168 7 3				
	Surgical Appliances	.. ..	180 0 0				
	Revenue from Investments for ensuing year	.. ..	206 0 0				
	Brandy in Bond	.. ..	81 0 0				
	Balance	.. ..	1086 10 2				
			£2089 0 5				£2089 0 5	

E. & O. E.
Geelong Hospital, July 8th, 1898.

A. J. REILLY,
Secretary.

We have examined the Accounts and Books, and verified the Securities and Policies of the Geelong Infirmary and Benevolent Asylum (Incorporated), for the year from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898, and hereby certify that the same are correct, and truly set out the financial condition of the Institution, its income from all sources and its expenditure on all accounts.

The Balance Sheets to which we have appended our signatures are correctly made up from the books of the Institution, and truly represent the contents of the same, and the financial position of the Geelong Infirmary and Benevolent Asylum (Incorporated).

(Signed) JOHN A. WHITFIELD, } Licensed Auditors.
A. J. YOUNG, }

STATISTICAL STATEMENT.

Return showing the number of Hospital Patients treated for each Disease in the Geelong Infirmary who were Discharged and who Died during the Year ended 30th June, 1898; also the Aggregate Number of days they were in Hospital.

CLASS, SUB-CLASS AND DISEASE.	Discharged (not including Deaths.)		Died.		Total Discharged & Died (Both Sexes.)	Aggregate number of days in Hospital. (Both Sexes.) Discharges & Deaths only.	CLASS, SUB-CLASS AND DISEASE.	Discharged (not including Deaths.)		Died.		Total Discharged & Died. (Both Sexes.)	Aggregate number of Days in Hospital. (Both Sexes.) Discharges & Deaths only.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.				Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.		
I.—SPECIFIC FEBRILE OR ZYMOTIC DISEASES.							IV.—CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES.						
SUB CLASS 1.—Miasmatic Diseases.							1 Rheumatic Fever, Rheumatism of Heart ... 6 8 ... 14 587						
1 Measles ... 2 ... 2 20							2 Rheumatism ... 24 27 ... 51 1041						
2 Scarlet Fever ... 1 ... 1 38							3 Cancer, Malignant Disease ... 14 4 3 2 23 541						
3 Influenza ... 14 11 ... 25 438							4 Phthisis ... 8 6 1 1 16 636						
4 Diphtheria ... 54 40 2 3 99 1312							5 Other Forms of Tuberculosis, Scrofula, &c. ... 17 11 ... 28 941						
5 Simple Continued Fever ... 1 4 ... 5 148							6 Anæmia, Chlorosis, Leucocythæmia ... 1 6 ... 7 201						
6 Typhoid ... 38 31 3 3 75 3125							7 Diabetes Mellitus ... 2 ... 2 50						
TOTAL SUB-CLASS I. ... 107 80 5 6 207 5090							TOTAL CLASS IV. ... 70 40 4 3 117 4060						
SUB CLASS 3.—Malarial Diseases.							VI.—LOCAL DISEASES.						
1 Ague ... 2 ... 2 53							SUB-CLASS 1.—Diseases of the Nervous System.						
TOTAL SUB CLASS 3. ... 2 ... 2 53							1 Inflammation of the Brain or its Membranes ... 8 4 ... 12 97						
SUB CLASS 5.—Venereal Diseases.							2 Apoplexy ... 4 ... 1 5 203						
1 Syphilis ... 1 ... 1 41							3 Paralysis ... 3 2 1 ... 6 130						
2 Gonorrhœa, Stricture of Urethra ... 4 ... 4 88							4 Insanity (General Paralysis of Insane) ... 21 10 1 ... 32 315						
TOTAL SUB CLASS 5. ... 4 1 ... 5 129							5 Convulsions ... 2 ... 2 30						
SUB CLASS 6.—Septic Diseases.							6 Paraplegia, Diseases of Spinal Cord ... 10 6 1 ... 17 345						
1 Puerperal Fever (Peritonitis) ... 2 ... 2 29							7 Diseases of Brain (unspecified) including Congestion ... 8 2 ... 10 37						
TOTAL SUB CLASS 6 ... 2 ... 2 26							TOTAL SUB CLASS 1. ... 54 26 3 1 84 1256						
TOTAL CLASS I. ... 113 111 5 6 216 5301							SUB-CLASS 2.—Diseases of the Organs of Special Sense.						
III.—PARASITIC DISEASES.							1 Otitis, Otorrhœa ... 3 ... 3 103						
1 Hydatids ... 6 1 ... 7 293							2 Ophthalmia and Disease of Eye ... 6 10 ... 16 202						
TOTAL CLASS II. ... 6 1 ... 7 293							TOTAL SUB-CLASS 2 ... 14 10 ... 19 365						
							SUB-CLASS 3.—Diseases of the Circulatory System.						
							1 Endocarditis Valvular Disease ... 12 6 2 ... 20 585						
							2 Hypertrophy of Heart ... 4 ... 4 48						
							Forward ... 10 6 2 ... 24 633						

STATISTICAL STATEMENT.—Continued.

CLASS, SUB-CLASS AND DISEASE.	Discharged (not including Deaths.)		Died.		Total Discharged & Died (Both Sexes.)	Aggregate number of Days in Hospital. (Both Sexes.) Discharges & Deaths only.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.		
Forward ...	16	6	2	...	24	633
3 Angina Pectoris ...	...	12	...	...	2	22
4 Aneurism ...	1	...	1	...	2	99
5 Varicose Veins ...	5	6	...	...	10	344
6 Diseases of Heart (unspecified) ...	...	2	...	...	3	72
TOTAL SUB-CLASS 3 ...	22	16	3	...	41	1176
SUB-CLASS 4.—Diseases of the Respiratory System.						
1 Croup, Ordinary and Undefined ...	1	1	...	...	2	26
2 Asthma, Emphysema ...	4	...	1	...	5	418
3 Bronchitis ...	9	3	...	2	14	355
4 Pneumonia ...	9	2	3	1	15	557
5 Pleurisy ...	11	10	...	...	21	568
6 Disease of Lungs (unspecified) ...	...	...	...	1	1	26
TOTAL SUB-CLASS 4 ..	34	16	4	4	58	1980
SUB-CLASS 5.—Diseases of Digestive System						
1 Stomatitis ..	1	2	...	...	3	69
2 Sore Throat, Quinsy ...	3	1	...	...	4	39
3 Hematemesis ..	1	1	...	...	2	108
4 Diseases of Stomach ...	11	12	...	...	23	508
5 Enteritis ...	12	7	...	...	19	308
6 Stricture or Strangulation of Intestine ...	1	1	...	...	2	128
7 Hernia ...	6	2	...	...	8	237
8 Fistula ...	1	1	...	...	2	28
9 Peritonitis ...	11	2	...	2	15	362
10 Ascites ...	1	2	...	...	3	120
11 Gallstones ...	...	3	...	...	3	53
12 Cirrhosis of Liver ...	5	1	1	...	7	160
13 Others ...	4	2	...	...	6	144
TOTAL SUB-CLASS 5 ...	57	37	1	2	97	2265
SUB-CLASS 6.—Diseases of the Lymphatic System and Ductless Glands.						
1 Diseases of Lymphatic System ...	...	1	...	...	1	5
2 Diseases of Spleen ...	1	...	...	...	1	48
3 Bronchocele ...	1	...	...	...	1	6
TOTAL SUB-CLASS 6. ...	2	1	...	...	3	59
SUB-CLASS 7.—Diseases of the Urinary System.						
1 Nephritis ...	4	2	...	1	7	186
2 Bright's Disease ...	4	...	...	...	4	62
3 Uremia ...	1	...	1	...	2	10
4 Calculus ...	2	...	...	...	2	90
5 Hematuria ...	2	...	...	...	2	61
6 Diseases of Bladder and of Prostate ...	10	...	3	...	13	411
7 Disease of Kidney (unspecified) ...	2	3	...	...	5	95
TOTAL SUB-CLASS 7. ...	25	5	4	1	35	915
SUB-CLASS 8.—Diseases of the Organs of Generation.						
1 Ovarian Disease ...	...	2	...	...	2	60
2 Diseases of Uterus and Vagina ...	...	23	...	...	23	405
3 Pelvic Abscess ...	1	3	...	...	4	403
4 Perineal Abscess ...	3	...	...	...	3	49
5 Diseases of Testes Penis, Scrotum, &c. ...	8	...	...	...	8	220
TOTAL SUB-CLASS 8 ...	12	28	...	...	40	1137
SUB-CLASS 10.—Diseases of the Organs of Locomotion.						
1 Caries, Necrosis ...	1	1	...	...	2	53
2 Arthritis, Ostitis, Periostitis ...	34	8	...	...	42	1231
TOTAL SUB-CLASS 10 ...	35	9	...	...	44	1284
SUB-CLASS 11.—Diseases of the Integumentary System.						
1 Carbuncle ...	3	1	...	...	4	108
2 Phlegmon, Cellulitis ...	17	5	...	...	22	634
3 Lupus ...	...	1	...	...	1	29
4 Ulcer, Bedsore ...	7	3	...	...	10	248
5 Eczema ...	3	4	...	...	7	218
TOTAL SUB-CLASS 11 ...	30	14	...	...	44	1232
TOTAL CLASS VI. ...	285	162	15	8	465	11664
VII.—VIOLENCE.						
SUB-CLASS 1.—Accident or Negligence.						
1 Fractures, Contusions ...	64	8	2	...	74	327
2 Cuts, &c. ...	31	4	...	...	35	538
3 Burn, Scald ...	5	6	1	...	12	629
4 Poison ...	...	1	...	...	1	2
5 Drowning ...	1	1	...	...	2	6
TOTAL SUB-CLASS 1 ...	101	20	3	...	124	3502
TOTAL CLASS VII. ...	101	20	3	...	124	3502
VIII.—ILL-DEFINED AND NOT SPECIFIED CAUSES.						
1 Dropsy ...	1	...	...	...	1	32
2 Debility, Atrophy, Inanition ...	13	16	1	...	20	1137
3 Abscess ...	9	4	1	...	14	263
TOTAL CLASS 8 ...	23	20	2	...	35	1432
GRAND TOTAL ...	593	323	29	17	962	20219

GAVIN McCALLUM, M.B., C.M., Resident Surgeon.

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	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.		
VIII.—ILL-DEFINED AND NOT SPECIFIED CAUSES.						
1 Debility, Atrophy, Inanition	22	8	13	0	52	47026
TOTAL CLASS 8.	22	8	13	0	52	47026
GRAND TOTAL	22	8	13	0	52	47206

GAVIN McCALLUM, M.B., O.M., *Resident Surgeon.*

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Table Showing the Cost per head for Daily Average of In-Patients and Inmates, estimated Cost of Out-Patients, and separate Expenditure on In-Patients and Inmates, Management and New Buildings, for the Eight Years ended 30th June, 1898.

Daily Average.	MANAGEMENT.				IN-PATIENTS AND INMATES.												SUBDIVISION OF EXPENDITURE.						NEW BUILDINGS, &C.																							
	Salaries and Wages.		Collection Expenses.		Provisions.			Fuel and Light.			Medical Comforts.			Medicines.			Clothing, Bedding and Drapery.			Printing, Advertising and Stationery.			Fittings and Furniture and Repairs to Buildings Chargeable to Maintenance.			Miscellaneous, Exclusive of Interest.			Cost per head for Daily Average of In-Patients and Inmates.			Cost of Management.			Cost of In-Patients and Inmates.			Cost of Out-Patients.			Fittings and Furniture and Repairs of Buildings not chargeable to Maintenance.			New Buildings.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.							
1890-91	11	11	10	17	2	12	9	4	4	2	11	17	6	1	8	6	1	15	11	16	0	1	14	5	1	3	9	36	17	4	1954	0	3	8838	12	0	212	0	4				238	3	7	
1891-92	12	5	2	16	2	12	7	6	2	18	2	11	11	11	0	3	4	1	0	17	2	13	9	1	2	2	38	2	3	2076	12	1	8983	15	2	220	5	5	45	2	4	88	2	11		
1892-93	12	10	5	16	5	11	6	4	2	10	6	16	1	18	2	1	2	3	8	15	10	12	5	1	4	1	32	12	6	2077	6	4	3002	4	5	170	8	8	119	1	9	551	12	1		
1893-94	12	12	8	15	5	10	12	3	2	4	0	1	2	6	1	3	8	1	2	10	2	1	0	9	1	5	3	32	9	0	2126	7	10	3020	11	5	193	18	11	83	17	4	829	9	4	
1894-95	12	13	0	15	0	9	16	8	1	16	4	17	4	1	5	0	1	10	8	10	4	16	4	1	3	8	31	4	4	2211	19	3	2941	17	2	203	4	7	25	10	2	414	13	11		
1895-96	13	2	9	14	2	9	15	5	1	15	6	1	11	1	11	6	1	6	9	13	0	15	4	1	1	11	31	18	3	2169	9	2	3133	11	5	280	2	4	568	1	7	2104	19	5		
1896-97	13	8	4	15	1	10	17	9	2	5	7	17	10	1	7	6	2	3	4	16	7	1	0	2	1	12	0	85	4	2224	15	3	3648	10	2	209	10	8	238	15	4	1109	9	11		
1897-98	11	5	6	14	10	11	9	7	1	17	3	1	1	4	1	14	10	1	4	9	9	1	3	1	1	4	182	14	7	2174	16	10	4186	18	10	257	9	2	53	0	7	186	2	4		

It would appear from a perusal of the above figures that an increase has occurred in the average cost per head in the Medical Comforts and Medicines during the year under review. Such is not the case. The above calculations are arrived at by averaging the B.A. Inmates and Hospital Patients together. Eliminating the B.A. Inmates as not being of sufficient account to influence totals, and after debiting one-third of the Medicines, &c., to the Out-Patients' Department, it is found that the cost per head on daily average during the last 5 years for Inmates of the Hospital are as follows:—

<i>Medical Comforts:</i>		<i>Medicines:</i>	
Year	£ s. d. cost per head.	Year	£ s. d. cost per head.
1893-4	£3 10 3	1893-4	£3 19 1
1894-5	3 0 10	1894-5	4 7 1
1895-6	4 5 11	1895-6	4 12 0
1896-7	3 3 0	1896-7	4 18 0
1897-8	4 3 0	1897-8	3 13 5

Table of Principal Operations (Continued).

NATURE OF OPERATION.	No. of Cases.	DISEASE OR INJURY.	Relieved.	Unrelieved.	Died.	Still in Hospital.	REMARKS.
OPERATIONS ON EYE AND ITS APPENDAGES—							
Restoration of Eyelid	1	Cicatrix Eyelid .. .. .	..	1	..	..
Extraction of Lens	1	Senile Cataract	1	..	..	..
Excision of Globe	3	Traumatic Panophthalmitis	3	..	..	..
OPERATIONS ON THE EAR—							
Excision of Pinna	1	Rodent Ulcer	1	..	..	..
Mastoidectomy	1	Caries of Antrum .. .. .	..	..	..	1	
OPERATIONS ON PHARYNX AND TRACHEA—							
Removal	1	Pedunculated Chondroma Pharynx	1	..	..	..
Tracheotomy	1	Laryngeal Diphtheria .. .. .	..	..	1	..	
OPERATIONS ON THORAX—							
Paracentesis Thoracis	6	Pleural Effusion	6	..	..	..
Thoracotomy with Resection of Ribs	2	Empyema	2	..	..	..
	1	Pyopneumothorax .. .. .	..	1	..	..
OPERATIONS ON THE ABDOMEN—							
Paracentesis Abdominis	4	Ascites	4	..	..	..
Gastro-enterostomy	1	Pyloric Obstruction .. .. .	..	..	1	..	Murphy's Duct
Colostomy	2	Cancer of Rectum	1	..	1	..	Died 1 month
Hydatid Operations	1	Hydatid Abdominal Wall	1	..	..	..	after operation
"	2	Hydatid of Liver	2	..	..	..
"	1	Hydatid of Pelvis	1	..	..	..
Exploratory Laparotomy	4		..	4	..	..
Nephrotomy	1	Ruptured Kidney	1	..	..	..
Macewen's Radical Cure Operation	3	Inguinal Hernia	3	..	..	..
Radical Cure Operation	1	Femoral Hernia	1	..	..	..
Evacuation of Abscess	1	Perinephritic Abscess	1	..	..	..
OPERATION ON RECTUM AND ANUS—							
Incision with Erosion	1	Fistula in Ano	1	..	..	..
Crushing and Cauterization	2	Prolapse of Rectum	2	..	..	..
"	3	Hæmorrhoids	3	..	..	..
OPERATIONS ON THE BLADDER AND URETHRA—							
Suprapubic Aspiration	2	Retention of Urine	2	..	..	..
Lateral Perineal Lithotomy	2	Vesical Calculus	2	..	..	..
Median Perineal Cystotomy	1	Extravasation of Urine .. .. .	..	..	1	..	
External Urethrotomy	1	Pin in Urethra	1	..	..	..
OPERATIONS ON MALE GENERATIVE ORGANS—							
Circumcision	5	Phimosi	5	..	..	..
Tapping .. .. .	..	Hydrocele .. .. .	..	..	..	..	Numerous.
OPERATIONS ON FEMALE GENERATIVE ORGANS							
Curetting Uterus	9	Endometritis	9	..	..	..
Evacuation of Uterus	1	Adherent Placenta	1	..	..	..
"	1	Hydatidiform Mole	1	..	..	..
Perineorrhaphy	1	Ruptured Perineum	1	..	..	..
Excision of Cyst	1	Cyst of Round Ligament	1	..	..	..
	125		111	7	5	2	

Statement of the Number of In and Out-Patients and Benevolent Asylum Inmates treated in the respective years from the Foundation of the Geelong Infirmary and Benevolent Asylum.

Year.	In-Patients.	Benevolent Asylum Inmates.	Out-Patients.	Total.
1852	140	7	10	157
1853	344	11	20	375
1854	393	31	69	493
1855	372	50	169	591
1856	395	49	192	636
1857	459	52	349	860
1858	514	46	610	1170
1859	456	69	600	1125
1860	621	70	712	1403
1861	751	68	1632	2451
1862	765	66	1552	2383
1863	669	75	1648	2392
1864	685	94	2110	2889
1865	734	87	1830	2651
1866	793	112	1682	2587
1867	837	92	1630	2559
1868	849	122	1791	2762
1869	863	129	2334	3326
1870	905	114	2382	3401
1871	833	108	2717	3658
1872	730	119	2154	3003
1873	756	99	2095	2950
1874	852	157	2206	3215
1875	872	160	2320	3352
1876	985	165	2384	3534
1877	911	151	2385	3447
1878	878	153	2368	3399
1879	763	147	2447	3357
1880	816	147	2359	3322
1881	759	142	2510	3411
1882	618	143	2493	3254
1883	635	129	2044	2808
1884	665	131	2009	2805
1885	666	134	1922	2722
1887	677	153	1989	2819
1887-88 } 18 months }	1135	196	3323	4654
1888-89	816	166	1703	2685
1889-90	888	147	1666	2701
1890-91	749	155	1375	2279
1891-92	643	155	1537	2335
1892-93	546	143	1232	1921
1893-94	554	149	1449	2152
1894-95	596	157	1930	2683
1895-96	610	178	1952	2740
1896-97	651	181	1984	2816
1897-98	1022	175	2566	3763
	32171	5384	78441	115996

RETURN

SHOWING

Cases Treated and Payments Received from Patients, FROM 1877 TO 1898.

Year.	In-Patients.	Out-Patients.	Payments.
			£ s. d.
1877	880.	2385	184 19 1
1878	878	2368	187 8 6
1879	763	2447	157 0 3
1880	816	2359	103 17 9
1881	759	2510	175 15 2
1882	618	2493	169 6 5
1883	635	2044	241 15 10
1884	665	2009	413 16 7
1885	666	1922	327 11 1
1886	677	1989	218 19 0
1887-88			
18 Months } 1135	1135	3323	649 16 11
1888-89	816	1703	379 4 1
1889-90	888	1666	282 9 0
1890-91	749	1375	258 1 8
1891-92	643	1537	552 9 5
1892-93	546	1232	547 1 2
1893-94	554	1449	557 2 6
1894-95	596	1930	339 6 10
1895-96	610	1952	373 15 8
1896-97	651	1984	338 17 6
1897-98	1022	2566	828 14 3
Totals ...	15567	43243	7287 8 8

LIST OF LIFE GOVERNORS

Past and Present

(With the privilege of having One In-Patient and Four Out-door Patients always on the Books.)

<p>1854 Adams, John, Esq. (Deceased)</p> <p>„ Hope, G., Esq. „</p> <p>„ Nantes, Charles, Esq. „</p> <p>„ McMillan, J. G., Esq. „</p> <p>„ Officer, Robert, Esq. „</p> <p>„ Wilson, Sir Samuel „</p> <p>1856 Manifold, Messrs. J. & P. „</p> <p>1857 Gregory, J. A., Esq. „</p> <p>1861 Bell, William, Esq. „</p> <p>1865 Ormond, Francis, Esq. „</p> <p>1866 Thompson, John, Esq. „</p> <p>1875 Austin, Josiah, Esq. „</p> <p>1883 Branch, William, Esq. „</p> <p>1854 James Austin, Esq. „</p> <p>„ Cunningham, A. F., Esq. „</p> <p>„ Fyfe, A., Esq. „</p> <p>„ Murchie, Charles, Esq. „</p>	<p>1855 Learmonth, Messrs. T. & S.</p> <p>1859 Coppin, George, Esq.</p> <p>1860 McLaughlin, Donald, Esq.</p> <p>1862 Bannister, R. D., Esq.</p> <p>1864 Meakin, Henry, Esq.</p> <p>1870 Finlay, C. C., Esq.</p> <p>1873 Mack, Joseph, Esq.</p> <p>„ Ronald, Byron, Esq.</p> <p>1879 Reid, Miss Chrissie M.</p> <p>1885 Fagg, William, Esq.</p> <p>1887 Hague, George, Esq.</p> <p>1888 Sanderson, John, Esq.</p> <p>1889 Hanson, Alfred, Esq.</p> <p>1894 Smith, M. H., Esq.</p> <p>1895 Mrs. Aubrey Bowen.</p> <p>„ Mrs. S. Harding (Deceased)</p>
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LIFE SUBSCRIBERS

Past and Present

(With the privilege of having One In-Patient and Two Out-Door Patients annually on the Books.)

<p>1859 Holmes, Matthew, Esq.</p> <p>1862 Harrison, H. C. A., Esq.</p> <p>1867 Christy, A., Esq.</p> <p>1873 Bowen, Sir G. F., K.C.M.G.</p> <p>1877 Shaw, Thomas, Esq.</p> <p>1879 Austin, J., Esq. (Deceased)</p> <p>1883 Grecian, George, Esq.</p> <p>1884 Hanson, Alfred, Esq.</p> <p>1885 Stirling, William, Esq. (Deceased)</p> <p>1887 Davies, Sir M. H.</p> <p>1888 Brownlow, Chas., Esq.</p> <p>1889 Belcher, G. F., Esq.</p> <p>„ Austin, The Hon. Sidney, M.L.C.</p> <p>„ Dann, Thomas, Esq.</p> <p>„ Hill, James, Esq.</p> <p>„ Hitchcock, G. M., Esq.</p> <p>„ Howard, H. T., Esq.</p> <p>„ Humble, Wm., Esq.</p> <p>„ Mathews, James, Esq.</p> <p>„ Nicholson, Ward, Esq.</p> <p>„ Watts, Joseph, Esq. (Deceased)</p>	<p>1889 Brownlow, Chas., jun., Esq.</p> <p>1891 Wallace, Hon. D. S.</p> <p>1892 Ward, Mrs.</p> <p>„ Mathews, S., Esq.</p> <p>„ Hill, S., Esq.</p> <p>1893 Austin, Mrs. E. P.</p> <p>1894 Hodges, H. B., Esq.</p> <p>„ Harding, Mrs. S. (Deceased.)</p> <p>1895 Austin, F., Esq.</p> <p>„ Aitcheson, James, Esq.</p> <p>„ Anderson, W. R., Esq.</p> <p>„ Day, H. W., Esq.</p> <p>1896 Hill, Wm., Esq.</p> <p>„ Austin, Austin A., Esq.</p> <p>1897 Smith, Dr. S. M.</p> <p>„ Peebles, J. H., Esq.</p> <p>„ Gates, C. E., Esq.</p> <p>1898 Blakiston, J., Esq.</p> <p>„ Umphelby, Lieut. Col.</p> <p>„ Marsh, Hy., Esq.</p>
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LIST OF SUBSCRIPTIONS & DONATIONS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30th JUNE, 1898.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	
A.								
Australian Land Mortgage and Finance Co.	5	5	0		Blair, J.	1	0	0
Andrews, Mrs. S. L.	1	0	0		Bannister J., & Son	1	1	0
Aokland, J.	1	1	0		Bell, L. (per list)	2	4	6
Abraham, W.	1	1	0		Butt, G. H.	1	0	0
Anderson Bros.	1	0	0		Bleazby, R. (per list)	1	12	6
Armstrong, Howe & Co.	2	2	0		Brown, Jno.	1	1	0
Allen, J.	0	10	0		Brown, H. B.	1	1	0
Allin, B. A.	1	1	0		Brown, Jas.	0	10	0
Anderson, G.	1	1	0		Brown, T.	1	0	0
Austin, F.	10	0	0		Bannister, Josh., & Co.	1	1	0
Anderson, W.	0	10	0		Brearley, R. H., & Co. (per list)	2	5	0
Armstrong, Mrs. B. (per list)	5	10	6		Bayley, J. S.	1	0	0
Anderson, J.	1	0	0		Beek, A.	1	0	0
Admans, G.	1	1	0		Butterworth, J. T.	1	1	0
Aikman, A.	1	0	0		Bell, Mrs. M.	2	2	6
Allen, H.	1	0	0		Brame, Mrs.	0	10	0
Australian Portland Cement Co. (per list)	4	4	9		Brown, P. M.	0	10	0
A. B.	1	0	0		Brinsmead, H.	1	0	0
Armstrong, J.	1	5	0		Brown & Bossence	1	0	0
Anderson, P. O.	1	1	0		Blair, Mrs. J.	0	10	0
					Bell, J. C.	1	0	0
B.					Bayley, W. H.	1	0	0
Bradley, W. W.	1	1	0		Baum, J. G. E.	0	10	0
Bradley & Wiggs	1	1	0		Bingley, B.	1	0	0
Brammer, W.	1	0	0		Butt, J.	0	10	6
Banfield, J. H.	1	1	0		Browne, W. G.	1	1	0
Bright & Hitchcocks	5	5	0		Bell, J. (per list)	3	3	0
Baker, J., Junr.	1	1	0		Boyd, J.	1	0	0
Bennion, E.	1	1	0		Bell, A. S.	1	1	0
Baillieu, G. F.	1	1	0		Branch, J. W.	1	1	0
Baxter, J., & Son	1	0	0		Bell Bros.	1	1	0
Buckholtz, L.	0	10	0		Batten, T.	1	1	0
Box, W., & Sons	1	0	0		Brockwell, W. J.	0	10	0
Belcher, G. F.	1	1	0		Barnard W.	1	1	0
Baker, J.	1	0	0		Ball, J.	1	0	0

	£	s.	d.
Cotton, H.	0	10	6
Connor, Hon. J. H.	2	2	0
Clarke, A.	1	1	0
Chirnside, R. (per list)	6	18	0
Cargoes, J. M.	0	10	0
Cook, E. G. (per list)	1	2	0
Creer & Roberts	1	1	0
Cole, C., & Co.	1	1	0
Chaffey, Miss M.	1	1	0
Campbell, J.	1	0	0
Champion, Mrs.	0	10	0
Considine, Revd. T.	1	0	0
Cox, Rev. E. T.	1	1	0
Conway & Evans	1	1	0
Cozens, E. B. (per list)	1	3	0
Clutterbuck, A. C. S.	1	0	0
Collins Bros.	1	1	0
Clarke, R.	1	0	0
Conran, Mrs. L. C.	1	1	0
Cullen, Mrs.	0	10	0
Cornish, W.	0	10	0
Crabbe, H.	1	1	0
Calhoun, A.	1	1	0
Olee, J.	3	0	0
Capron, W. H.	1	1	0
Clarke, T.	1	0	0
Clement, R. D.	0	10	6
Curnow, W.	0	10	0
Collins, E.	1	0	0
Chirnside, A. S. (per list)	3	11	0
Curdie, Mrs.	1	1	0
Cuthbertson, J. L.	3	3	0
Coulston, Mrs. E.	0	10	0
Clarke, W. T.	1	0	0
Calvert, T.	0	10	0
Campbell, C. (per list)	2	4	9
Carr, J. G.	0	10	0
Campbell, A. L.	0	10	0
D.			
Dennys, Lascelles, Austin & Co.	5	5	0
Daniel, J.	1	1	0
Donaghy, M., & Sons	2	2	0
D'Helin, J. E.	1	1	0
Dardel, J. H.	1	0	0
Dalgety & Co.	5	5	0
Dickins & Sons	1	1	0
Dobie, T. M.	1	1	0
Davey, Mrs. R.	0	10	0
Devine, A., & Co.	1	0	0
Dick, J. M. (per list)	3	15	6
Douglass, F. M.	1	1	0
Deppeler, J. (per list)	10	9	6
Davidson, Revd. A.	1	0	0
Dickson, T. A.	1	0	0
Dear, J.	1	1	0
Deans, J.	1	0	0
Dally, J.	0	10	0
Drake, W. F.	0	10	0
Devlin, P.	1	1	0
Dean, D.	1	1	0
Davis, Mrs. R.	0	10	0
Dyke, A. A. D.	1	1	0
Ducker, W. F.	1	0	0
Drew Bros.	1	1	0
Day, Jas.	0	10	0
Denmead, W. H.	1	0	0
Douglass, H. P.	1	1	0
Dunn, P.	0	10	0

	£	s.	d.
Evans, H. F.	1	0	0
Edmundson, Mrs. E.	1	1	0
Egli, F.	1	0	0
Evans, T.	1	0	0
Ekins, C.	1	1	0
Estate late J. Bell (per Taylor, Buckland & Gates)	10	10	0
Everett, Jas.	1	0	0
Estate late J. Ware (per Taylor, Buckland & Gates)	5	5	0
Estate late G. Russell (per Taylor, Buckland & Gates)	8	0	0
Eastwood, Mrs S.	1	1	0
Elliott, A.	1	1	0
Elder, N. G.	1	0	0
Executors late J. L. Kinninmonth	5	0	0
Estate late D. M'Kinnon	12	16	0

	£	s.	d.
F.			
Faulkner, G. S.	1	1	0
Franks, H., & Co.	2	2	0
Fowler, D. (per list)	2	0	0
Freeman, B.	1	0	0
Fagg, S. H.	1	1	0
Fagg, W.	1	1	0
Flahive, W.	1	1	0
Ford, T.	1	0	0
Friend, per G. Martin	1	0	0
Fender, T.	1	0	0
Fraser, H.	0	10	0
Furze, T.	1	0	0
Fox, W.	0	10	0
Ford, J.	0	10	0
Fisher, J. W.	0	10	0
Fairbairn, G., & Sons (per list)	4	8	6
Fox, C.	1	1	0
Forrest, C. L.	1	0	0
Fowler, T. G.	1	1	0
Fairbairn, J.	0	10	0

	£	s.	d.
G.			
Gray, A.	2	2	0
Goodman, Revd. Canon	1	1	0
Gardiner, W.	1	1	0
Grigg, T. T.	1	0	0
Gardiner, G. (per list)	2	12	0
Geelong Gas Co.	5	5	0
Geelong Coursing Club (per H. B. Hodges)	5	13	0
Galland, F. B.	1	1	0
Gay, Wm. Yan (per list)	2	0	0
Gilbart, W. P.	1	1	0
Gladman, S.	1	0	0
Grateful	1	0	0
Green, J.	1	1	0
Gundry, W. R. (per list)	4	9	6
Gibson, E. W. (per list)	3	9	0
Gallop, G.	1	1	0
George, H.	0	10	0
Gleeson, M. J.	0	10	0

	£	s.	d.
H.			
Harvey, Dann & Co.	2	2	0
Holden, T.	1	1	0
Higgins, W.	2	2	0
Higgins, W. H.	0	10	0
Hobbs, J.	1	0	0
Humble & Nicholson	2	2	0
Humble, W.	1	0	0

	£	s.	d.
McInness, R.	1	0	0
McKenzie, G.	0	10	0
McNamara, J. (per list)	4	4	6
McKenna, W.	1	1	0
McCarthy, N. T.	1	0	0
McDonald, A. (per list)	3	2	6
McHarry, D.	1	0	0
McGregor, W. M.	1	1	0
McCann, P.	1	1	0
McDonald, Allan	1	0	0
McHarry & Co. (per list)	2	0	0
McLaughlin, Mrs.	0	10	0
McWilliam, J. A.	0	10	0
McKenzie, J.	1	1	0
McDonald, J.	0	10	0
McDonald, P.	1	0	0
McDonald, R.	1	1	0
McAdam, G. (per list)	1	0	0
McKay, S.	1	1	0
McDonald, D.	0	10	0
McIntyre, P. (per list)	7	6	0

N.

Nash, W.	1	1	0
Nicol, Jas.	1	1	0
Newman, Dr. F. J.	1	1	0
Nall, Rev. J.	0	10	6
Nicol, Jno.	1	0	0
Norris, Insp. J.	1	7	0
Noble, R. W.	1	0	0
Neylon, M.	2	2	0

O.

O'Brien, D.	1	0	0
O'Brien, Revd. E.	1	1	0
O'Donovan, J.	1	1	0
Osborne, W. D.	0	10	0
O'Halloran, D.	0	10	0
O'Meara, P.	0	10	0

P.

Peterson Bros.	1	0	0
Peters, T.	1	0	0
Price, J. & A.	1	1	0
Pattinson, J.	1	1	0
Purdie, J.	1	1	0
Price, J. L.	1	1	0
Parker, T. J.	1	1	0
Pizer, S.	1	0	0
Pettit Bros.	1	0	0
Price, T. L.	0	10	6
Pullen, J.	0	10	6
Pacey, Mrs. E.	0	10	0
Patterson, G. W. F.	1	1	0
Pride, Mrs. M.	1	1	0
Piper, R.	0	10	0
Polley, R. B.	1	0	0
Parsons, J. & Sons	1	1	0
Phillips, J.	1	0	0
Pincott, F. R.	1	1	0
Parsons, Jas.	1	0	0
Parsons, C. A.	1	1	0
Phelan, P.	1	0	0
Pownall, S.	1	0	0
Polley, D.	0	10	0
Paterson, P.	1	0	0
Peel, W. (per list)	1	2	6
Parker & Murphy	1	1	0

	£	s.	d.
Polkinhorn, W.	1	0	0
Parker, J. H.	1	1	0
Pacey, Dr. F. J.	1	1	0

Q.

Quinn, Miss	0	10	6
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R.

Randall, J.	1	0	0
Richardson, W.	1	0	0
Robertson, J., & Son	1	0	0
Robertson, C. J.	1	0	0
Rollins, J.	0	10	6
Robinson, Burns & Sparrow	1	1	0
Richardson, A.	0	10	0
Richardson, H. F.	1	1	0
Richards, J.	0	10	0
Ricketts, A.	1	10	0
Rees, P.	0	11	0
Rees, J.	0	10	6
Ritchie, C.	1	1	0
Roebuck, R. H.	1	1	0
Russell, P. (per N. Campbell)	5	5	0
Roebuck, H. G.	1	1	0
Rutherford, Mrs.	1	0	0
Roche, Tompsitt & Co.	1	1	0
Richardson, L. E.	1	0	0
Ritchie, R.	1	1	0
R. B. W.	1	1	0
Russell, Mrs. P.	1	0	0
Russell, T. (per list)	7	8	6
Russell, Miss J. (per list)	10	0	6
Reid, S. (per list)	2	13	0
Russell, J. (per list)	9	2	6
Ritchie, G. (per list)	1	0	0
Ryan, W.	1	0	0
Rylah & Co., W. S.	0	10	6
Reid, Miss E.	1	1	0
Robinson & Douglass	1	1	0

S.

Storrer, H. J. H.	1	1	0
Strong & Bros., J.	1	1	0
Storrer, C. P.	1	1	0
Slattery, D.	2	2	0
Stephen, G. A.	1	1	0
Stoneman, Mrs. T.	1	1	0
Shang, Mow	1	0	0
Stewart, W.	1	1	0
Smith & Sons, W. H.	1	1	0
Sichlau, E. T.	1	1	0
Smith, Dr. S. M.	1	0	0
Sharpe, D. G.	1	0	0
Summerfield, W.	1	0	0
Semple, R.	1	0	0
Smith, D.	1	1	0
Sanders, J.	1	0	0
Sennett, E. H.	1	0	0
Spiller, T.	1	1	0
Scullin, N.	0	10	0
Sutterby, H. T.	1	0	0
Spier, W. H.	1	0	0
Shannon, C.	1	1	0
Sinclair, Revd. J.	1	0	0
Saywell, H.	1	0	0
Sissons, W.	1	0	0
Strachan, G. F.	1	0	0
Stewart, J.	0	10	0

	£	s.	d.
Small, Dr. J.	1	1	0
Schroeter, H.	1	0	0
Stout, J.	1	1	0
Sinclair, Mrs.	1	0	0
Smith, H. P. (per list)	1	13	0
Scott, Mrs. M. J.	1	1	0
Shrimpton & Strong	1	1	0
Strachan, Murray, Shannon, Propriety Coy.	4	4	0
Stone, J.	1	0	0
Steadman, G. W.	1	1	0
Sunshine (per G. Martin)	1	5	0
T.			
Trait, J. J.	1	1	0
Thackrah, W.	1	1	0
Thornton, G.	0	10	6
Thewlis, J.	1	0	0
Thacker, H.	1	0	0
Taylor, J. C. & Sons	1	1	0
Thatcher, G.	1	1	0
Thacker, B. C.	1	0	0
Tombs & Durran	2	2	0
Tann, W. & J.	1	1	0
Trebilcock, R.	1	1	0
Taylor, Buckland & Gates	5	5	0
Toyne, J.	1	0	0
Tucker, C.	1	0	0
Taylor, W.	1	0	0
Thorne, G. T.	1	1	0
Tully, W. (per list)	1	0	0
Thomas, M.	1	1	0
U.			
Underwood, Mrs.	1	1	0
V.			
Vines, J.	1	1	0
Van Norden, J. L.	1	1	0
Vagg, G.	1	0	0
Vera	1	1	0
Volum, W. F. (per list)	2	16	6
Vicars, H.	1	0	0

	£	s.	d.
W.			
Webb, Miss Una (per list)	1	12	6
Waderton, J.	1	0	0
Wallace & Co., A.	0	10	6
Webber & Son, J.	1	1	0
Wilcox & Bros., C	0	10	6
Webb, Revd. A.	1	0	0
Whyte, T. N.	1	1	0
Wertheim, Hugo	0	10	6
Wighton, J.	1	1	0
Whitelaw & Co. G.	1	1	0
Windmill, J. W.	1	0	0
White, A.	1	1	0
Wiltshire, G.	1	1	0
Walsh, Mrs.	1	1	0
Wall, M.	1	0	0
Willis, J. B.	1	0	0
Wilson, J.	2	2	0
Woods, J.	1	0	0
Wilson, J., Junr.	1	1	0
Webster Bros.	1	0	0
Willey, F.	1	1	0
Willey, A.	0	10	6
Wheadon, H. J.	1	0	0
Wellwood, Mrs.	1	1	0
Wellington Bros.	0	10	6
Wallace, W.	1	0	0
Willey, R.	1	1	0
Whyte, L. A.	1	1	0
Whalley, W. (per list)	2	6	6
Warrington, Mrs. H.	1	0	0
Whalley, J. (per list)	3	4	6
Walker, Capt. (Hinemoa)	2	0	0
Wallis, W. T.	1	0	0
W. R.	0	10	0
Woodward, Bros. (per list)	1	18	6
Walsh, Supt. J.	1	0	0
White, A. G.	0	10	0
Winchelsea Coursing Club, per H. M. Smith	0	12	0
Y.			
Young, A. J.	0	10	6
Young, S.	0	10	0

AMOUNTS UNDER 10/-

	s.	d.
Abley, W.	9	2
Jinks, J.	7	6
Bolstone, J. H.	7	6
Williams, G.	7	6
Hart, H.	7	6
Podbury, F.	7	6
Middleton, W.	7	6
Hillier, W.	6	0
Frauter, C.	6	0
McCurdie, J.	5	0
Weller, Mrs.	5	0
McLean, H.	5	0
Baxter, A.	5	0
Sprv, Mrs.	5	0
Lauder, C. W.	5	0
Robertson, R.	5	0
Hollahan, W.	5	0
Adcock, E.	5	0
Haines, Mrs.	5	0
Boland, A.	5	0
Waugh, J.	5	0

	s.	d.
Trump, Mrs.	5	0
Paeck, J. & P.	5	0
Field, Mrs.	5	0
Callender, W.	5	0
Scott, J.	5	0
Phipps, Mrs.	5	0
Daly, D. J.	5	0
Boyan, P.	5	0
Byers Bros.	5	0
Richardson, C.	5	0
Edney, W. H.	5	0
Dendle, J.	5	0
Gray, W.	5	0
Calhoun, Alex.	5	0
Allen, C.	5	0
McLean, W.	5	0
Jenkins, C.	5	0
Calhoun, J.	5	0
Leigh, J.	5	0
Calhoun, W.	5	0
Black, J.	5	0

	s.	d.		s.	d.
Baxter, J.	5	0	Day, Mrs.	5	0
Bonnett, J.	5	0	McNaughton, D.	5	0
Parsons, J.	5	0	Maxwell, W.	5	0
Bush, T.	5	0	Wilson, A.	5	0
Rainford, J.	5	0	Blackwell, A.	5	0
Pæsch, G.	5	0	Olive, W.	5	0
Sutherland, G.	5	0	Blair, W.	5	0
Larkins, T.	5	0	Ward, Mrs.	5	0
Field, J.	5	0	Tucker, H.	5	0
McIntyre, A.	5	0	Coyne, M. J.	5	0
Bond, Mrs.	5	0	Bourke, Mrs. T.	5	0
Loughron, W.	5	0	Salkeld, T.	5	0
Doherty, M.	5	0	Madden, J.	5	0
Swaby, J.	5	0	Monahan, T.	5	0
Carr, S.	5	0	Olney, J.	5	0
Milner, W.	5	0	Tepper, Miss	5	0
Harrower, W.	5	0	Castairs, D.	5	0
Guinane, P.	5	0	Otway, W.	5	0
Morris, S.	5	0	Henley, J. H.	5	0
Irving, J. W.	5	0	S.—	5	0
Walters, J. W.	5	0	Mitchell, H.	5	0
Heard, A.	5	0	Dillon, W.	5	0
Lamb, J. J.	5	0	Hunter, W.	5	0
Leigh, W.	5	0	Hendra, H.	5	0
Young, H.	5	0	McDowall, A. B.	5	0
Marendaz, F.	5	0	Hogan, P.	5	0
McDonald, D.	5	0	Gray, J.	5	0
Naylor, G.	5	0	Marchant, W.	5	0
Rodgers, G.	5	0	Cuddihy, R.	5	0
Pownall, G.	5	0	Moreillon, J.	5	0
Heal, W.	5	0	Woodman, J.	5	0
Johnson, A.	5	0	Larcombe, T.	5	0
Foster, W.	5	0	Gubby, J.	5	0
Heard, W.	5	0	McCartin M.	5	0
Woods, J.	5	0	Grellet, Mrs.	5	0
Huggett, T.	5	0	Caldow, J.	5	0
Henry, J.	5	0	Barclay, T.	5	0
Coogan, M.	5	0	Parsons, J.	5	0
Walker, S.	5	0	Winter, W.	5	0
Walker, G.	5	0	Decker, F.	5	0
Larcombe, W. H.	5	0	Cahir, M.	5	0
Ross, J.	5	0	Connor, K.	5	0
Honey, T.	5	0	Query	5	0
Willey, G.	5	0	Elliott, Mrs.	5	0
Fogarty, C.	5	0	O'Brien, H.	5	0
McGregor, H.	5	0	Charity, C. E.	5	0
Amiet, W.	5	0	Elmes, H.	5	0
Lamble, J.	5	0	Backwell, E.	5	0
Perkins, T.	5	0	Best, A. T.	5	0
Lowray, J.	5	0	Mockridge, Mrs.	5	0
Chambers, C.	5	0	Hobbs, H.	5	0
Bowman, G.	5	0	Walters, J.	5	0
Thompson, J.	5	0	Field, J.	5	0
Friend	5	0	Hall, E. J. & Sons	5	0
Breheny, Miss	5	0	D. W. — R.	5	0
Eustace, P.	5	0	Shepherd, F.	5	0
Moore, W.	5	0	Heagney, J.	5	0
Fuller, R.	5	0	X.Y.Z.	5	0
Bogan, M.	5	0	Carroll, T.	5	0
Friend	5	0	Ball, G.	5	0
Lewis, W.	5	0	Grass, H.	5	0
Vagg, L.	5	0	Eades, J.	5	0
Pittock, J. E.	5	0	Edwards, J.	5	0
Allin, W. R.	5	0	Patterson, J.	5	0
Renfrey, R. W.	5	0	Tait, Mrs.	5	0
Blyth, B.	5	0	Tadgell, C. J.	5	0
Hose, A.	5	0	Amounts under 5s.	26	14
McCallum, A.	5	0			

ENTERTAINMENTS.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Part Proceeds A.N.A. Fete, per F. S. W. Ashby	20	0	0	Proceeds of Collection at Encampment, Queenscliff, per Major J. Stanley	6	4	0
Net Proceeds Ball Beremboke, per J. Yearling	1	7	3	Proceeds of Bazaar, per Miss Price and others	3	10	0
Part Proceeds Anniversary Steiglitz Branch A.E.D.A., per A. Carnie	0	10	0	Proceeds of Concert and Ball, Lethbridge, per J. Woodman and T. Brosnan	6	6	0
Part Proceeds U.A.O. Druids' Fete, per W. Barnett	5	0	0	Proceeds Concert and Ball, Leigh Road, per J. G. Rawlings	10	0	0
Part Proceeds Ball at Lara, per Jas. Gillett	1	0	0	Proceeds Collection at Bicycle Race, per A. McRae	0	12	9
Proceeds Band Collection V.P.A. Queenscliff, per Col. C. E. Umphelby	21	1	10				
Proceeds Ball at Meredith, per Mr. Cahir	13	12	0				

SOCIETIES.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Eight Hours' Committee, Trades' Hall, Melbourne, per S. Harrison	10	0	0	Ashby and Geelong Yearly Provident Society, per J. F. Moore	1	0	0
Geelong Football Club, per C. Brownlow	5	5	0	Independent Order Rechabites, per H. Marsh	25	0	0
Ancient Order Foresters, Drysdale, per W. E. Thompson	1	1	0	Independent Order Oddfellows, per J. C. Smith	10	0	0
Steiglitz Miners' Association, per J. T. Gibney	5	0	0	National Division Sons of Temperance, per W. W. Bradley	5	0	0
				Steiglitz Branch A.N.A., per T. M. Scott	10	3	0

EMPLOYEES.

	(per list)	£	s.	d.		(per list)	£	s.	d.
Clyde Works	..	4	4	6	Harvey, Dann & Co.	..	1	9	0
J. Munday	..	3	0	6	Moolap Salt Works	..	1	8	0
Albion Woollen Mills	..	3	13	6	McCann's Quarries, Wauru Ponds	..	1	0	0
E. Hawksworth	..	0	9	6	J. W. Branch	..	1	10	6
M. Donaghy & Son	..	3	10	0	J. Webber & Son	..	1	1	6
Australian Paper Mills	..	3	14	0	Freezing Works	..	0	13	0
Union Woollen Mills	..	2	7	10	Volun Brewing Coy.	..	2	6	6

BANKS.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.		
Bank of Australasia	..	10	10	0	London Bank of Australia	..	5	0	0
.. .. New South Wales	..	10	0	0	Commercial Bank	..	3	3	0
Union Bank	..	5	5	0	Bank of Victoria	..	2	2	0
Colonial Bank	..	5	5	0					

BOXES.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.		
Box at Hospital	..	5	0	6	Box, per W. H. Denmead	..	0	3	5
.. .. Geelong Savings Bank	..	1	16	0					

MUNICIPAL GRANTS.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.		
Geelong Town Council	..	20	0	0	Meredith Shire	..	5	5	0
Queenscliff Borough	..	5	5	0	Mortlake	..	5	0	0
Winchelsea Shire	..	8	8	0	Bannockburn	..	3	0	0
Barrabool	..	4	0	0	South Barwon	..	2	2	0
Bellarine	..	10	0	0	Ballan	..	3	0	0
Hampden	..	15	0	0	Wyndham	..	3	0	0

LEGACIES.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Estate late Jno. Bogan, per J. L. Price ..	10	0	0	Estate late Jas. Noble, per J. Anderson			
" " J. Malourney, per Taylor,				and W. McMullen ..	10	0	0
Buckland & Gates ..	10	0	0	" " Jno. Donaghy, per J. H. Grey ..	100	0	0

CHURCHES PAID DIRECT TO HOSPITAL.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
St. John's Church of England, Portarlington,				Lutheran Church, per Revd. J. Hayer ..	4	0	0
per S. Mitchellhill ..	1	1	0	Presbyterian Churches, Moorabool, per Revd.			
Hospital Sunday Fund, per E. Morgan ..	0	10	0	A. Houston ..	6	11	0
Roman Catholic Churches, per Ven. Arch.				Presbyterian Church, Lismore, per E. Currie	5	10	0
Slattery ..	45	6	6	" " Leigh Road, per J. Bell	1	0	0
Presbyterian Church, Bellarine ..	1	14	6	" " Camperdown, per Revd.			
" " North Shore, per Mr.				Tait ..	1	9	6
Le Brocq ..	3	3	0	St. James' Church of England, Mortlake, per			
Lutheran Church, per Revd. Schultze ..	2	10	0	Revd. J. Wagg ..	1	15	6
Presbyrn. Church, Rylie St., per J. Nicol ...	6	5	0	St. John's Church of England, Kalora, per			
" " Connewarre, per R. Jones	0	19	0	Revd. J. Wagg ..	0	10	0
Churches of England, Marshalltown, Mt.				Hospital Sunday Fund, per H. B. Brown, Tr.	139	11	6
Duneeed & Connewarre, per Revd.				St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Queens-			
J. T. Winsor ..	2	0	9	cliff, per C. V. Crow ..	3	18	6
Wesleyan Churches, Yarra Street Circuit,							
per Revd. E. T. Cox ..	13	15	5				

GIFTS IN KIND.

Mrs. Hopton, 7 Cases Apples, 1 Case Pears.	1 Parcel Clothing, Mrs. Hope.
Dr. Marwood, 8 Medical Works for Nurses' Home.	Capt. Parsons, Gift of Fish.
Yarra St. Mission School, Flowers and Magazines.	Mr. Geo. Hambling, 1 Pair Crutches.
Package Old Linen, Mrs. S. T. Leigh.	Mr. Alexr. Gray, Illustrated Papers.
Mrs. Kurzman, 5 Tons Firewood.	Mr. Ashome, 1 Case Apples.
Dr. Small, Parcel Books.	Mrs. Lindon, C. E. Grammar School, 2 Bags Boots.
Mr. H. Francis, Parcel Books.	Mrs. Sidney Austin, New Woollen Underclothing.
Presbyterian Ch., Queenscliff, 1 Box Chrysanthemums.	

LIST OF CHRISTMAS GIFTS, 1897.

William Fagg, £1.	Alfred Clark, 1 Tin Biscuits, 1 Tin Lollies.
F. Lawson, 5s.	W. N. Richardson, 2lb. Tea.
Robinson, Burns & Sparrow, £2 2s.	J. & A. Price, 1 Dozen Jams.
His Worship the Mayor and W. R. Wilson, £20.	H. J. H. Storrer, 1 Dozen Jams.
J. Horwood, 5s.	A. Wallace & Co., Muscatels.
J. H. Gray, £5	I. W. Bailey, 1 Dozen Pickles.
J. Daniel, £2.	E. McKenna, Tea and Sugar.
Mrs. J. Hope, £1.	W. Reid, 100lbs. Flour.
Mrs. Hourigan, Pair of Geese.	Harvey, Dann & Co., 50lbs. Flour.
A. Miller, £4.	W. Stewart & T. F. Murray, Cake.
G. Ashmore, 1 Case Potatoes, 1 of Green Apples and	E. J. Hooper & Co., Ham.
1 Bundle Rhubarb.	C. P. Storrer, Ham.
H. Leigh, 1 Case Cherries.	W. H. Potter & Co., Wartzki & Friedman, Pipes.
John Ross, 1 Case Cherries.	J. T. Thorne, W. McMullen & Co., R. Clarke & Co.,
Cassamento & Antonio, 1 Case Mixed Fruit.	W. S. Rylah and D. Walker, Tobacco.
R. W. Dalton, 2 Cases Cherries	Friend, Box Christmas Cards.
L. Stinton, 1 Case Cherries.	T. J. Tansey, Decoration Cards.
C. A. Bedgood, 1 Case Cherries and 1 Case Potatoes.	Parker & Murphy, Art Muslin.
H. F. Richardson, 2 Cases Fruit.	Fenwick Baptist G.E., per Miss Gould, Box Toys.
M. Colliger, 1 Case Green Apples.	J. J. Trait, 12 Dozen Atrated Waters.
Sergt. Steel, Vegetables.	Hodges Bros., 36 Gallons Beer.
Mrs. F. Herd, Bag Peas.	Ballarat Brewing Co., per A. Tulloch, 6 Dozen Bottled
G. Whitelaw & Co., 1 Tin Lollies.	Ale.
E. Kenny & Co., 1 Tin Biscuits.	W. Shaw, Loan of Crockery and Cutlery.
A. H. Jones & Co., 1 Tin Lollies.	W. Stewart, Loan of Crockery and Cutlery.
Swallow & Ariell, 28lb. Biscuits.	H. McGregor, Loan of Flags.
Mrs. G. Burnett (Anakie), 6lb. Raisins, 6lb. Currants,	His Worship the Mayor, Evergreens and Loan of Pot
12lb. Lollies, 2lb. Tobacco,	Plants.

	£	s.	d.
Per Mr. A. S. CHIRNSIDE, Koort Koort Noug:—			
T. Lane, C. Cook, A. Bone, W. Podgers, J. McLenan, M. Purcell, A. Rook, W. Erlund, T. Jellie, G. McKenzie, J. Jackson, H. Brewis, J. Murray, R. Holloway, K. McKenzie, A. Patterson, A. McLaren, H. Collins, G. Hawes, W. Galbraith, T. McMurrick, E. Harding, each 2s. 6d.	2	15	0
R. Scott, P. Noonan, G. Douglas, R. Jaffe, W. Stone, W. Bradshaw, each 2s.	0	12	0
D. Jones, J. Sissons, A. McIntyre, J. Lawrence, each 1s.	0	4	0
	£3	11	0

	£	s.	d.
Per MESSRS. COLLINS BROS.:—			
J. Lawler, R. Dunn, John Oliver, each 2s. 6d.	0	7	6
Lester Lawson, R. Dowie, Lester McDonald, each 2s.	0	6	0
J. Pany	0	1	6
Mrs. Topen, A. Smith, J. Duckworth, Mrs. Davey, Mrs. Fox, M. Lawton, M. Young, A. Levinson, E. Kinsella, — McCarthy, S. Gibbs, A. O'Shaney, A. McDonald, Miss M. McDonald, Mrs. Kennedy, E. R. Winnicott, J. Hinchcliff, R. Topen, A. Ryan, P. Guggenheimer, P. McFarland, P. Turley, Mrs. Townsend, S. Blackburn, Mrs. Bun. A. Cleit, H. Holden, Mrs. Cary, — Woods, Mrs. Moye, each 1s.	1	10	0
J. McPherson, A. McDonald, Mrs. Moran, R. Wallace, S. Harvey, each 6d.	0	2	6
G. Horman	0	0	4
	£2	7	10

	£	s.	d.
Per Mr. E. COOK:—			
E. Cook	0	4	0
W. Saures, A. G. Gibson, H. Howarth, W. Grix, each 2s.	0	8	0
T. Griffin, T. C. Kettle, A. Doherty, E. O'Keefe, W. H. Hillier, P. Cole, F. Foote, J. G. Lewis, D. Findlay, J. Treves, each 1s.	0	10	0
	£1	3	0

	£	s.	d.
Per Mr. E. B. COZENS:—			
E. B. Cozens	1	0	0
F. Torchie, A. Marimo, W. Butcher, each 1s.	0	3	0
	£1	0	0

	£	s.	d.
Per Mr. J. M. DIK:—			
Jas. Dick	0	7	6
W. L. Berryman	0	3	0
W. Findlay, J. McKenzie, G. McKinlay, J. Fallow, W. Tonie, W. Dutton, T. Oke, W. A. Kitchen, each 2s. 6d.	1	0	0
J. Binnie, J. Fazakerly, J. J. Anderson, M. J. Curlett, R. Bowman, A. Carmichael, A. A. Cook, G. Wilson, J. Cahill, J. Hudson, J. Fargie, J. Wakefield, T. Collopy, R. Floyd, W. Doig, T. James, A. Stevenson, each 2s.	1	14	0

	£	s.	d.
J. Hucks, E. A. Dutton, J. Parker, R. Henderson, T. L. Walker, J. Colvin, J. McDonald, M. Hodgins, P. Haber- man, J. Powell, W. Barraclough, each 1s.	0	11	0
	£3	15	6

	£	s.	d.
Per Mr. WM. DILLON, Pomborneit:—			
William Dillon	0	5	0
	£0	5	0

	£	s.	d.
Per MESSRS. HARVEY, DANN & Co.:—			
T. Wiles, J. McGill, each 3s.	0	6	0
Frewen & Son, J. Heasman, each 2s. 6d.	0	5	0
J. Harvey, G. Powell, E. Thorley, J. Farley, Wm. Thorley, Steve O'Neil, T. McHugh, each 2s.	0	14	0
W. Cleave, C. Russell, J. Twigg, a Friend, each 1s.	0	4	0
	£1	9	0

	£	s.	d.
Per Mr. J. DEPPLE:—			
J. Deppeler, Ch. Craike, H. Muhlebach, J. H. Dardell, A. Thetaz, H. King, each £1	6	0	0
L. Pilloud, J. Hammerly, each 10s.	1	0	0
E. Weitneur, J. H. Dardell, jun., F. W. Brequat, Jules Favre, each 5s.	1	0	0
F. A. Marandaz	0	4	0
A. Damer	0	3	0
H. Bruhlacher, J. Barret, E. Junier, T. W. Notherwell, A. Ribaux, H. Hawkins, Ch. Ed. Vienet, A. E. Bel- frenoth, F. Imer, J. Gugger, S. Gugger, Louis Imer, C. Amert, R. Gugger, W. Birrid, Henry Fesgeli, G. Imer, each 2s. 6d.	2	2	6
	£10	9	6

	£	s.	d.
Per MESSRS. M. DONAGHY & SONS:—			
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Con. Yates, Wm. José, each 2s. 6d.	0	5	0
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J. Deegan, A. Hagger, F. Hagger, R. Maher, M. Donaghy, B. Knell, J. Sar- geant, R. Miller, J. Miller, each 6d.	0	4	6
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Office	0	7	6
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	£0	13	0

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J. F.	0	3	0
E. Fowler, M. Fowler, T. Linehan, P. Shannon, C. Berry, Sonny, each 2s. 6d. . .	0	15	0
W. Morgan	0	1	0
	£2	0	0

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Thos. H. Rutherford, Ethel Ferry, Jno. Connely, J. Ferry, each 5s. ..	1	0	0
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B. Twiner, M. Chapman, H. Pilloud, W. Jamison, Jas. Cabill, each 2s. ..	0	10	0
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	£4	8	6

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	£2	12	0

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J. T. Lloyd	0	10	6
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T. Canty, H. Grossman, A. McDonald, J. Doherty, each 2s. 6d. ..	0	10	0
J. Curtis, T. Eddington, each 2s. ..	0	4	0
P. Callaghan, J. White, R. Jones, J. Horman, G. Horman, D. McDonald, L. G., W. G., E. G., A. G., G. L., G. L., M. L., each 1s. ..	0	13	0
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	£3	9	0

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J. H. Higham	0	1	0
	£0	3	6

	£	s.	d.
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G. Kensella, junr., D. Cromer, each 2s. ...	0	4	0
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	£10	12	6

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	£1	0	0

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J. McDonald, M. Delahunty, A. McDonald, W. H. Balmain, T. C. McDonald, W. Millar, M. Tonkin, A. McIntyre, R. Lynch, C. Miller, Jno. O'Neil, J. Ward, T. Nicholl, H. Young, S. McDonald, Jno. McDonald, Jas. O'Neil, each 2s. 6d. ...	2	2	6
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	£3	2	6

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	£2	0	0

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P. Henry, M. Breen, A. Tribolet, each 10s.	1	10	0
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W. Newland, C. Jones, W. H. Curtis, L. Conroy, each 3s. ...	0	12	0
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L. McNeil, senr. ...	0	5	0
J. Richmond, L. McNeil, junr., Dan Neave, Houghton, Lander, Raynor, A. Campbell, W. Proctor, Tom Hann, Geo. Neave, Harry Bath, Wallace, John Johnson, Tom Maher, Joe Challis, each 2s. 6d. ...	1	17	6
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	£2	16	6

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V. Walker, A. Taylor, C. Golden, each 6d. ...	0	1	6
	£1	1	6

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	£3	4	6

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	£2	6	6

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	£2	0	0

EXTRACTS FROM BYE-LAWS.

OBJECTS.

Bye-Law No. 2.

That the objects of the Infirmary be to afford medical and surgical aid to poor persons requiring it; to a limited number of paying patients whose admission, under special circumstances, may be sanctioned by the Committee of Management; and for casualties; but no person who shall meet with casualties and shall be found able to pay for surgical aid shall receive further than temporary assistance. That the objects of the Benevolent Asylum be the reception of the poor and distressed, with a view to afford them consolation and assistance.

APPROPRIATION OF BUILDINGS.

Bye-Law No. 3.

That a portion of one of the buildings shall be set apart for the purpose of an Infirmary, and a portion for the purpose of the Benevolent Asylum, at the discretion of the Committee, who shall also be empowered to permit the reception of Lunatics on remand for medical examination in a ward erected for that purpose.

CONSTITUTION.

Bye-Law No. 4.

The Corporation shall consist of a President, two Vice-Presidents, Treasurer, Governors, and Contributors.

QUALIFICATION, DESIGNATION AND PRIVILEGES OF BENEFACTORS.

Bye-Law No. 5.

The following shall be the qualification, designation, and privileges of Governors, Contributors, and Honorary Collectors, viz. :—

£50, personal contribution in one year—Life Governor.

£20 " " " " Life Subscriber.

£50 Bequest under will, first named or acting executor (bequest under will) under such will. } Governor for one year.

£20 Society, Association, or Company collecting or paying in one year (to nominate for each £20 collected or paid). } Life Subscriber.

£1 and upwards, Minister of Church or Layman collecting in one year. } Honorary Collector.

£1 and upwards, yearly subscription—Contributor.

Provided always that no minister, congregation, association, society, company, or person shall nominate as a contributor or contributors any person or persons, the yearly subscription or subscriptions for whom shall be sought or intended to be paid out of moneys derived

from a public or private collection for Charitable purposes. Every firm or partnership subscribing may exercise their privileges through one of themselves to be nominated in writing by such firm, and the Trustees or Executors of every Estate subscribing may exercise their privileges through one of themselves to be nominated in writing by such Trustees or Executors, and every Public or Corporate Body subscribing may exercise their privileges through some person in their employ to be nominated in writing by such Public or Corporate Body. The power of voting by nominees at Annual or Special Meeting being limited to three votes for all they represent.

Bye-Law No. 6.

Life Governors will be entitled to recommend—

1 In and 4 Out-Patients (always on the books).

Life Subscriber—

1 In and 2 Out-Patients annually.

Governor for 1 year—

10 In and 20 Out-Patients.

Contributor—

1 In and 2 Out-Patients annually for each £1 subscribed.

Honorary Collector—

1 In and 2 Out-Patients annually for each £1 collected.

Bye-Law No. 7.

Recommendation shall be made by ticket and shall be only used for the recommendation of persons **unable** to pay for medical attendance; the reception of such persons shall be subject to the approval of the Committee of Management, and provided that the funds and the accommodation of the Institution admit of their reception. When recommendations cannot be acceded to, a ticket in lieu of that used shall be returned to the Subscriber. Tickets will be issued by the Secretary to Subscribers at the time of payment of subscriptions. Subscribers shall also have the privilege at any time, on application to the Secretary, of exchanging Out-Patients for In-Patients; and vice versa, one In-Patient's ticket being equivalent to three Out-Patients'.

Bye-Law No. 8.

Subscribers of £1 and upwards shall have full power to vote at all meetings from time of payment, and shall be deemed Annual Subscribers from date of payment.

Bye-Law No. 9.

At all Annual and Special Meetings of the Corporation, Life Governors shall have three votes; Life Subscribers and Annual Governors two votes; Annual Contributors of £5 5s. and upwards, three votes; £3 3s., two votes; £1, one vote; Honorary Collectors for whole amount collected in one year, one vote.

GENERAL MEETINGS.

Bye-Law No. 12.

An Annual Meeting of the Contributors shall be held on the Last Thursday in the month of July in every year for the following purposes:—

(1.) To receive the Report of the Committee of Management and Audited Statement of Receipts and Expenditure for the year to 30th June preceding.

(2.) For the election of President, Vice-Presidents, and Treasurer, Honorary Medical Staff, and Auditors for the ensuing year.

(3.) The election of Members of the Committee of Management to fill vacancies.

(4.) For the transaction of any business of which notice has been given, or that may arise at such meeting connected with the Institution.

Bye-Law No. 13.

If required by the Committee of Management or upon the requisition in writing of six members of the Committee, or of ten Contributors, the Secretary shall, without delay, convene a special meeting of the Contributors, the occasion of calling such meeting being stated in such requisition; and no business shall be transacted at such special meeting except that for which it shall have been summoned.

Bye-Law No. 14.

All meetings of Contributors shall be called by the Secretary by advertisement in one or more newspapers published in Geelong, for at least one week previous to such meeting.

Bye-Law No. 15.

At all meetings of Contributors, the President, or in his absence, one of the Vice-Presidents shall take the chair; but in their absence the meeting shall choose its own chairman, who shall have a casting vote only.

Bye-Law No. 16.

Ten Contributors entitled to vote shall constitute a quorum at all meetings of Contributors, and as soon as a quorum be present the chair shall be taken; but if no quorum is present within half-an-hour of the time named such meeting shall stand adjourned for the following week at the same day and hour.

Bye-Law No. 17.

Every question submitted to a General Meeting, and all elections shall be decided by a majority of votes of Governors and Contributors present entitled to vote, and shall be taken by a show of hands, unless a ballot shall have been previously demanded by any three persons entitled to vote, in which case the voting shall be by ballot, and for such purpose scrutineers shall be appointed before the ballot is taken; and such elections by ballot shall be held on such day and such place as the Committee shall have determined, and shall have notified by advertisement in one or more newspapers published in Geelong three clear days before the said general meeting; and at such ballot all Governors and Contributors who are entitled to and desire to vote, shall attend in their proper persons; and the poll shall be kept open from three o'clock p.m. to eight o'clock p.m., and the Committee shall make provision for the orderly conduct of such election, and for the proper counting of the votes, and the publication of the result.

ADMISSION OF PATIENTS INTO THE INFIRMARY.**Bye-Law No. 58.**

Accidents and such cases of decided emergency only as in the opinion of the Resident Surgeon cannot be delayed may be received in the Infirmary at any time without ticket; and the admission of patients, in ordinary cases recommended by Subscribers' tickets, shall be daily (Sundays excepted) between the hours of nine and twelve o'clock in the forenoon, by the Secretary and the Honorary Medical Staff for the week, or in the absence of such staff, by the Secretary and Resident Surgeon; such admission to be temporary, and subject to the approval of the House Committee at its next meeting.

ADMISSION OF PAYING PATIENTS.**Bye-Law No. 59.**

Paying patients may be admitted at the discretion of the House Committee, who shall fix the weekly rate to be charged to each patient, and in the event of an operation being necessary may fix a fee therefor, and may require the same to be paid in advance; and every person admitted on the ground of emergency to the benefits of the Institution, and able, in the estimation of the Committee, to pay, shall be required to do so at such rate as the Committee may determine. Each admission of a paying patient shall be reported to the General Committee at its next meeting, and shall be subject to confirmation.

Bye-Law No. 60.

The General Rules and Regulations of the Institution shall be applicable to, and be observed by all paying patients.

PERSONS NOT ADMISSIBLE:

Bye-Law No. 61.

No pregnant female for the purpose of confinement; no insane person, except on remand for medical examination in the Lunacy Ward; no one having a contagious or infectious disease; no one subject to epilepsy; nor any one, who, in the opinion of the Honorary Medical Staff for the week, or the Resident Surgeon, might receive equal benefit as an out-patient, shall be admitted; and no child under five years of age shall be admitted, except in cases of accidents or for a surgical operation; nor except under special circumstances shall patients be admitted from other district where Hospitals exist; provided that the House Committee or Officers of the Institution shall have discretionary power to admit such prohibited cases, and shall report upon the exercise of such power to the next general meeting of the Committee of Management.

ADMISSION OF INMATES INTO THE BENEVOLENT ASYLUM.

Bye-Law No. 62.

The admission of inmates into the Benevolent Asylum shall be restricted to those days in each week upon which the House Committee meets, when applications shall be considered and decided upon. No pregnant female for the purpose of confinement; no person insane; no child under twelve years of age; no one having a contagious or infectious disease, shall be admitted.

PAYMENT OF MAINTENANCE.

All patients will be expected to pay towards the actual expenses of their maintenance, so far as their circumstances may enable them; and all property found on patients who may die in the Hospital will be appropriated to defray the expenses of the maintenance and burial. The residue, if any, to be handed over to their legal representatives.

The Committee of Management shall appoint a sub-committee (with the concurrence of the Surgeon) which shall have power to discharge any patient in case of his refusal to pay; and shall have the further power to require (if necessary) patients to make a declaration before a Justice as to their means.