

THE
THIRD ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT
OF THE
BALLARAT DISTRICT HOSPITAL;

WITH THE
Rules and Regulations of the Institution;

A LIST OF ALL SUBSCRIPTIONS RECEIVED DURING THE YEAR 1859;

A
FINANCIAL STATEMENT,
AND
STATISTICAL TABLE OF CASES TREATED,
FROM 1st JANUARY TO 31st DECEMBER, 1859.

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Buxton, T.	Ochiltree, W. B.
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BALLARAT DISTRICT HOSPITAL

LIST OF SUBSCRIPTIONS

FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1859.

Anderson, A. ...	£2	2	0	Bell, E. C. ...	1	0	0
Abernethy, — ...	1	0	0	Baird, J. ...	2	2	0
Armstrong, G. ...	2	0	0	Bryan, D. ...	0	5	0
Armstrong, G., costs in case				Baird, S. ...	2	2	0
McKnight & Pennie v. Arm-				Bull, G. ...	2	0	0
strong ...	0	15	0	Barrett, J. ...	3	6	0
Anstis & Baker ...	2	2	0	Brady, J. ...	0	10	0
Ash & Dawson ...	2	2	0	Benson, W. ...	0	5	0
Antrobus, J. ...	2	0	0	Birdsey, C. ...	0	10	0
Anwyl Brothers ...	1	1	0	Brown, W. ...	0	10	0
Asher, A. ...	0	5	0	Baker, J. ...	0	10	0
Atkins, F. ...	0	5	0	Barrett, T. ...	0	10	0
Atkinson, J. ...	0	10	0	Burke, E. ...	9	0	0
Asher, W. ...	0	5	0	Bradley, E. ...	2	2	0
Allied Armies Company, Inker-				Bantock, D. ...	2	0	0
mann ...	11	18	6	Batz, G. ...	0	1	0
Ainley, — ...	1	0	0	Batwell, W. ...	0	2	0
Allan, R. ...	2	0	0	Buckley, M. ...	0	10	0
Ahern, M. ...	0	5	0	Booty, E. ...	1	0	0
Anderson Brothers ...	5	0	0	Burns, T. W. ...	0	10	0
Austin, T. ...	0	5	0	Bickford, Rev. J. ...	2	0	0
Amos, G. A. ...	2	2	0	Birch, E. ...	1	0	0
Anthony, T. W. ...	2	2	0	Binsted, G. E. ...	2	2	0
Allan, A. ...	0	5	0	Benefit at Chinese Theatre, half			
Atkins, F. ...	1	1	0	proceeds of, per W. H.			
Australasia, Bank of ...	15	0	0	Foster ...	8	15	0
Aldridge, E., per A. Drury ...	1	0	0	Burns, W. ...	2	0	0
"American Sailor," per Star				Brayshay & O'Donnell ...	2	2	0
Office ...	1	0	0	Bishop, J. ...	1	0	0
Aitken, J. ...	5	0	0	Bank of New South Wales ...	10	0	0
Barbour, J. ...	2	2	0	Bank of Australasia ...	15	0	0
Benefit at Chinese Theatre,				Bank, Union of Australia ...	12	10	0
per W. H. Foster...	30	0	0	Bank, London Chartered ...	10	0	0
Byron, J. ...	2	0	0	Bank, National ...	10	0	0
Bade, M. ...	2	0	0	Bowes, W. ...	2	0	0
Bray, J. & T. ...	5	0	0	Blackett, J. ...	0	5	0
Blakely, J. ...	2	0	0	Brunig, A. C. ...	2	0	0
Bacchus, W. H. ...	3	0	0	Bartlett, — ...	5	5	0
Bath, T. ...	5	0	0	Bailey, J. R., moiety of "God-			
Bath, Mrs T. ...	5	0	0	dard Fund" ...	39	0	0
Burke, T. ...	1	1	0	British Company, Malakoff ;			
Bennett Brothers ...	3	3	0	representatives--J. Tristram,			
Bailey, C. ...	2	2	0	J. Dixon, G. Hayward, J.			
Brown, W. M. ...	2	2	0	Grant, P. McQuie, W. Wil-			
Bradshaw, Salmon & Co. ...	2	2	0	liams, and C. Scobie ...	20	0	0
				Brown, J. ...	1	0	0

Bath's party; representatives— John Caddy, W. Brown, E. W. Stephens, J. F. Barrett, and G. Thomas ...	£10 0 0	Collection on Mr J. McIntosh's farm ...	£6 10 0
Borlase, J. ...	2 0 0	Collection on Mr J. McLean's farm ...	3 6 0
Birrell, A. ...	2 0 0	Collection on Mr Fry's farm... ..	3 0 0
Buninyong Gold Mining Com- pany; representatives—W. Nixon, J. B. Mitchell, S. J. Bradshaw, W. O'Hara, and E. Osborne ...	10 0 0	Collection on Mr J. Barrett's farm ...	4 18 6
Bennett & Moss ...	2 0 0	Collection on Mr McPhillim's farm ...	2 5 0
Bankin Brothers ...	2 0 0	Collection on Mr D. Lamont's farm ...	2 10 0
Biggs & Shoppee ...	2 2 0	Collection on Mr D. Evering- ham's farm ...	2 3 0
Bull, J. ...	1 0 0	Collection on Messrs J. & W. Dougall's farm ...	6 15 0
Brudenell, J. ...	2 0 0	Collection on Mr A. McKay's farm ...	2 0 0
Brown, J. ...	1 0 0	Collection on Messrs Haydon Brothers' farm ...	2 7 0
Brown, Miss J. ...	0 10 0	Collection on Mr Waldie's farm ...	2 10 0
Brown's Anti-Leasing Associa- tion, surplus funds ...	0 14 0	Collection on Messrs Ander- son Brothers' Saw Mills, Bul- larook ...	26 1 0
Billings, W. ...	0 10 0	Collection from Mr Henry Clarke's Northumberland Saw Mills ...	10 15 0
Bosley, N. ...	0 10 0	Collection from men in Mr Kirk's employment ...	1 16 6
Black, J. ...	0 10 0	Collection at Cobb & Co.'s Office ...	20 15 0
Comb, J. ...	2 0 0	Collection on Mr Bankin's farm ...	2 12 0
Cuthbert, H. ...	2 2 0	Collection from officers, wards- men, and domestics at Hospi- tal ...	16 10 0
Cameron, H. ...	1 0 0	Collection on Mr McCre's farm ...	1 8 0
Coppin, G. (donation) ...	20 0 0	Carter, R. & Co. ...	2 2 0
Coppin, G., half proceeds of charitable performances given by ...	128 5 4	Chalmers & Graham ...	2 2 0
Collection in Baptist Church, per Rev. W. Sutton ...	3 4 0	Cockerton, J. ...	1 1 0
Collection in Presbyterian Church, Buninyong, per Rev. T. Hastie ...	4 18 0	Collection box at Messrs. Hob- son & Warner's ...	0 17 0
Collection in St. Paul's Church, per Rev. C. Searle ...	13 15 6	Collection box at Eastern Council Chambers ...	3 4 0
Collection in Christ Church, per Rev. J. Potter ...	16 6 7	Collection box at Gas Company's Office ...	10 0 6
Collection in Catholic Church, per Very Rev. Dr. Sheil ...	24 0 0	Collection box at Union Bank ...	0 6 0
Collection in Presbyterian Church, per Rev. W. Hen- derson ...	23 0 6	Collection box at Bank of Aus- traliasia ...	1 2 0
Cook, J. W. ...	1 1 0	Collection box at George Hotel ...	0 14 0
Calcott, A. ...	0 10 0	Collection box at Mr W. M. Brown's ...	1 10 4
Calcott, R. ...	0 10 0	Chown, H. C. ...	2 0 0
Cane, J. ...	0 10 0	Cameron, W. ...	2 2 0
Crosbie & Dale ...	2 2 0	Curle, Wildey & Co. ...	2 2 0
Collection on Mr Bath's farm ...	35 5 0	Crougey, J. ...	2 0 0
Collection on Mr J. Baird's farm ...	8 17 0	Clarke, T. ...	2 0 0
Collection on Mr A. Baird's farm ...	2 0 0	Clendinning, Dr. ...	2 0 0
Collection on Mr E. William- son's farm ...	4 5 0	Collection at Lake Learmonth Total Abstinence Society's Harvest Home, per Rev. G. Mackie ...	32 14 0
Collection on Mr J. McKay's farm ...	3 0 0		
Collection on Mr A. Chalmers's farm ...	2 10 0		
Collection on Mr A. Dalgleish's farm ...	1 15 0		

Collection at a German wedding, per Messrs Screen and Plover	...	£2	11	0	Dixie, J.	...	£2	2	0
Cross, S. W.	...	0	2	6	Duncan, G.	...	2	2	0
Cade, J.	...	0	2	6	Dewar, W.	...	1	0	0
Cane, D.	...	0	2	6	Davidson, R.	...	2	0	0
Crees, J.	...	2	2	0	Doane, J. A.	...	2	2	0
Corker, Mrs	...	1	0	0	Duguid, J.	...	0	5	0
Clarke, J.	...	0	10	0	Donovan, J.	...	0	2	6
Chisholm, D.	...	0	5	0	Draper & Tabel	...	0	0	0
Chater, W.	...	0	2	6	Delaney, D.	...	0	10	0
Caselli, H. R.	...	2	2	0	Dodds, J.	...	0	2	6
Cowan, Thos.	...	1	0	0	Dougall, J. & W.	...	2	0	0
Conway, P.	...	2	0	0	Dykes, W.	...	2	0	0
Cameron, R.	...	2	0	0	Dunn, J.	...	0	2	0
Crump, J.	...	0	5	0	Donovan, J.	...	0	1	0
Connor, W.	...	0	10	0	Davies, W. W.	...	2	0	0
Chenney Brothers	...	2	0	0	Dunstan, T.	...	1	0	0
Coghill, D.	...	2	2	0	Darlot, H.	...	10	0	0
Cummins, M. J.	...	2	0	0	Deacon, H.	...	1	0	0
Clarke, Mrs	...	0	5	0	Dyte, C.	...	2	2	0
Cottee Brothers	...	2	2	0	Dean, S.	...	0	10	0
Codlin, Mrs	...	2	0	0	Draisey, G.	...	0	15	0
Campbell, M.	...	1	1	0	Dalglish, J.	...	2	0	0
Chinese subscription, per W. H. Foster	...	10	7	0	Dodds, J.	...	2	2	0
Clark, Hy.	...	5	0	0	Drury & Wright	...	2	2	0
Clark, Mrs Hy.	...	1	0	0	Davidson, J.	...	0	10	0
Cantor, E.	...	1	1	0	Eyres, Brothers & Newman	...	2	0	0
Chinese Theatre, half proceeds of benefit at	...	8	15	0	Evans, Brothers	...	2	0	0
Cummins, M. J.	...	2	2	0	Errick, —, per R. Belford	...	1	0	0
Clunes Alluvial Gold Mining Co.	...	8	0	0	Elliott, M.	...	2	2	0
Cherry, H.	...	0	10	0	Edgar, G.	...	2	0	0
Coleman and party	...	2	3	0	Erlam, R. G.	...	1	1	0
Carlisle, Z. W., per Rev. W. Lind	...	1	0	0	Eaves, W.	...	3	3	0
Cole, C. C.	...	2	0	0	Evans & Barker's workmen	...	6	4	0
Cutter, E.	...	2	0	0	English & M'Manus	...	2	0	0
Cameron, —	...	0	10	0	Edwards, C. H.	...	3	0	0
Crabbe and party	...	2	0	0	Evans, E.	...	0	5	0
Chinese, per Mr Usher	...	2	0	0	Everingham, F.	...	1	0	0
Clissold, S. T.	...	2	2	0	Edwards, F.	...	1	0	0
Carter, G.	...	1	1	0	Edwards, T.	...	0	2	6
Chin Kit, Police Court fine	...	2	0	0	Emery, J. W.	...	2	0	0
Cummins, J.	...	2	0	0	Ettershank, J.	...	3	3	0
Chalmers, A.	...	1	0	0	Emery, E. G.	...	0	5	0
Clegg, J.	...	2	2	0	Elliott, —	...	0	10	0
Craig, W.	...	5	0	0	Evans, Menry & Co.	...	20	0	0
Collins, J. F.	...	2	0	0	Evans & Barker	...	2	2	0
Cooper, W.	...	2	0	0	Elder v. Mack, costs in case of, per W. B. Nicholson	...	2	2	0
Crea, W.	...	0	10	0	Francis, J.	...	2	2	0
Diggins, Mrs T.	...	2	2	0	Friend, per Mr Bath	...	0	10	0
Dimock, Dr	...	2	2	0	Farrer, J.	...	1	1	0
Dickson & Riddock	...	2	2	0	Fry, C.	...	2	0	0
Duke & Smith	...	2	2	0	Fox, C.	...	1	1	0
Drury, A.	...	2	2	0	Foshack, D.	...	0	10	0
Davies, A.	...	2	2	0	Fitzgerald, J.	...	0	5	0
Dance, J. E.	...	2	2	0	Friend, "D."	...	1	0	0
Dimant, A.	...	1	1	0	Fleming, J.	...	2	0	0
					Felsted and party	...	1	0	0
					Fry, J.	...	2	2	0
					Fraser, H.	...	0	2	6
					Fleischaur, C. A.	...	2	0	0

Francis & Peck	-	£2	0	0	Great Eastern Company, Mal-				
Fitzgerald Brothers	-	1	0	0	koff; representatives—R. J.				
Filling, W.	-	0	5	0	Campbell, A. Jenkins, J.				
Friend, "G."	-	0	10	0	Whitla, U. Walton, H. Rey-				
Frazer, J.	-	1	0	0	nolds, H. Bevan, J. Sheirs, J.				
Foster, C., "gaol fine"	-	3	10	0	Stewart, W. Watson, S.				
Foster, W. H.	-	2	2	0	Atkins, J. Brunce, P. War-				
Foley, E. T.	-	2	0	0	burton, J. Townsend, G. A.				
Fairburn, —	-	0	10	0	Tucker, W. A. Arnold, D.				
Fisher, W. W.	-	1	0	0	Harle, J. Fielder, G. John-				
Fussell & Tress	-	2	2	0	son, G. Sherlock, and J.				
Fiskin, A.	-	5	0	0	Wearmouth	£40	0	0	
Farley, J.	-	2	0	0	Gillman, —	0	10	0	
Fittedy, T.	-	0	10	0	Gillespie, R.	2	2	0	
					Goddan, per Rev. J. Strongman	1	1	0	
Gerrard & Sleep	-	2	2	0	Gibbings, R.	1	1	0	
Gibb, A.	-	2	2	0	Garth & Smith	2	2	0	
Gibbs, R. B.	-	5	5	0	Golden Era Company, Na-				
Gundry, J. R.	-	1	0	0	poleon; representative — S.				
Graham, A.	-	1	1	0	Maddison	19	2	0	
Gwyneth, J.	-	2	2	0	Hastie, Rev. T.	2	2	0	
Gardner, H. J.	-	1	1	0	Higgins, W. J.	2	0	0	
Guthrie, A.	-	0	5	0	Hesley, J.	1	1	0	
Great Republic Company,					Hassall & Monckton	2	2	0	
Inkermann; representatives					Hurst & Payne	1	0	0	
—P. Rende, D. Gillies, J.					Henry, J.	0	10	0	
Balmaine, J. Featherstone,					Harris, J.	0	5	0	
and P. E. McCann	-	31	17	6	Hoiles, J. D.	2	2	0	
Garden, R.	-	0	10	0	Henderson, Mrs W.	2	2	0	
Grant, M.	-	0	5	0	Henderson, R.	0	5	0	
Great Extended Company,					Hit-or-Miss Company, Black				
Redan; representative — J.					Lead	2	2	0	
Maguire	-	5	0	0	Howie, J.	0	10	0	
Graham, H.	-	1	0	0	Harraston, J.	0	2	6	
Gripe, J.	-	1	0	0	Haydon, J.	0	5	0	
Grove, J.	-	5	0	0	Harding, J.	0	5	0	
Great Eastern Company, War-					Harrison, Mrs.	0	5	0	
ren's Lead, Smythesdale;					Harris, J.	0	5	0	
representative—By. Lee	-	10	0	0	Hickey, L.	0	10	0	
Gellatly, J.	-	1	0	0	Hand-in-Hand Company, In-				
Gadsby, W.	-	2	0	0	kermann; representative —				
Geddins, A.	-	1	0	0	E. Waring	18	0	0	
Grant, D.	-	0	10	0	Hambley, P.	0	10	0	
Griffith, E.	-	0	5	0	Herbert, H.	0	5	0	
Gas Company	-	10	10	0	Haydon, J.	0	10	0	
Golden Gate Company, Redan;					Hammond, J. H.	1	0	0	
representatives—D. McPhail,					Harris, J.	1	0	0	
R. Laycock, J. Rowell, E.					Hartley, T.	0	5	0	
Trennery, R. Anderson, J.					Hocking, J.	0	2	6	
Davies, L. Robson, R. Durie,					Haydon, R.	2	0	0	
W. McHeflie, J. Ward, T.					Hepburn, B.	5	0	0	
Holland, and M. Horan	-	24	0	0	Hutson, S.	6	5	0	
Glennie, W.	-	1	0	0	Holthouse, Dr.	2	0	0	
"Gaol fine," per C. Foster	-	3	10	0	Hoyt, H.	2	0	0	
Gates, Rev. — for Primitive					Hickman, J.	2	0	0	
Methodists	-	1	5	0	Hooper, R., per Rev. J. Bick-				
German Association, "Har-					ford	4	0	0	
monia"	-	2	2	0	House, J.	2	0	0	
Gallop, G. P. H.	-	0	5	0	Henderson, R. W.	1	0	0	

Howe, Mrs G.	-	-	£5	0	0	Lord, G.	-	-	£1	0	0
Hunter, A.	-	-	2	2	0	Langdon, J.	-	-	0	2	6
Hillas, Dr.	-	-	2	0	0	Lester, A.	-	-	1	0	0
Harvey, Miss M.	-	-	0	10	0	Lakeland, W.	-	-	2	0	0
Hale, J.	-	-	0	10	0	Lacey, W.	-	-	2	0	0
Humphrey, G.	-	-	0	10	0	Lacey, Mrs E.	-	-	0	15	0
Harris, —	-	-	0	10	0	Little Engine Company; repre-					
Hughes, J.	-	-	0	10	0	representatives—P. Cadley, R.					
Harris, W.	-	-	0	10	0	W. Catton, J. Smith, A.					
Hughes, B.	-	-	0	10	0	Brooke, A. Ross, G. Smith,					
Haswell, T.	-	-	0	10	0	T. Blackett, J. W. Wilkin-					
Independent Company, Inker-						son, N. Allan, L. O'Neil	-	-	22	0	0
mann; representatives—T.						Leake, E.	-	-	0	10	0
J. Trist and T. Kennedy	-	-	30	0	0	Looney, J.	-	-	0	2	0
Inman, G.	-	-	1	1	0	Longmore, J.	-	-	2	0	0
Ivey, T. B.	-	-	2	2	0	Lilly, G.	-	-	1	0	0
Jones, T.	-	-	1	1	0	Learmonth, T.	-	-	50	0	0
Johnson, J.	-	-	0	10	0	Lyons, F.	-	-	0	1	0
Justo, F.	-	-	1	1	0	Leahy, J.	-	-	0	10	0
Jameson, N.	-	-	2	0	0	Lewers, S.	-	-	1	0	0
Jurymen, per Major Wallace	-	-	1	0	6	Lces, W.	-	-	2	0	0
Jones, J.	-	-	0	2	0	Lewers, A.	-	-	0	10	0
Jackson, G.	-	-	1	0	0	Lane, G.	-	-	0	10	0
Johnson, S.	-	-	0	2	6	Laing & Wilson	-	-	2	0	0
Jenner & Davey	-	-	2	2	0	Lovell, W.	-	-	2	0	0
Jones, W.	-	-	0	5	0	Lewis, W.	-	-	3	0	0
Janssen, H.	-	-	2	0	0	Levinson, H.	-	-	2	0	0
Jones, D.	-	-	2	2	0	London Chartered Bank	-	-	10	0	0
Jones, J.	-	-	2	2	0	Lazarus, S. S.	-	-	2	2	0
Jackson & Young	-	-	2	2	0	Lind, Rev. W. A.	-	-	2	0	0
Jones & Clemesha	-	-	2	2	0	Lazarus, S. & Co., per E. C.					
Jeffrey, J.	-	-	1	1	0	Bell	-	-	1	1	0
Kean, W.	-	-	2	0	0	Lang, T.	-	-	2	2	0
Kelly, A.	-	-	5	0	0	Lynch, W.	-	-	1	0	0
Kaye, W.	-	-	5	0	0	Leachten, —	-	-	0	10	0
Kirby, E.	-	-	5	0	0	Millson, G.	-	-	1	0	0
Kavanah, P.	-	-	0	10	0	Morrison & Walker	-	-	1	0	0
Kenyon, H.	-	-	0	5	0	M'Naught & Boyd	-	-	2	2	0
Kenyon, T.	-	-	0	5	0	Maloney, J.	-	-	1	1	0
Kildey, T.	-	-	0	5	0	Martin, G.	-	-	0	10	0
Knapp, J.	-	-	0	5	0	M'Dowall, J.	-	-	2	2	0
Knowles, J.	-	-	0	10	0	Moore & Dunne	-	-	2	2	0
Knowles, Mrs	-	-	0	10	0	Mulholland, J.	-	-	2	2	0
Knowles, Miss S.	-	-	0	2	6	Miller, J.	-	-	1	0	0
Kean, P.	-	-	1	0	0	M'Cabe, P.	-	-	0	5	0
King, T.	-	-	0	2	6	Moodie, J.	-	-	0	5	0
Kennedy, D.	-	-	2	0	0	M'Grachen, G.	-	-	0	5	0
Kane & Cairncross	-	-	2	2	0	M'Dougall, G.	-	-	0	10	0
Kirk, J.	-	-	1	0	0	M'Bride, R.	-	-	0	10	0
Kirkpatrick, R.	-	-	1	0	0	M'Kay, H.	-	-	0	12	0
Kelham, C., per A. Drury	-	-	0	10	0	M'Donald, J.	-	-	0	10	0
Kerr, B.	-	-	2	0	0	M'Callum, Neil & Bruce	-	-	2	2	6
Lynn, A. L.	-	-	2	2	0	Morris, C.	-	-	2	2	0
Linton, E.	-	-	1	10	0	M'Alpine, D.	-	-	0	10	0
Laidlaw, J.	-	-	2	0	0	M'Alpine, Mrs	-	-	0	10	0
Lloyd, J.	-	-	1	1	0	M'Lean, J.	-	-	2	2	0
Lochead, J.	-	-	1	1	0	Murray, J.	-	-	0	10	0
						Main, G.	-	-	0	5	0
						M. A. B.	-	-	0	5	0
						Manwood, —	-	-	0	5	0

Maher, P.	...	£0	2	6	Nicholson, Dr.	...	£2	2	0
M'Niece, R.	...	10	0	0	Naylor, —	...	1	1	0
M'Phillimy, J.	...	2	2	0	Nankerville, J.	...	2	2	0
M'Donald, D., per E. C. Bell	...	1	10	0	Norrie, A.	...	2	0	0
M'Knight, W.	...	1	1	0	Nolan, C.	...	1	1	0
M'Dermott, T.	...	5	5	0	Northwood, T.	...	0	10	0
Martin, W.	...	2	0	0	New Constitution Company;				
M'Kenzie & Munro	...	2	0	0	representatives — T. P. Hand-				
M'Donald & M'Andrew	...	2	2	0	ley, and T. Eldridge	...	11	0	0
M'Callum, A.	...	2	0	0	Nicol, P.	...	0	2	6
Morton, G. G.	...	3	3	0	New South Wales, Bank of	...	10	0	0
M'Master, J.	...	2	0	0	National Bank	...	10	0	0
Meyer, H.	...	0	2	0	Nicholls, T.	...	2	0	0
Martin, T.	...	0	1	0	Nantes, C.	...	2	2	0
M'Cready, J.	...	0	5	0	Nicholls, R. U.	...	1	0	0
Macartney, D.	...	0	5	0	Northern Company, Smythes-				
Morris, T.	...	0	5	0	dale; representative — H.				
Moore, E. C.	...	2	0	0	Browning	...	2	0	0
Molloy, W.	...	0	5	0	Ochiltree, W. B.	...	2	2	0
M'Bride, J.	...	0	10	0	Oddie, J.	...	2	2	0
Makinnon, H.	...	0	5	0	O'Donnell, D.	...	1	1	0
Meabe, W.	...	0	5	0	Oakey, Hunt & Opie	...	2	2	0
Montgomery, J.	...	0	10	0	Ocock, R.	...	1	1	0
Morgan, J. T.	...	1	0	0	Osborne, R. E.	...	10	0	0
Moore, J. D.	...	1	0	0	Ogilvie, R.	...	2	0	0
Moore, J.	...	1	0	0	O'Neil, P.	...	0	1	0
M'Leod, A.	...	1	0	0	O'Brien, W.	...	0	5	0
M'Cormick, M.	...	0	10	0	Old Gravel Pits Company	...	7	0	0
Moile, S.	...	0	2	6	O'Farrell, Son & Howell	...	1	1	0
M'Kay, A.	...	2	0	0	Ormond, F.	...	1	0	0
M'Kay, W.	...	2	0	0	Oldin, O. S.	...	2	0	0
M'Kay, J.	...	2	2	0	O'Neil, Miss F.	...	0	10	0
M'Kay, G.	...	2	2	0	Old Crown Company	...	5	10	0
Meyer, C. & Co.	...	1	0	0	Ophir Company; representa-				
Mantegani, A.	...	1	1	0	tives — T. Kneeshaw, and T.				
M'Callum, J., & Co.	...	2	2	0	Johns	...	5	0	0
Meadows, H.	...	0	5	0	Old Post Office Hill Quartz				
Meston, J.	...	0	10	6	Company	...	22	18	0
Moore, T.	...	0	10	0	Powell, E.	...	1	0	0
M'Gavin, W. B.	...	2	0	0	Pooley, W. T.	...	2	2	0
M'Farlane, W.	...	0	10	0	Palfreyman, —	...	0	10	0
M'Phillimy, Brown & Baird	...	2	2	0	Page, J.	...	1	1	0
Morrison, M.	...	2	0	0	Park, A. S.	...	2	2	0
Middleditch, W. H.	...	2	0	0	Pool, R.	...	1	0	0
Macarthey, Rev. E.	...	2	2	0	Palmer Brothers	...	2	2	0
M'Intosh, J.	...	2	2	0	Polson, A., senior	...	0	10	0
Mather, R.	...	2	0	0	Polson, A., junior	...	0	10	0
Mitchell, C.	...	1	0	0	Phelan, P.	...	0	2	6
Mitchell, Mrs C.	...	1	0	0	Palmer, W. J.	...	0	5	0
Mumby, W. C.	...	2	2	0	Purcell, D.	...	0	2	6
M'Donald, R.	...	4	4	0	Philharmonic Society, moiety				
Miles, J.	...	2	0	0	of proceeds of concert given				
Meigs, J. B.	...	2	0	0	by	...	15	0	6
Muir Brothers	...	2	0	0	Paul, G.	...	0	10	0
Maxant, C.	...	5	0	0	Peters, J.	...	0	10	0
M'Ivor, W.	...	1	0	0	Parker, C.	...	1	0	0
Macarthur, D.	...	2	2	0	Prince of Wales Company	...	1	10	0
M'Tavish, D.	...	1	0	0	Paxton, G.	...	0	5	0
Morris, J.	...	1	0	0	Phelan, P.	...	0	1	0
Nicholls, W. H.	...	2	0	0					

Provost, J. ...	£0	5	0	Stewart, Dr.	2	2	0
Pearmain, W. ...	2	0	0	Stratton, W.	2	0	0
Payne, Isaac, ...	2	0	0	Smith, W. C.	5	5	0
Pown, D.	0	9	0	Smith, Mrs W. C.	2	2	0
Primitive Methodists, per Rev.				Sullivan, T.	1	1	0
— Gates ...	1	5	0	Stafford, W.	1	1	0
Potter, Rev. J. ...	2	0	0	Smith, G.	2	2	0
Potter, W. ...	2	0	0	Stewart, T.	1	1	0
Palmer, G. ...	2	0	0	Scruse, E.	2	2	0
Parker & Marshall ...	1	0	0	Stawell, Sir Wm. F.	10	0	0
Parry, J. ...	1	0	0	Sloan, S.	2	2	0
Quiney, J. ...	2	0	0	Smith, C.	0	10	0
Quirk, P. ...	0	5	0	Shunney, T.	0	5	0
Quale, J. ...	1	0	0	Sexton, T.	0	5	0
Rowland's & Lewis's workmen	3	2	0	Smith, J. H.	0	2	6
Robertson, Wm. ...	2	2	0	Simmonds, H.	0	2	6
Reed, A. R. ...	2	2	0	Sheppard, R.	0	2	6
Rand, E. ...	2	2	0	Simson, Robert ...	20	0	0
Robertson, W. ...	1	1	0	Stewart & Fisher ..	2	0	0
Rowlands & Lewis ...	4	4	0	Shipside, M. ...	0	10	0
Robinson & Wayne...	2	2	0	Smith, H. ...	0	5	0
Roff, J. ...	0	5	0	Sellick, G.	5	5	0
Rowe, A. F. ...	2	2	3	Screen & Plover ; collection at a German wedding ...	2	11	0
Roy, C. ...	1	0	0	Seal, C. ...	2	2	0
Rees & Benjamin ...	2	0	0	Simpson, W. ...	0	3	0
Ryan, Mr, Mrs and Miss	3	0	0	Scaterfield, T. ...	0	2	6
Roberts, D. ...	0	5	0	Stewart, T. ...	0	5	0
Reform Company ...	2	0	0	Stephenson, A. ...	0	10	0
Ross, M. ...	0	10	0	Schlingmaun, F. ...	2	0	0
Rooney, M. ...	0	10	0	Smith, J. ...	2	0	0
Rugg, W. ...	1	0	0	Shearer, J. S. ...	2	0	0
Robinson, F. ...	0	2	6	Saunders, W. ...	1	0	0
Roberts, H. T. ...	1	0	0	Scruse, E. ...	0	10	0
Royal Saxon Company ; repre- sentative—W. Brown	5	0	0	Spunner, W. ...	0	5	0
Reynolds, O. ...	0	1	0	Sedon, R. ...	0	10	0
Riley, T. ...	0	2	6	Scott, R. ...	10	0	0
Robinson, J. ...	0	5	0	Smith, R. ...	2	2	0
Ruddock, F. ...	0	5	0	Southward & Sumpton	2	2	0
Rosekilly, J. ...	2	2	0	Shaw, J. T. ...	2	0	0
Rogers, H. ...	0	10	0	Sampson, Mrs ...	0	7	6
Rankin, Dr. ...	2	0	0	Shaw, J., per E. C. Bell	1	0	0
Russell, P. ...	10	0	0	Salter, J. ...	0	10	0
Ritchie, W. ...	2	0	0	Strong, J. ...	1	0	0
Rhodes Brothers ...	2	2	0	"Star" Companionship	2	0	0
Ross & McKenzie ..	2	0	0	Sweeney Brothers	5	5	0
Ross, J. ...	0	10	0	Stewart & Doig ...	2	0	0
Richards, S. & J. ...	2	0	0	Stewart, C. ...	1	1	0
Raw Brothers ...	4	0	0	Stevenson, J. ...	2	0	0
Randall, T. ...	2	2	0	Sheffield, W. ...	1	0	0
Ryan, E. ...	1	0	0	Stuckey, W. ...	2	2	0
Renisson, Miss L. ...	0	10	0	Scandinavian Society	10	0	0
Red White and Blue Lead, Smythesdale, Nos. 1 and 2, shareholders in ...	12	10	0	Strongman, Rev. J. ...	2	0	0
Jumpers' Claim, do. ...	3	10	0	Salmon, H. ...	2	0	0
North Britain Company, do....	10	0	0	Sherrard, C. W. ...	2	0	0
Schwartz, C.	0	10	0	Scott, W. ...	2	2	0
				Sons of Freedom Company	5	0	0
				Spargoe, J. ...	2	0	0
				Smith, H. ...	2	2	0
				Steinfeld, E. ...	1	1	0
				Sandford, Miss B. ...	0	10	0

Twentyman & Stamper	...	£2	2	0	Underwood, W. B., per "Star"	£1	0	0	
Tunbridge, C.	...	1	1	0	Usher, J. F.	...	2	0	0
Taylor, J.	...	2	0	0	Unity Company	...	10	0	0
Tulloch & McLaren	...	4	0	0					
Tonkin, B.	...	1	1	0	Vowles, J.	...	2	2	0
Tiernay, F.	...	0	10	0	Van Fredenburgh	...	0	5	0
Travers, J.	...	0	5	0					
Triffit, R.	...	2	0	0	Wrigley, Brannon & Wrigley	...	2	2	0
"Times" Proprietors	...	2	2	0	Wilson, J.	...	2	0	0
Thomas, R.	...	1	0	0	Wightwick, E.	...	1	1	0
Tatham, R.	...	0	2	6	Wallace, J.	...	1	1	0
Thunder, —	...	0	10	0	White, M.	...	0	5	0
Telegraph Company, Nightingale; representatives — J. Carthoys, W. Clarke, J. Clarke, W. Cockburn, J. Gilmour, J. Gill, T. Corris, M. David, T. Jones, J. Dowd, J. Kelly, W. Holiman, D. McKinnon, W. Nancarrow, W. Pierman, W. Baxter, S. Porter, J. Beard, J. Hughes, J. Quick, P. Dolan, C. Beaven, W. Corkhill, D. Sime, J. Mitchell, F. Carter, W. Qualey, L. Preefe, J. Halse, J. M. Dixie	...	55	0	0	Wymond, Vasey & Co.	...	2	2	0
Thompson, J.	...	0	10	0	Wilson, C.	...	1	1	0
Taylor, J.	...	0	5	0	Warne & Rand	...	2	2	0
Thomas, J. & T.	...	2	0	0	Wanliss, T. D.	...	2	2	0
Thompson, —	...	1	1	0	Williams, J.	...	1	0	0
Turpie, D.	...	2	0	0	Williamson, E.	...	2	0	0
Thomas, C.	...	2	0	0	Weesdale, —	...	1	0	0
Turnbull, W.	...	0	10	0	Williams Brothers	...	2	0	0
Thorne, J.	...	1	1	0	Watson, R.	...	2	0	0
Tregonning, J.	...	0	10	6	Woodlock, P.	...	0	2	6
Thompson, W.	...	1	1	0	Whately, T.	...	2	0	0
Taylor, J. G.	...	1	0	0	Wood, G.	...	0	5	0
Taylor & Appleby	...	3	3	0	White Flat Company	...	76	16	6
Trench, R. Le Poer	...	2	0	0	Widdicombe, J. H.	...	1	0	0
Tugwell, J.	...	2	2	0	Why, Thomas, and party	...	1	0	0
Tucker, J.	...	5	0	0	Whately, J.	...	0	10	0
Tappin, J.	...	2	0	0	Winterford, W.	...	0	5	0
Tuxen, G. A.	...	2	0	0	Walton, H.	...	0	5	0
Taylor, J. H.	...	2	0	0	West, W.	...	0	2	6
Tait, J.	...	2	0	0	Watson, J.	...	0	1	6
Typographical Society	...	5	5	0	Wyman & Phillips	...	1	0	0
Tarte, J. V.	...	1	1	0	Wright, A.	...	0	10	0
"Times" Companionship	...	2	2	0	Williams, H.	...	1	1	0
Tynan, J.	...	1	0	0	Waite, G.	...	0	2	6
Thom, Gray & Co.	...	3	3	0	Wilson, T.	...	1	0	0
Tait, W.	...	1	0	0	Weeks, T.	...	2	2	0
					Wallace, W.	...	2	0	0
Underwood, R.	...	2	2	0	Wilks, C.	...	2	2	0
Underwood, Mrs R.	...	1	1	0	Watson, W.	...	1	0	0
Underwood, W.	...	0	10	0	Winter, J.	...	20	0	0
Union Bank of Australia	...	12	10	0	Waldie, T.	...	1	0	0
					Wills, T.	...	1	0	0
					Wallis, Brothers & Tunbridge	...	2	2	0
					Wilson, J.	...	2	0	0
					Wood, H.	...	2	0	0
					Wilson, Brothers	...	5	0	0
					Whitcombe, Dr	...	2	0	0
					Young, F.	.....	2	0	0
					Yates, T.	.....	0	10	0
					Young, F.	.....	0	2	6
					Yarwood, J.	.....	1	0	0
					TOTAL	.....	£2146	0	1

E. C. MOORE, Secretary.

BALLARAT DISTRICT HOSPITAL.

BALANCE SHEET FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1859.

1859.	Dr.	£ s. d.	Cr.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
To Government Grant for 1859.	By paid overdraft at bank	...	...
" Building Fund on account of loan advanced last year	...	5000 0 0	" Salaries and wages	...	2109 8 2
" Private subscriptions, as per list annexed	...	1000 0 0	" Groceries	...	1047 0 11
" Paying patients	...	2146 0 1	" Meat	...	806 15 0
" Trustees of Savings Bank on account of expenses	...	28 10 0	" Drugs, &c.	...	537 15 6
" Incurred for late Thomas Thomas	...	15 14 0	" Bread	...	322 2 3
" Interest on bank account	...	3 11 6	" Milk	...	280 18 10
			" Wines, beers and spirits	...	306 19 10
			" Drainage and improvements to reserve	...	146 14 0
			" Funeral expenses	...	139 1 0
			" Building and repairs	...	161 1 6
			" Printing, advertising, and stationary	...	140 5 2
			" Furniture, paint, &c.	...	94 11 9
			" Surgical instruments	...	96 11 0
			" Hardware, crockery, &c.	...	184 9 3
			" Soft goods, mattresses, &c.	...	259 14 4
			" Water-service, metre, &c.	...	132 8 11
			" Sundries	...	29 0 8
			" Casual labor	...	44 14 0
			" Firewood	...	46 15 6
			" School fees for orphan boy	...	3 3 0
			" Forage	...	83 5 0
			" Gas	...	153 8 0
			" Insurance	...	9 7 6
			" Books for Patients' Library	...	8 13 0
			" Water	...	67 4 6
			" Vegetables	...	107 19 1
			" Building Fund (amount to balance)	...	2 6 4
			" Interest on overdrawn bank account	...	30 13 8
			Balance in hand	...	...
					7384 3 5
					33 0 0
					359 8 10
					£8193 15 7

HENRY CUTHBERT, } Auditors.
W. H. FOSTER, }

A. S. PARK, Honorary Treasurer.

BUILDING ACCOUNT.

1859.	Dr.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	1859.	Cr.	£ s. d.
To Government Grant for 1859.....			1000 0 0	By Transferred to General Fund on account of loan advanced last year		1039 0 0
" J. R. Bailey, Esq., moiety of "Goddard Fund"		39 0 0		" Interest on overdrawn account.....		2 6 4
" General Fund, amount to balance		2 6 4				
			<u>41 6 4</u>			
						<u>£1041 6 4</u>

A. S. PARK, Honorary Treasurer.

Number of Patients treated in the Ballarat District Hospital, from January 1st, 1899, to January 1st, 1900; with a Classification of Diseases.

Name of Disease.	Cured and Relieved.	Died.	In House.	Total.
Abscess	8	3	2	13
Ascites	1	2	..	3
Anasarca	2	2	..	4
Aneurism	1	1	..	2
Arteritis	1	..	1	2
Apoplexy	2	1	1	4
Blasting-powder injuries	10	2	2	14
Bright's Disease	..	..	1	1
Brain, Diseases of	3	5	1	9
Bronchitis	1	1	..	2
Bubo	1	..	2	3
Bubonocelo	1	..	..	1
Burns	5	2	1	8
Bursitis	2	..	..	2
Bursitis	1	..	..	1
Calculus	..	..	1	1
Cataract	..	..	..	..
Caries	5	..	..	5
Chorea	1	..	..	1
Colic	1	..	..	1
Confusions	13	2	2	17
Constipation	1	..	..	1
Cut-throat	1	..	..	1
Delirium tremens	2	1	..	3
Dislocations	4	..	..	4
Dysentery	9	8	5	22
Epilepsy	1	..	..	1
Erysipelas	6	1	..	7
Eye, wounds and contusions of	1	..	2	3
Fever	24	8	3	35
Fistula	10	1	1	12
Fractures	51	2	9	62
" Ununited	1	..	1	2
" Compound	16	8	2	26
" of Spine	3	4	..	7
" of Skull	2	1	1	4
Gunshot wounds	2	1	..	3
Gangrene	1	1	..	2
Gastritis	1	..	..	1
Heart, Diseases of	4	5	2	11
Head-ache	1	..	..	1
Hæmorrhoids	3	..	..	3
Hæmoptysis	1	1	1	3
Hydrocele	6	..	1	7
Hepatitis	12	5	2	19
Hepatic Abscess	..	4	..	4
Hip Disease	1	1	3	5
Hydrothorax	..	1	..	1
Jaundice	1	2	1	4
Idiotcy	1	..	..	1
Lupus	..	..	1	1
Laryngitis	..	1	..	1
Knee, Inflammation of	1	..	..	1
" Wounds and Contusions of	6	..	1	7
Memorrhagia	1	..	..	1
Melancholia	1	..	..	1
Necrosis	4	1	4	9
Ophthalmia	7	..	6	13
Orchitis	3	..	..	3
Otitis	1	..	..	1
Paralysis	3	2	..	5
Periostitis	2	..	..	2
Phthisis	10	12	2	24
Ptyalism	1	..	..	1
Purpura	2	..	..	2
Pleurisy	1	..	..	1
Pneumonia	17	8	1	26
Rheumatism	59	2	2	63
Sun-stroke	2	1	..	3
Synovitis	2	..	1	3
Scirrhus	..	2	..	2
Sciatica	3	..	..	3
Stricture	5	..	1	6
Spermatorrhœa	2	1	..	3
Secondaries	4	..	1	5
Tumours	1	..	..	1
Ulcers	12	..	1	13
Uterus, Diseases of	2	..	4	6
Urethra, Rupture of	1	..	..	1
Varicocele	1	1	..	2
Wounds	12	1	..	13
	490	106	71	567

Number of Patients treated in the Hospital 567

Number of Out-patients 1138

W. P. WHITCOMBE, Resident Surgeon

1,705

THE
THIRD ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT
OF THE
BALLARAT DISTRICT HOSPITAL.

IN presenting to the governors and subscribers to the Hospital a summary of the past year's proceedings, it is with sincere gratification that the Committee of Management call their attention to the marked progress of the Institution, shown by the unprecedented amount of relief afforded to sick and destitute persons during this period, and the addition of many important internal and external improvements.

During the past twelve months 567 persons have been treated in the house ; of this number, 490 have been cured or relieved ; 106 have died, and 71 remain in hospital at the present time ; while 1038 patients have received advice and medicine gratuitously, making a total of 1705 cases treated, and showing an increase of 624 upon the preceding year.

The record of deaths still continues large ; this must, however, always be anticipated in the centre of a community such as ours, where, during certain months of the year, fever and dysentery are rife, and accidents of the most fearful nature are of constant occurrence. And, while on this topic, your Committee would impress the necessity for bringing in such cases as require hospital treatment *at once*, neglect in this particular having caused the death of many who might with timely aid have been restored to health.

Referring to matters more immediately connected with the management of the Institution, it will be remembered that at the last annual meeting considerable discussion arose upon the alleged abuse of the out-patient system. Resolutions having a tendency to check this evil were adopted at the time, and, in pursuance thereof, a sub-committee, consisting of the five ministers of religion connected with the institution, was appointed to superintend the admission and discharge of chronic and out-patients.

The working of this committee, however, while it imposed a disagreeable duty upon its members, did not altogether meet the evil. You are doubtless already aware that this question is one more difficult of adjust-

ment, perhaps, than any other arising out of the working of this and similar establishments, and one which has proved a fertile source of annoyance both in the old and the new world. The most serious attention of your Committee has therefore been bestowed upon the matter, and with a view to the protection of the funds of the Institution, a series of additions and amendments to the rules, suggested by the experience of the last three years, have been prepared for your consideration, which, if adopted, will, it is to be hoped, while affording every facility for the reception of the really deserving, prevent the abuse of the charity by those removed above want.

In the month of August, the resignation of Dr. Hillas, the late resident surgeon, was received, and most reluctantly accepted, by your Committee. As a slight mark of their appreciation of the valuable services rendered by him to the Institution during a period of three years, a memorial, signed by the office-bearers of the Hospital, was presented to him previous to his departure; and, at a meeting convened to elect a successor, Mr W. P. Whitcombe, having a large majority of votes, was appointed to the office, which he now holds.

During the year also, Drs. Rankin and Hillas, have been elected honorary medical officers of the Institution in the place of Drs. Hobson and Nicholson, resigned,

Certain alterations and additions to the rates affecting the number, duties, and term of office of the medical staff, are now proposed, and will be submitted for your approval this evening.

In the early part of the year, owing to the large increase in the number of inmates, the original cooking apparatus was found to be quite insufficient. A kitchen-range of the most approved construction was therefore procured, with which food for the daily consumption of 200 persons can be prepared. This, together with the water-service laid on to the kitchen, laundry, and baths, from the main pipes, has rendered the culinary department very complete; and although, as you will perceive, the cost of these improvements has added considerably to the expenditure of the present year, ample proof has been already afforded of the economy which they will cause eventually.

The cultivation of the reserve has occupied the attention of a sub-committee appointed to consider the matter; but, owing to the poverty of the soil, the high price of labor, and the limited pecuniary resources available for such a purpose, it has not been thought expedient to enter into the matter at present, with the exception of a system of thorough drainage. A plan for the future allotment of the grounds has, however, been determined upon. Walks have been formed, and forest trees planted round the reserve, and a sum of money has been voted for the erection of a summer-house for the patients' use.

The inefficiency of the present system of ventilation having been brought before your Committee by the medical officers, tenders have already been invited for the execution of certain improvements recommended by them.

With reference to pecuniary matters, the annexed balance-sheets contain detailed statements of the receipts and expenditure under each

head, whence it appears that the total receipts have been £8193 15s. 7d. ; the disbursements (inclusive of a sum of £417 3s. 4d. repaid to the bank for cash advanced last year), £7834 6s. 9d., leaving a balance of £359 8s. 10d. in hand. The building fund, however, still owes the general account £1421 8s. 11d. for the loan advanced in 1858. The present accommodation, however, being quite insufficient for the requirements of the district, a memorial, numerous and influentially signed, has been forwarded to his Excellency the Governor for presentation to the Executive, praying that a sum of £3000 may be placed on the supplementary Estimates towards the completion of the building.

The Committee, in justice to the subscribers, can assure them that the strictest economy consistent with the efficient conduct of the establishment has prevailed in every department ; and it is satisfactory to find that the average cost of each inmate is considerably under that of last year. Owing to the difficulty experienced in obtaining the first moiety of the grant in aid, to which your Committee were entitled by the amount of private contributions received, the bank account having been for some time overdrawn, a large item appears to the debit of the Institution for interest : it is to be hoped, however, that so serious a loss will not again be incurred through a similar cause.

In conclusion, your Committee have to return their sincere thanks for the liberal support accorded to the Hospital by all classes of the community, nor have those resident immediately on Ballarat, been the sole contributors ; a large sum has been obtained from the farmers and working men of the district, and from the inhabitants of Creswick's Creek, Buninyong, Smythe's Creek, and other localities. The handsome sum realised by Mr Coppin's charitable performances, which he has generously promised to repeat annually, deserves a special notice. The subscriptions from mining companies are also increasing steadily, a sure proof that the advantages of the Institution are recognised by those who have had occasion to avail themselves of its shelter. A donation of £50 from Mr Thomas Learmouth, of Ercildoun, was accompanied by a kind promise of still further assistance, if required, at the end of the year. Your Committee would also thank the proprietors of the local press for their courtesy in furnishing copies gratuitously for the patients use, and have to acknowledge the receipt of several most acceptable presents of books, clothes, trees and plants.

While congratulating all those who have been instrumental in raising the Institution to its present eminence, however, they feel it a duty they owe to their successors to state that much still remains to be done ; the expenses of the Hospital must necessarily increase from year to year. Even with double the present accommodation of the building, deserving objects could be found to fill it within a very short space of time. As their last act, therefore, your Committee appeal to a public, of whose generosity they have had ample proof, for continued support to enable their successors to extend a helping hand to all in need of it, and to assist them in maintaining an Institution of which Ballarat may justly be proud.

BALLARAT DISTRICT HOSPITAL.

ATTENDANCE LIST FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1859.

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT. (27 Meetings held.)				HOUSE COMMITTEE. (26 Meetings held.)			
Name.	Office.	Present.	Absent.	Name.	Office.	Present.	Absent.
A. L. Lynn	President	27	0	A. Drury	Member of Committee	24	2
R. Lewis	Vice-President	23	4	R. Lewis	Do. & Vice-President	23	4
H. Wood	Member of Committee	22	5	H. Wood	Member of Committee	17	9
S. Donnelly	do	22	5	W. J. Higgins	do	16	10
A. Drury	do	22	5	Rev. C. Searle	do	10	16
R. Smith	Vice-President	21	6				
W. Cooper	Member of Committee	21	6	Messrs. Lynn and Smith, President and Vice-President, also attended five meetings by special request.			
W. J. Higgins	do	19	8				
Rev. J. Strongman	do	18	9				
W. B. Robinson	do	16	11				
W. H. Foster	Trustee	15	12				
A. F. Rowe	Member of Committee	14	13	GARDEN COMMITTEE. (9 Meetings held.)			
W. Frazer	do	14	13				
Rev. P. Madden	do	11	16				
Rev. J. Bickford	do	11	19				
Rev. C. Searle	do	8	20				
A. S. Park	Hon. Treasurer	7	21	W. Cooper	Member of Committee	8	1
E. Bradley	do	7	20	R. Lewis	Do. & Vice-President	7	2
H. Cuthbert	do	6	21	H. Wood	Member of Committee	7	2
A. Dimock	do	4	23	R. Smith	Do. & Vice-President	6	3
Rev. J. Potter	do	2	23	W. Frazer	Member of Committee	1	8
W. B. Rodier	Trustee	2	23				
J. Dixie	Trustee	2	23				

SUNDRY SUB-COMMITTEES.

The attendance at sundry Sub-Committees has been :—W. H. Foster, 2; H. Wood, 2; R. Lewis, 2; A. F. Rowe, 1; Rev. J. Strongman, 1; A. L. Lynn, 1; Rev. C. Searle, 1; W. J. Higgins, 1; S. Donnelly, 1.

COMMITTEE FOR THE ADMISSION AND DISCHARGE OF CHRONIC AND OUT-PATIENTS.

The Rev. J. Strongman attended at the Hospital for the admission and discharge of patients on 32 occasions; Rev. J. Bickford on 25; Rev. J. Potter on 2; Rev. C. Searle on 3; Rev. P. Madden not at all.

CAUTION.

Rule 1. "That the object of the Institution be to afford medical and surgical aid to poor persons requiring it, irrespective of creed, country, or color, 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."

Rule 2. "That in the event of any person in a position to pay for medical or surgical advice elsewhere, being detected in receipt of the charity of the Institution, such patient to be held accountable for all expenses incurred on his or her behalf."

 BALLARAT DISTRICT HOSPITAL.

FORM OF RECOMMENDATION.

TO THE MANAGING COMMITTEE OF THE BALLARAT DISTRICT HOSPITAL.

Gentlemen,—

day of

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I recommend

aged years, whom I believe to be a fit and proper person to receive the benefits of the Ballarat District Hospital, as an in or out patient.

Has three clean shirts.

In case of death, I undertake to pay this patient's funeral expenses, not exceeding £6.

Your obedient servant,

Governor.

 Out-patients' Days—Tuesdays and Fridays only, before 11 o'clock a.m.

 In-patients' Admission Days—Mondays and Thursdays, before 12 o'clock noon.

NOTE.—If the Governor will not guarantee the expenses, let him erase the memorandum at the foot. Recommenders attention is particularly called to endorsement above.

 Residence of Recipient

*Trade

Married or Single

Native Place

Religion

If Recipient has received advice elsewhere, and if so, name of last medical adviser

If Recipient has before received the benefits of the Institution

Recommender's Address

* If a Miner, in what Claim working

R U L E S
OF THE
BALLARAT DISTRICT HOSPITAL.

1. That the object of the Institution be to afford medical and surgical aid to poor persons requiring it, irrespective of creed, country, or color, and for casualties ; but no person who shall meet with casualties, and shall be found able to pay for aid elsewhere shall receive further than temporary assistance.

2. That in the event of any person in a position to pay for medical or surgical advice elsewhere, being detected in receipt of the charity of the Institution, such patient be held accountable for all expenses incurred on his or her behalf.

3. That the Institution shall consist of a president, two vice-presidents, five trustees, treasurer, and three honorary medical and three honorary surgical officers.

4. That the above officers (with the exception of the trustees) be elected by the governors and annual subscribers of one pound from the governors.

Qualifications and Privileges of Governors and Subscribers..

5. That every benefactor of £20 or upwards be a life governor, and every annual contributor of £2 an annual governor, with liberty of voting at all general meetings, and of having one in-patient or one out-patient always on the books of the Institution, subject to the approval of the Committee of Management hereinafter mentioned, provided there are vacant beds, and the funds of the Hospital admit of the reception of such patients.

6. That every executor (first named) under any will paying to the Institution a bequest of £50 or upwards, and every minister raising by one or more collections in his church, in any one year, the sum of £50 or upwards, and that every other person elected at a general meeting of governors and subscribers, at the recommendation of the Committee of Management, in consideration of special services rendered to the Institution, be respectively honorary governors, with all the rights and privileges of life governors ; and any person (with the exception of the paid collector) collecting by subscriptions in any one year the sum of £20 or upwards, shall have the right and privileges for that year only.

7. That every benefactor of £10 or upwards be a life subscriber, and

every contributor of £1 per annum an annual subscriber, with liberty of recommending six out-patients in every year, and voting at all public meetings.

8. That the annual subscriptions must be paid in advance for the current year, such year to be computed from the day on which such subscription is paid ; and no governor or subscriber will be entitled to any privilege until the subscription be paid.

9. That no person shall vote as a governor or subscriber while he is a salaried officer, or pupil of the Hospital, nor any new governor or subscriber, unless his subscription shall have been paid three days preceding.

10. That no new law or regulations, or any repeal or alteration in the existing laws shall be valid, unless the same shall have been passed at a general or special meeting of the governors and subscribers.

11. The Committee of Management shall consist of the president, vice-president, treasurer, trustees (if governors), honorary medical and surgical officers, and sixteen other governors to be elected annually.

12. It shall be competent at any time for the Committee of Management, at which at least eight members shall be present, or for nine or more governors, by a writing under their hands, to require the president to summon, at the expiration of seven days, a special meeting of governors, the occasion of calling such meeting being stated in the requisition ; and no business shall be transacted at such special meeting except that for which it shall have been summoned. Every such meeting to be called by the president by advertisement in two (at least) of the public newspapers published in Ballarat, at least four days before the day of meeting.

13. In the event of any vacancies in the offices of president, vice-presidents, treasurer, trustees, honorary medical or surgical officers, the election of a successor shall take place at a general meeting of the governors and subscribers, to be convened by the Committee of Management, which election shall be according to the Act.

14. And it shall be lawful at meetings of subscribers for any subscriber duly qualified to vote, to vote either in person or by proxy, such proxy being also a subscriber duly qualified, provided that such proxy shall have the authority in writing signed by the subscriber, and such authority shall only extend to the one meeting especially named therein.

Admission and Discharge of Patients.

15. That accidents, and such cases as may be deemed of decided emergency by the honorary medical or surgical officers, or the resident surgeon, be received at any time ; but the admission of patients in ordinary cases on the recommendation of a governor or subscriber, be restricted to Mondays and Thursdays, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. No pregnant female, for the purpose of confinement, no child under five years of age, no insane person, no person affected with syphilis, or any infectious disease, or suffering from chronic paralysis, or any person who, in the opinion of one of the medical or surgical officers and

resident-surgeon, or house committee, is unsuitable to be admitted, shall be received as an in-patient under any circumstances ; and the cause of the refusal of any patient so refused admittance, shall be stated to the next meeting of the Committee of Management by the resident surgeon.

16. That no patient shall be discharged without a reference to the honorary medical officer in charge of the case, with the exception of patients guilty of gross misconduct, who may be summarily dismissed by the resident surgeon, such dismissal to be reported to the House Committee at their next meeting.

17. Previous to the departure of patients, who may leave the Hospital at their own desire, they shall sign a declaration to that effect.

18. All recommendations must be in accordance with the form appended (see page 19).

Committee of Management.

19. The Committee of Management shall direct the general business of the Institution ; shall frame bye-laws for its internal regulation, the same not being contrary to the general rules ; and appoint and discharge all paid officers and servants of the Institution. They shall meet on the first Wednesday in every month, or on such days as they may appoint. They shall have the power to admit patients and to make regulations respecting them. The chairman of committees to have a casting vote but no deliberative vote.

20. That the president, vice-presidents, and honorary medical and surgical officers be members, *ex officio*, of all committees.

21. The Committee of Management shall choose from among themselves a house committee of five, three to form a quorum, who shall meet on such day and hour in each week as they may appoint, and have power to audit the house accounts, engage and discharge servants, and to regulate the internal management of the Institution.

22. The House Committee shall at each of their meetings examine all recommendations for patients received since their last meeting, and shall have power to discharge any patient that they are of opinion is not a fit and proper person to receive the benefits of the Institution.

23. The Committee of Management shall present a general report of the affairs of the Institution at the annual meeting of subscribers and governors, in January of each year.

24. The accounts of the Institution shall be audited twice in every year, and presented at the meetings of subscribers held in July and January.

25. That no member of the Committee of Management, or officers of the Hospital, shall become security for any contractor, directly or indirectly.

26. That any member of Committee of Management neglecting his duty for one month without reasonable cause, cease to be a member of the Institution, and that another officer be appointed in his stead.

Treasurer.

27. All monies received on account of the Hospital shall be paid to the

treasurer, and appropriated by him to the purposes of the Institution, under the direction of the Committee of Management.

28. Previously to making any payment, the treasurer shall require a warrant of the Committee of Management authorising such payment, which shall be signed by the president, one of the committee, and countersigned by the secretary.

Officers.

29. That there be three honorary medical, and three honorary surgical officers, together with treasurer, resident surgeon, secretary, and collector, dispenser and house-steward, and head nurse.

Honorary Medical and Surgical Officers.

30. They shall consist of three legally qualified medical and three legally qualified surgical officers, who shall be elected for one year, subject to removal by the Committee of Management for malpractice, misconduct, or neglect of duty.

31. That one of the honorary medical, and one of the honorary surgical officers, shall attend the Hospital each day, the rotation of duty to be regulated by those officers respectively.

32. The honorary medical and surgical officers shall have access to the Institution at all times.

33. That honorary surgeons shall perform all capital surgical operations, but no capital operation shall be performed without a previous consultation of the surgical staff, except in cases of emergency. And the honorary medical and surgical officers respectively shall regularly consult in all cases of importance or protracted continuance in the house.

34. That any honorary medical or surgical officer neglecting his duty for one month, without reasonable cause, cease to be a member of the Institution, and that another officer be appointed in his stead.

35. They shall make a daily report, to be inserted in a book kept for that purpose.

Resident Surgeon.

36. He shall live in the house, and shall not absent himself for more than four hours, without the sanction of the Committee of Management.

N.B.—He and the dispenser shall never be absent at the same time.

37. He shall have the charge of the in-patients during the absence of the honorary medical or surgical officer, and shall have the ordinary charge of all out-patients, and shall report to him at his next visit any patient who may have been disorderly. He shall make a special report to the House Committee of every patient who may have been two months in the Hospital, and he shall report any case that may be considered incurable by the medical or surgical staff, to be dealt with as the Committee may see fit.

38. He shall have the immediate superintendence of the wardsmen and nurses; he shall preserve order, sobriety, and, in case of insubordination, or gross default of duty on the part of any nurse or wardsmen, he

may suspend such servant until the next meeting of the House Committee, and if necessary he may provisionally hire a substitute for such servant so suspended, and he shall report his having done so, with the cause of such suspension, to the House Committee at their next meeting.

39. He shall have the charge of the surgical instruments, and shall make an inventory of the same in a book to be kept for that purpose; the receipt, expenditure, loss, and breakage of such instruments; and shall prepare a list of the stock in hand, to be submitted to the Committee of Management on the last days of March, June, September, and December.

40. He shall enter regularly, in proper books to be kept for such purpose, the names of the patients as they are admitted and discharged, and note the nature and history of their diseases while under treatment; loss or breakage of surgical instruments, or other things in his charge; and he shall have such books ready at all times for the inspection of the Committee, and shall attend the weekly meetings of the House Committee, and lay before them all recommendations for patients received since their last meeting; and he shall receive all money and other property belonging to patients, and shall account for the same weekly to the Committee.

41. He shall accompany the medical and surgical officers every day through the wards, and report to them the state of the patients, and shall enter in a book to be kept for that purpose the prescriptions of the physicians and surgeons. He shall also visit each patient every morning and evening, and inquire if the treatment prescribed has been attended to, and if any cause of complaint exists; and should any patient have any complaint to prefer, he shall enter the same in the Patients' Complaint Book immediately, in the presence of the wardsmen or nurse of the ward, and shall lay such book before the House Committee at each meeting.

42. He shall, on his visits to the wards, examine their condition with respect to cleanliness, temperature, and ventilation, and observe if the wardsmen and nurses have done their duty.

43. He shall affix to the bed of each patient his name, age, disease, the date of his admission, the name of the governor by whom he has been recommended, and the diet ordered by the medical or surgical officer in charge.

44. He shall perform all the minor operations of surgery, and the *post mortem* examinations not performed by the medical or surgical officers, and shall keep the key of the dead house.

45. In the absence of the medical or surgical officers in all cases of emergency, he shall cause immediate notice of such emergency to be given to them, being authorised in the meantime to act to the best of his judgment, avoiding as far as possible any unnecessary interference with the duties of those officers.

46. He shall not, on any pretence whatever, be concerned in any medical or surgical practice out of the Hospital, nor in any other business.

47. He shall give due notice to the honorary medical or surgical of-

ficers when a consultation is to be held or an operation to be performed.

48. That in the absence of the house steward he shall perform his duty.

Dispenser and House Steward.

49. He shall be subject to the same regulations respecting living in the house, and absence therefrom, as are laid down for the guidance of the resident medical officer.

N.B.—He and the house surgeon shall never be absent at the same time.

50. He shall carefully examine all drugs and chemicals brought into the house, both as to quality and quantity, and report any defects in either respect to the house surgeon; he shall be responsible for all articles used in his department, and likewise for the accurate and prompt dispensing of the medicines ordered by the medical officers, and have prepared and at all times in readiness such as are required to be kept for the ordinary practice of the house.

51. He shall always be present in the dispensary during the hours occupied in supplying medicines to the out-patients, and shall furnish them with all needful instructions, and see that their forms of recommendation are properly filled in.

52. He shall have the immediate superintendence and general control of the domestic servants of the Hospital, and shall have the power of hiring and discharging such servants, subject to the sanction of the House Committee.

53. He shall see that the wards and all other parts of the house and grounds are kept in a proper state of cleanliness and order, and that the servants generally do their duty.

54. He shall inspect the diet of the patients, and see that it is of good quality and properly prepared, and such as is ordered in the diet book to be kept for that purpose.

55. He shall keep an inventory of the articles in use in each ward, and shall, monthly, or oftener, if required, inspect the same, to see what things may be deficient; and shall in no case allow a wardsmen to leave till he has compared the outfit of his ward with the inventory.

56. He shall have the charge of, and be accountable for, the bedding, linen, glass, cutlery, cooking and kitchen utensils, and make an inventory of the same in a book to be kept for that purpose, in which he shall regularly enter the receipt, loss or breakage of each article; and he shall in the months of January, April, July, and October, in each year, prepare and submit to the House Committee a list of such articles as may be required in his department for the ensuing quarter.

57. He shall receive the stores and supplies furnished by the contractors and tradesmen, and see that they correspond in description, quality and quantity with the tenders and orders; and in case they do not, he shall have the power to return the same; and he shall weigh or measure out the provisions and other necessaries required for daily consumption, and shall superintend the appointing of the diets before delivery to the

wardsmen and nurses, entering the amount consumed regularly in a book to be kept for that purpose ; and he shall not suffer any of the provisions, utensils or stores to be carried away from the Hospital.

Secretary and Collector.

58. He shall attend all special, general, and committee meetings ; he shall take minutes of the proceedings, and transcribe them carefully into books kept for that purpose, and he shall carry out the directions of such meetings in the particulars incident to his department.

59. He shall collect subscriptions and all moneys due to the Institution, and in all cases give receipts for such subscriptions, and pay over the same to the treasurer once in every week, and render account of the amount by him received since the last payment.

60. He shall conduct the correspondence and other clerical business of his department, and he shall enter and keep the accounts of the Institution under the direction of the committees.

61. He shall compile all reports that may be ordered by the committee, fill up all cheques, and perform the clerical duties connected with the office of treasurer.

Head Nurse.

62. The head nurse shall live in the house, and shall not leave it for any length of time without the consent of the resident surgeon.

63. In case of any misbehaviour or disobedience on the part of the female patients, she shall report the same to the house surgeon.

64. She shall visit the female wards every day, and ascertain if they and the beds, bedding, and clothes of the patients are clean and neat, causing such of the beds, bedding and clothes as require it to be replaced with others, and thoroughly cleansed.

Wardsmen and Nurses.

65. The wardsmen and nurses shall be constantly in their wards, and regular in their attendance upon patients.

66. They shall obey the resident surgeon, and shall behave with tenderness to all patients, with civility and respect to strangers ; they shall withdraw from the wards when the House Committee enter them, unless particularly requested to remain ; and they shall take no presents, or gratuity, in money or otherwise, from the patients, their friends, or strangers who may visit the Institution, on any pretence whatever.

67. No wardsmen or nurse shall leave the Institution without permission of the resident surgeon.

68. The wardsmen and nurses shall be particular to observe personal cleanliness ; they shall have their respective wards swept, scrubbed, and thoroughly cleansed, and all dirt and rubbish removed from them by 7 o'clock in the morning in summer, and before 8 o'clock in the morning in winter.

69. They shall serve up breakfast to the patients at 8 o'clock in the morning.

70. They shall have the several chamber utensils scalded every morning, and scoured as often as may be necessary, and kept out of the wards during the day, unless specially required.

71. They shall pay great attention to the bedding of patients, and have the mattresses thoroughly aired and dried when necessary, and the sheets and blankets and counterpanes renewed as often as may be required.

72. They shall not allow clothes to be hung, nor dirt to be thrown out of the windows.

73. They shall administer to patients, at the times directed, the medicines and diet prescribed, and they shall not suffer them to take any which are not prescribed, and they shall be careful to explain to the patients the instructions of the honorary medical officer and resident surgeon.

74. They shall not permit patients to receive from visitors medicines, victuals, tobacco, or liquor of any kind; nor allow any portion of medicine or diet, nor anything to be removed from the wards, by the patients or visitors, without an order from the resident surgeon.

75. They shall be careful to collect and carry to the resident surgeon all empty phials, gallipots, bandages, &c., and they shall attend at the dispensary at the time appointed to receive medicines and instructions.

76. They shall watch attentively the state and symptoms of the patients, more especially in urgent or uncommon cases, and report to the resident surgeon, or, in his absence, to the dispenser.

77. They shall not admit any stranger into any ward, without permission of the resident surgeon (except on visiting days).

78. All wardsmen, nurses, and servants shall be obedient to the regulations, of the Institution, and they shall report immediately to the resident surgeon any impropriety of conduct or infringement of them by any patient, visitor, or other person; and if such complaint be not properly attended to, they shall report the same to the House Committee at its next meeting.

Patients.

79. Patients shall conduct themselves orderly, and shall strictly observe all the directions of the honorary medical officers, resident surgeon, house steward, wardsmen, and nurses.

80. They shall take their medicines at the time directed, and they shall take no other medicines than those prescribed; and they shall not conceal nor put away any portion of the medicine or diet administered to them.

81. No one shall leave his or her ward, and go into another ward or apartment, nor leave the house, nor remain out for a longer time than is granted, nor shall introduce visitors, nor receive medicines, victuals, liquors, or tobacco, or anything without the express leave of the resident surgeon.

82. They shall not gamble or smoke, nor spit on the floor, nor deface or injure any part of the ward, nor any furniture, bedding, or clothing therein, nor sing, blaspheme, or use rude or indecent language.

83. No patient shall give reward or gratuity to any of the wardsmen, nurses, or other servants.

84. Any patient having any cause of complaint shall make the same known to the resident surgeon, whose duty it shall be to enter such complaint immediately, in the presence of the nurse or wardsmen of the ward, in a book kept for that purpose, which book shall be laid before the House Committee at each meeting.

85. Patients judged by the resident surgeon sufficiently convalescent to be able to assist in the work of the Institution, may, at the discretion of the resident surgeon, be so employed.

86. Patients shall not sit up after 8 o'clock in winter, or 9 o'clock in the summer; and all patients considered by the resident surgeon able to do so shall rise at 7 o'clock in the summer, and before 8 o'clock in the winter.

Visitors.

87. Visitors are admitted into the Institution on Sunday, Monday, and Friday, in each week, between the hours of 2 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon; but no visitor is allowed to remain more than one hour.

88. Visitors may be admitted on special occasions by a written order from a member of the committee, addressed to the resident surgeon.

89. Visitors will not be allowed to go into any ward without the leave of the resident surgeon; and visitors must retire when requested.

90. They will not be permitted to give to, or leave with any patient, medicine, food, tobacco, or liquor of any kind, nor any other thing, without the express sanction of the resident surgeon.

91. No visitor shall give to any servant of the Institution any money or gratuity of any kind.

92. Visitors are requested not to interfere with the wardsmen or nurses, and not to disturb the patients by loud talking, or unnecessary noise.

93. Any visitor violating any of the regulations of the Institution, or behaving with impropriety, will be compelled to retire, and will not be re-admitted without special leave from the resident surgeon or House Committee.

LIBRARY.

The friends of the Institution are informed that there is a library forming for the use of the patients, and that the committee will thankfully receive donations of books, periodicals, &c.

FORM OF BEQUEST TO THE BALLARAT DISTRICT HOSPITAL, WHICH MAY BE INTRODUCED INTO A WILL.

I give and bequeath to the Ballarat District Hospital the sum of £ to be applied as the Committee of Management for the time being thereof may direct; for which sum the receipt of the Treasurer for the time being of the said Institution shall be a sufficient discharge.

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT
OF THE
BALLARAT DISTRICT HOSPITAL.

STANDING RULES AND ORDERS.

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

1. The business of the committee shall commence at the hour appointed, or as soon after as a quorum shall be present.
2. The presence of five members shall constitute a quorum of the committee.
3. If at the expiration of twenty minutes from the time appointed for the committee to meet there is not a quorum, such meeting shall stand adjourned, and such circumstance, together with the names of the members present, shall be recorded in the minute-book.
4. The minutes of any preceding meeting not previously confirmed shall be read as the first business at all meetings of the committee, in order to their confirmation; and no discussion shall be permitted thereupon, except as to their accuracy as a record of the proceedings.
5. The reading of the correspondence unconnected with the orders of the day, and the bringing up of reports of committees and notices of motion, shall have precedence in the order of business, but shall not be introduced during the consideration of the orders of the day.
6. Orders of the day shall include all matters arising out of the proceedings of former meetings of the committee, any business which the chairman may think fit to bring under consideration; and such orders shall take precedence in the rotation in which they stand in the minute-book.

NOTICES AND MOTIONS.

7. No member shall make any motion initiating a subject for discussion, or for reconsidering a motion previously disposed of, except in pursuance of a notice given at a previous meeting of the committee, and such notices must be given either previous to the committee entering upon the orders of the day, or after such orders shall have been disposed of.
8. Every member, on giving notice of motion, shall read it aloud, and

deliver to the chairman a copy of such notice, together with his name, and the day proposed for bringing on such notice.

9. A member may give notice for any other member not then present, by putting the name of the member for whom the notice is given on the notice of motion.

10. No motion entered on the notice-paper shall be proceeded with unless the member who has given such notice, or some one authorised by him, be present when the business is called in order. Notices not so proceeded with shall be struck out of the paper.

11. Any motion not seconded shall not be further debated, but shall lapse.

12. A member who has proposed a motion may withdraw the same by leave of the chairman, but should such motion be seconded, such leave can only be granted provided there be no negative voice.

13. The chairman may order a complicated question to be divided.

14. So soon as a debate upon a question shall be concluded, the chairman shall put the question to the committee in a distinct and audible manner.

15. The question being put, shall be resolved in the affirmative or negative by a show of hands.

16. No question or amendment which is the same in substance as any question which has been resolved in the affirmative or negative, shall be a resolution of the committee, unless carried by two-thirds of the members present.

AMENDMENTS.

17. A question having been proposed, may be amended by leaving out, substituting, or adding words, and such amendments shall be resolved by a majority of votes.

18. An amendment proposed, but not seconded, will not be entertained, nor entered on the minutes.

19. Amendments may be proposed to an amendment, as if such amendment were an original question.

20. When amendments have been resolved, the main question as amended shall be put.

21. When amendments have been lost, the original question shall be put.

ORDER OF DEBATE.

22. Any member desirous of proposing a motion or amendment, or of discussing any matter under consideration, must rise and address the chairman; and no member when speaking shall be interrupted, unless called to order, when he shall sit down; in which case the member calling to order shall be heard thereon, in preference to any other speaker, and the question of order shall be disposed of before the subject is resumed, or any other subject entered upon.

23. No member may speak to any question after the same has been put by the chairman, and the voting has been given in the affirmative or negative thereon.

24. When two or more members rise to speak, the chairman shall call upon the member who, in his opinion, first rose in his place.

25. A motion may be made that any member who has risen "be now heard," or "do now speak."

26. A member may speak once to any question before the committee, and upon any amendment proposed thereto, and upon a question or amendment to be proposed by himself, or upon a question of order arising out of the debate, but not otherwise.

27. That any member proposing or seconding a resolution or amendment, shall be held to have spoken, and that the mover only shall have the right of reply.

28. Whenever the Chairman rises during a debate, any member then speaking, or offering to speak, shall sit down, so that the chairman may be heard without interruption.

29. Any member having used objectionable words, and not explaining or retracting the same, or offering an apology for the use thereof to the satisfaction of the committee, will be censured by the committee, and shall not be allowed to hold his seat or vote on any question until the offensive words shall have been retracted by him and an apology rendered to the satisfaction of the committee.

SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDERS.

30. It shall be competent by a vote of two-thirds of the members present, for the committee to suspend any standing order herein contained, provided the effect of such suspension shall not be the rescinding of any resolution previously adopted by the committee.

SUB-COMMITTEES.

31. That the foregoing rules and orders shall, so far as practicable, also regulate the proceedings of all sub-committees.