

Wimmera Base Hospital

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THE EIGHTY-SECOND ANNUAL REPORT OF THE
COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT OF THE WIMMERA BASE
HOSPITAL (INCORPORATED) FOR THE YEAR 1st. JULY,
1955 TO 30th. JUNE, 1956.

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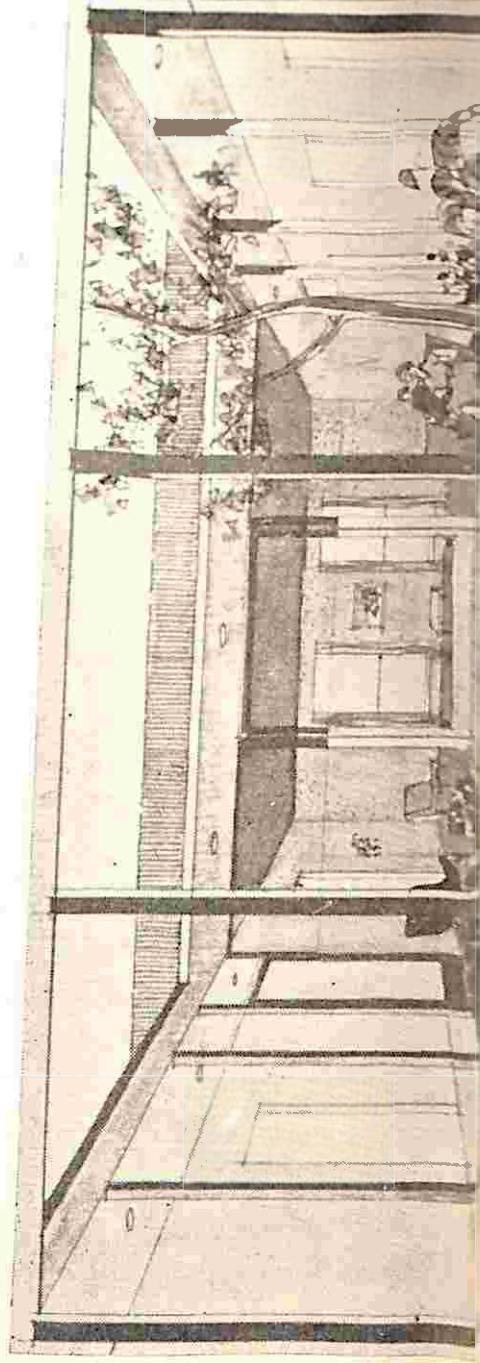
WIMMERA BASE HOSPITAL

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NURSES HOME APPEAL

MAY — NOVEMBER, 1956

INTERIOR VIEW OF NEW NURSES HOME UNIT



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OBITUARY

HAROLD SMITH

On Wednesday, 14th September, 1955, the Committee of Management suffered a profound loss in the death of Mr. Harold Smith.

The late Mr. Smith was elected to the Committee of Management on April 12, 1932 and held the office of President during the arduous war years 1939-1944. At the time of his death he was Chairman of the Finance Committee and Chairman of the Building Committee. His wide knowledge of all matters pertaining to building, his sound judgment and helpful advice will be sadly missed by his fellow members of the committee.

MRS. PHOEBE FAULL ANDERSON

Wednesday, the 21st September, 1955, brought to a close a long life of charitable works in the death of Mrs. Phoebe Faull Anderson. Mrs. Anderson was affectionately known as "Ma" throughout the whole of the Wimmera and in 1951 New Year Honors was awarded the M.B.E. in recognition of this length of service. During this time Mrs. Anderson was personally responsible for raising more than £17,500 for the Wimmera Base Hospital and for many years had been Vice-President of the Ladies' Auxiliary. She will be greatly missed throughout the Wimmera.

WIMMERA BASE HOSPITAL

(Incorporated)

OFFICERS AND COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT, 1955-56

President:

Mr. R. W. Shepherd

Immediate Past President:

The Late Mr. O. D. Fitzgerald.

Vice-Presidents:

The Late Mr. H. Smith, Mr. H. J. Randall

Honorary Treasurer and Government Representative :

Mr. K. H. Lovett, J.P., F.I.M.A.; A.A.S.A.; L.M.A.

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT :

Mr. D. Anderson	1953-56	Mr. H. J. Randall	1954-57
Mr. T. E. Conroy	1953-56	Mr. W. J. Thornley	1954-57
Mr. I. S. Crosthwaite	1953-56	Dr. M. M. O'Brien	1954-57
Mr. R. W. Shepherd	1953-56	Dr. R. Webster	1954-57
Mr. H. Smith (deceased 14/9/55)	1953-56	Mr. H. H. Evans	1955-58
Mr. P. L. Bull	1956	Dr. G. Forsyth	1955-58
Mr. J. V. S. Ward	1953-56	Mr. W. J. H. Morson	1955-58
Mr. A. L. Hutchesson	1954-57		

HONORARY MEDICAL STAFF :

Dr. G. Forsyth

Dr. M. M. O'Brien
Dr. B. Hutton-Jones
Dr. T. V. Walpole

Dr. A. L. Bridge
Dr. R. Webster
Dr. R. G. Moore

HONORARY DENTISTS :

Mr. Austin Dalton
Mr. C. W. Dougall

Mr F. R. P. Sim
Mr. C. W. Pearson

HONORARY SOLICITOR :

Mr. Ian T. Bennett.

RESIDENT MEDICAL OFFICERS :

Dr. W. G. Gaston, M.B., B.S.
Dr. G. W. Tassie, M.B., B.S.

Dr. G. G. Ward, M.B., B.S.
Dr. I. H. Koehne, M.B., B.S.

MATRON:

Miss F. A. Forward.

ASSISTANT MATRON:

Miss V. C. McIntyre.

SISTER TUTORS :

Miss D. M. Rowland. Mrs. V. N. Murphy.

BIOCHEMIST :

Miss B. Schumer, B.Sc.

PHYSIOTHERAPIST :

Mr. F. W. Graham, M.C.S.P., B.P.A.
M.A.E.R.A., M.A.P.A., Dip.M.G.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY AND ACCOUNTANT:

Mr. W. M. Coulson, A.A.S.A., A.I.H.S.

PHARMACIST :

Miss C. M. Worland, PhC., M.P.S.

AUDITOR:

Mr. Morris J. Cohen, Chartered Accountant
(Aust.).

DIETITIAN:

Miss S. J. Milkins, Dip. Inst., Man., Dip Diet.

MANAGER AND SECRETARY :

Mr. L. G. D. McIver, J.P., F.C.I.S., A.A.S.A., F.I.H.S., A.I.H.A., L.C.A.

WIMMERA BASE HOSPITAL PAST PRESIDENTS

Year of Office	Year of Office	Year of Office
*Con Dougherty 1873-74	*F. Williams 1891-92	*John McCann 1916-17
*Rev. G. W. Adams 1874-75	*R. J. Moon 1892-93	*F. J. Millar 1917-19
*Robert Clark 1876	*H. F. W. Kruger 1893-94	G. S. Symonds 1919-22
*J. Langlands 1877	*W. Bolton 1894-95	*F. J. Millar 1922-24
*Angus Cameron 1878	*R. G. Fincham 1895-96	David Anderson 1924-30
*Joseph Fechler 1879	*T. DeB. Twycross' 1896-97	*A. Langlands 1930-33
*George Young 1880	*G. Bodey 1897-98	J. R. Baillie 1933-35
*William Robinson 1881	*James Carroll 1898-99	R. G. W. Brett 1935-38
*William Drummond 1882	*W. F. Osborn 1899	R. J. Wilmoth 1938-39
*S. S. Bowden 1883	*George Ryan 1899-01	*H. Smith 1939-44
*C. G. Rasmussen 1884	*Wm. Sinclair 1901-03	T. E. Conroy 1944-46
*R. H. Andrews 1885-86	*G. Rutherford 1903-04	J. V. S. Ward 1946-48
*J. H. Brake 1886-87	*R. L. Kirk 1904-06	A. C. Wood 1948-49
*W. C. Wright 1887-88	*H. Balfour Cathcart 1906-10	A. L. Hutchesson 1949-51
*Fred Martin 1888-89	*F. J. Sanders 1910-12	*O. D. Fitzgerald 1951-52
*R. Garland 1889-90	*P. Learmonth 1912-14	R. W. Shepherd 1952-56
*J. Kenney 1890-91	*C. Rennison 1914-16	* Deceased

LIFE MEMBERS

Anderson, Mrs. David
 Aumann, Sen. Mrs. H. W.
 Murtoa
 Butler, William
 Carine, W.
 Carter, Vernon
 Cathcart, Miss D.
 Cathcart, Miss Ruby
 Charles, Mrs. R. E.
 Clayton, S., Rupanyup
 Currie, J. H., Dimboola
 Dawson, A.
 Dawson, C. R. F.
 Deneys, Charles
 Denholm, W. P.
 Dougherty, W.
 Draffin, Isaac
 Emanuel, R. G.
 Findlay, Roy
 Freeman, R. C. S.
 Gill, Eilliam, Dimboola
 Grant, D.
 Harper, J. E.

Hateley, B. V.
 Hennessy, P.
 Henstridge, J. B.
 Hole, Lionel T. A.
 Hutchesson, A. L.
 Hutchesson, Mrs. A. L.
 Hutchinson, Mrs. M.
 Isbel, Miss Julia
 Kent, George
 Krelle, H. C. L.
 Lutze, A. A., Murtoa
 Massey, A., Lubeck
 Monaghan, P. C.
 Muller, J. A.
 McAuley, A.
 McClintock, W., Murtoa
 McMillan, D.
 Nettlebeck, George
 Omant, E.
 Pearce, Eric H.
 Pederick, E. B.
 Pcpwell, Mrs. J.
 Pietsch, Mrs. I. V.

Pietsch, E. B.
 Reid, L. E.
 Richards, Miss Gladys
 Riley, T. C.
 Robertson, Peter, Goroke
 Robinson, W. P.
 Russell, Mrs. E. W.
 Schmidt, John
 Scholes, Albert
 Schulze, F. P., Murtoa
 Schurmann, Carl
 Shepherd, R. W.
 Simpson, M. S., Rupanyup
 Sinclair, William
 Smith, J. E., Melbourne
 Stephens, Roy
 Tydeman, Mrs. E. V.
 Watt, D. McL.
 Watts, A. E.
 Whittv, J.
 Wik, Mrs. W. M.
 Williamson, S. V.

EIGHTY-SECOND ANNUAL REPORT

of the Committee of Management

of the

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(INCORPORATED)

HORSHAM

FOR THE YEAR 1/7/55 TO 30/6/56

PRESIDENT'S REPORT TO THE CONTRIBUTORS

Another year having been completed, the Hospital has now given eighty-two years of service to the community and it is my privilege on behalf of the Committee of Management to present this Annual Report and financial statements for the year ended 30th June, 1956.

REGIONAL PLAN :

During 1954 the Regional Plan for Hospitals was extended to the Wimmera and during the year under review considerable steps have been taken to co-ordinate the Hospital Services throughout the area. Council meetings with representation of all hospitals have been held each quarter with problems resolved on a regional basis, conferences have been held by Medical Practitioners, Matrons and Administrators from the participating hospitals. The Hospitals and Charities Commission have allocated to the region five insulcots to be strategically placed throughout the region for the treatment of premature babies, thus saving each hospital the expense of purchasing this very expensive equipment, a walking machine for the rehabilitation of patients has also been provided to the Base Hospital for use as required by the Hospitals in the region, and further equipment for regional use will be supplied as it becomes available.

SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY

DURING THE YEAR—

1. 186 beds were available for 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.
2. A total of 3,937 in-patients were treated.
3. There was a daily average of 105 in-patients receiving treatment.
4. 4,880 out-patients received treatment, having 9,403 attendances.
5. 440 maternity patients were treated.
6. 389 babies were born in the Hospital during the year.
7. 379 major and 880 minor operations were performed.

IN ORDER TO PROVIDE THIS SERVICE :

1. 4,979 X-ray films were taken.
2. 3,717 Pathological tests were carried out.
3. 5,951 Physiotherapy treatments were given.
4. 180,940 meals were served.
5. 712,192 articles were laundered.
6. 198 persons were employed on the staff.

THIS SERVICE COST :

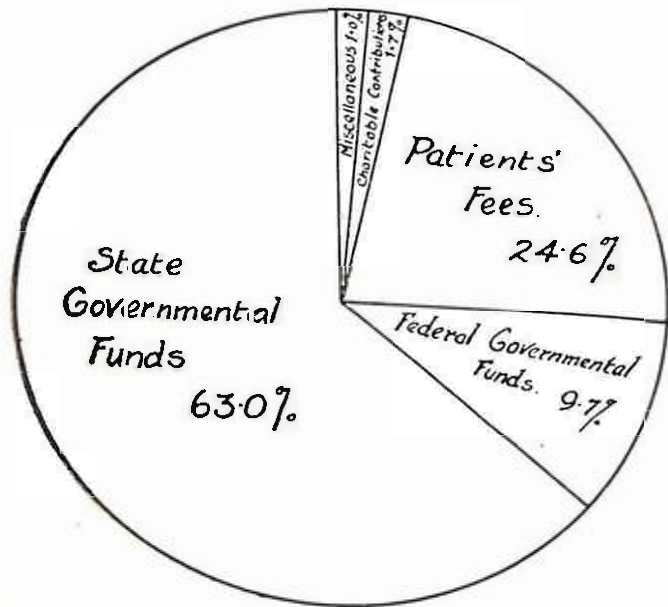
£168,809 for the year.

The average cost per day for in-patients—£4/5/4.

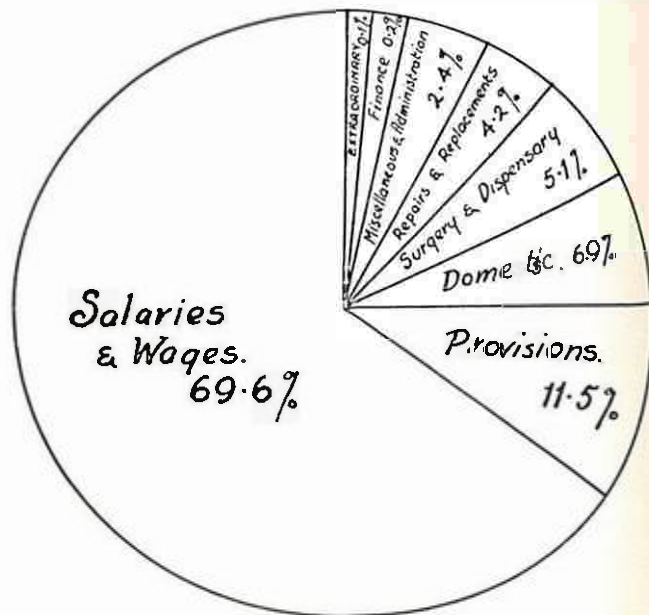
The average cost per patient treated—£56/4/-.

FINANCE—The activities of the Hospital were carried on during a year of rising costs as evidenced by the increase in the basic wage by cost of living rises of 19/- per week this being 8% of the basic wage of 30/6/55, this has been responsible for an increase of 8.7% in the daily bed cost. The following will show the percentages under respective headings of income and expenditure :

INCOME



EXPENDITURE



These diagrams serve to emphasise the important part played by the Government in the supply of funds for maintaining the Hospital, and the large proportion of expenditure that is incurred in salaries and wages according to the awards of the present day.

During the year the total income received from all sources was £164,090 and total expenditure £168,809 leaving a deficit for the year of £4,719.

BUILDINGS—An active maintenance program was carried out during the year embracing the painting of all wards in the non-public section, and considerable works in the public female ward which have brought this unit to a modern standard, and it is hoped that the same will be done for the public male ward during the coming year. A pantry has been provided for night nursing staff meals in the public section. Through the generosity and personal effort of members of Apex Club, a room has been painted and furnished for the use of ambulatory patients, especially the aged, where they may sit and read; this has fulfilled a long felt need in the Hospital.

NURSES' HOME—After full consideration of plans and specifications tenders have now been let for the erection of the first two units of the Nurses' Home, the successful tenderer being Mr. R. J. Turnbull of Horsham, who, as this report goes to print, has commenced work on the site. The Committee of Management have decided that the new Nurses' Home will be known as the Felstead Memorial Nurses' Home as a tribute to the late Dr. G. R. Felstead who for so many years served the Wimmera in general, and this Hospital in particular.

HONORARY MEDICAL STAFF—The Committee of Management takes this opportunity to express their thanks for the services rendered throughout the year by the Medical Staff in an Honorary capacity to the patients in the public sections

of the Hospital, and also for the time they have freely given in lecturing to our student nurses. Our thanks are also due to the members of the Honorary Dental Staff and to our Honorary Solicitor for his advice so readily available.

PETER McCALLUM CLINIC—It is hoped by the Committee of Management and the Medical Staff that these clinics will be resumed as soon as possible and to restore this specialised service to the Wimmera region.

CONSULTATIVE COUNCIL OF POLIOMYELITIS—The clinics conducted by this Council have been continued throughout the year, providing a most valuable follow-up service for those persons who have been affected by poliomyelitis and our thanks are due to the Council and those who conduct the clinics.

SERVICES:

Pathology—Physiotherapy—X-ray—The work in each of these departments tends to be on the increase as these services are made more use of by medical practitioners throughout the region, and if this Hospital is to play its true role of a Base Hospital, it is essential that the present high standard equipment and efficiency be maintained in these departments.

NURSING STAFF—The following Nurses are to be congratulated on having passed the State Final Examination during the year:—

J. A. Hunter	S. J. Berry	B. M. Cameron
M. V. Noske	L. V. Dickason	M. M. Payne
F. P. Schulz	V. M. Hutchinson	E. A. Castle
V. N. Sprake	R. E. Robinson	E. M. Netherway

A Graduation Ceremony was held in the Nurses' Home garden on Feb. 22nd, the Guest Speaker being Miss S. Kirk, Nursing Executive Officer, Hospitals & Charities Commission.

Prizewinners:— Ryan Prize —Nurse M. M. Payne.
Runner-up — Nurse E. A. Castle.

The prizes remain limited to two by common consent of the Ward Sisters.

As the result of a garden fete in December, marred by inclement weather, and a successful Ball, the Nurses have contributed £420 towards their New Nurses' Home.

The establishment of Nursing Aide Training within this region is important. By this means we can provide a planned training for girls wishing to nurse who are not eligible for student nurse training. They make up a useful group who can supply basic nursing needs for the chronic sick. We have at present six Nursing Aide Trainees undertaking the twelve months course.

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT—The Committee of Management suffered a profound loss in the death of Mr. Harold Smith on 14th September, 1955.

A welcome is extended to Mr. P. L. Bull who joined the committee as a representative of our newest Annexe—Goroke Hospital.

ANNEXES:

MURTOA—This hospital continues to give excellent service to the community of Murtoa and district and it is interesting to note from the annual report of the Annexe that 33 babies were born there during the year.

GOROKE—On the 1st November, 1955, the Goroke Hospital, which had previously functioned on lease from the Goroke Benevolent Society, became an annexe of the Wimmera Base Hospital. I am now pleased to report that since that day there have not been any staff worries and also that with the financial assistance of the Hospitals & Charities Commission, new nurses' quarters are now in course of construction, a new operating table has been installed and a complete set of surgical instruments provided. We extend our congratulations to the Sub-Committee of Management and the Goroke Ladies' Auxiliary for their keen interest in the Goroke Annexe Hospital.

LADIES' AUXILIARY—The Ladies' Auxiliary report published later in this report reveals another very successful year of fund raising by means of many and

varied efforts. Your Committee of Management is indeed grateful to the President, Mrs. G. Forsyth, and members of the Auxiliary for their decision to contribute the whole of their efforts towards the building of the New Nurses' Home.

YOUNGER SET AUXILIARY—During the year a new Auxiliary—the Younger Set Auxiliary—was formed with Miss Judy Harfield as their President. Ways and means of raising funds for the Hospital are being explored and we thank these young people for their practical interest in the hospital and wish them a very successful year.

3LK RADIO APPEAL—This year the 3LK Appeal, so far as this hospital is concerned, is to be for the New Nurses' Home for which it will be necessary for this hospital to raise the sum of £30,000. With this in view it was decided by the Committee of Management that a separate Appeals Committee be formed. Early this year this committee was formed and under the Chairmanship of Mr. G. Leivesley has been meeting regularly devising ways and means of reaching our objective of £30,000. The support given to the appeal by all service clubs and organisations of Horsham has been most gratifying. As this report is being written notification has been received that the 3LK Radio appeal will be held in Horsham this year on Sunday, November 18th, and we appeal to all our friends and supporters to rally around and make this a memorable and successful appeal.

ADMINISTRATION—To the Members of the Hospitals and Charities Commission, Dr. J. H. Lindell, Chairman, and Commissioners H. E. Palmer and A. J. McLellan we extend our thanks for their consideration of our problems and assistance during the year.

CONCLUSION—On behalf of the Committee of Management I would thank all the service clubs, Apex, Lions, Rotary and R.S.L. for their efforts on our behalf. I would like to extend to Mrs. W. Henry our appreciation of the service she has given in an Honorary capacity for the past 5 years by resharpening all the hypodermic needles used in the Hospital. The Red Cross Library service has concluded another year of service for which the patients are extremely grateful.

We are grateful for the assistance rendered and interest in the Hospital fostered amongst their pupils by the Head Masters and Teachers of the schools, and the Mother Superior and Teachers of the Convent.

To all those who by personal effort or financial assistance have helped this Hospital during the year we extend a very sincere thank you.

To the press who have made known to the public our problems, our hopes and sometimes our disappointments, we say thank you.

Your committee is appreciative of the co-operation and loyalty shown by the Resident Medical Staff, the Nursing and lay Staff which have continued to create a happy atmosphere within the hospital to the ultimate benefit of our Patients.

Another year of service completed—another year begun.

R. W. SHEPHERD, President.

ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS

Allsop, Maurice	£5	5	0	Neptune Oil Co.	2	2	0
Anderson, David	5	5	0	Netherway, Selina	3	5	0
Andrew Jack, Dyson & Co. . .	4	4	0	Nowacki, Leon	5	0	0
A.N.Z. Bank Staff	1	1	0	O'Brien, Dr. M. M.	1	1	0
Byrne, H. R.	25	0	0	Randall, Harold	1	0	0
Church of Christ	1	0	0	Ritchie, Mrs Ruby	2	2	0
C.I.G. (Victoria) Pty. Ltd. . .	2	0	0	Sawyer, Mrs Ada	5	5	0
Coles Ltd. & Staff, G. J. . .	18	14	0	Schulz, Mrs E.	68	0	0
Commercial Bank of Aust. . .	3	3	0	Sinclair, William	6	0	0
Commercial Banking Co. of Sydney Ltd.	2	2	0	Thomas & Sons, W. C.	3	3	0
Conroy, T. E.	1	1	0	Thornley, W. J.	2	2	0
C.T.A. of Victoria	5	0	0	Vacuum Oil Co. Pty. Ltd. . .	2	2	0
Coulson, Max	1	1	0	Victoria Insurance Co. Ltd. . .	2	2	0
Country Women's Association .	3	3	0	Voigt, Fred	1	0	0
Dennys Lascelles Ltd.	2	2	0	Walker, R. P.	4	4	0
Guardian Assurance Co. Ltd. .	4	4	0	Webster, Dr. R.	1	1	0
Harrington, Nancy	52	0	0	White Maltings, Joe	50	0	0
I.O.O.F. Lodge	3	3	0	Wills, W. D. & H. O.	3	3	0
Knonagel, John	3	10	(Wilson, Late Minnie	8	0	0
Langlands, F. B.	10	10	(Wimmera Dist. M.U.I.O.O.F.	1	1	0
Lucas, Hebe	60	0	(
National Bank of A'sia Ltd. . .	3	3	(
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MAINTENANCE DONATIONS

Armstrong, Ilma & Thos.	£1	1	0	Hayes, W. E.	2	0	0
Australia and New Zealand Bank Limited, Horsham	5	5	0	Hayes, Francis	2	0	0
Anonymous	1	9	0	King, Roy	2	6	0
Bell, Junior Robert	91	10	0	Kemp, Mrs James	21	0	0
Bruggy, Late Emily	10	10	0	Long, W.	2	6	0
Brennan, Estate Patrick	30	0	0	Mott, Estate Daniel	24	10	0
Christmas Cheer Fund	75	18	4	Murtagh M.	1	0	0
Collection Box, Wimmera Base Hospital	1	6	4	McCuish, Isabel	10	0	0
Curran, Betty	2	6	0	McDonald, Mrs. E.	5	0	0
Dagger, Joseph	1	0	0	O'Keefe, Mrs. C.	1	0	0
Daley, Charles	2	6	0	Puls, Ronald	10	0	0
Elmes, Wilhemina	3	4	0	Prineas, P.	2	0	0
English, Freda	1	0	0	Perry, Ernest	2	0	0
Eldridge, Russell	2	6	0	Roe, H. L.	13	9	10
Elliot, Maud	2	10	6	Robson, Nicholas	7	17	2
Fiegert, Ernest	25	0	0	Ryan, Late Michael	16	0	0
Felton, Late Alfred	100	0	0	Reynolds, M. & C.	10	0	0
Forrest Trust, C.L.	50	0	0	Seery, Ellen	1	0	0
Florence, Mrs. J. M.	10	0	0	Sawyer, Ann	10	0	0
Gairs, Pty. Ltd.	3	0	0	Souter, George	1	0	0
Gymbowen Red Cross	10	0	0	Towler, Annie	14	0	0
Gibbs, Emily	10	0	0	Timms, E. & E. J.	10	0	0
Harvey, Nola	5	0	0	Walter, Ralph T.	5	5	0
Hale, L. H.	1	10	0	Ward, J. V. S.	10	0	0
Hind, Robert	15	0	0	Way, Percy	2	6	0
Hocking, Mrs. S.	1	0	0	Way, G. S.	4	6	0
Horsham Dramatic Society . . .	2	0	0	Webb, Carol	2	0	0
Hayes, F. W.	20	0	0	Ward, Bruce	1	0	0
Hunt, Mrs. E.	4	4	0	Wright, A. D.	573	6	5

WIMMERA BASE HOSPITAL

LADIES' HOSPITAL AUXILIARY, 1955-56

ANNUAL REPORT

This annual report is really for 16 months ending June 30, 1956 as we have been asked to extend our year to coincide with the Hospital's financial year. Numerous efforts were held during this time results and details of which will be given in the Treasurer's Report.

The total sum raised being £1,922/17/11. At the beginning of 1956 we were extremely sorry to say good-bye to our efficient and popular Secretary, Mrs. Bishop, at a party and presentation given her by Auxiliary Members, also we lost the services of Mrs. Moore as Treasurer. Our thanks to her for her work and hope to have her back again later on.

At our March meeting after recess we were fortunate indeed to have Mrs. Dempster and Mrs. Dodgson elected Secretary and Treasurer respectively and both are extremely capable and willing.

In August, 1955, a Younger Set was formed with Miss Judy Harfield as President and this enthusiastic body of young people are proving a wonderful asset to the money raising efforts. No specified equipment was purchased for the Hospital as in other years, as we have been asked by the Committee of Management for full co-operation in the all out effort to raise the money needed for the New Nurses' Home to be called Dr. Felstead Memorial Home, and members of the Auxiliary were only too pleased to have the privilege of working for a tribute to the memory of one who had done so much for the people of Horsham and district.

At our meeting in May it was decided to abandon all small efforts apart from raffles and adopt a plan of house to house collections and contributions over a period of 6 months and later conduct a Kiosk for the sale of goods each Friday. This structure is to be erected on a block in Pynsent Street, by generous consent of Mr. Jack Bolton, in a position and for a period of time convenient to him. This should be a steady source of income and we are grateful to Mr. Bolton for his co-operation. The amount in to date from house to house collections is £700/9/- in cash, as well as amounts promised in monthly contributions. This, I consider a most gratifying result and though it hasn't been a pleasant task, people have been generous and good humoured, and I must thank all who have given both large and small amounts. Our country members have been most helpful and contributions of money and dinners for the raffle table have been collected by them.

To all Auxiliary members I extend my grateful thanks for help and support given so happily during my time as President, to Secretary and Treasurer past and present, also to Matron, our Hostess, for afternoon tea, Miss Healey and Miss Milkins. I want them to know how much it is appreciated. Thank you too, to Mr. McIver for advice and guidance in matters connected with the work of the Auxiliary.

I must also include a word of appreciation for the press and the girls that have come along to report our doings and to keep the work of the Auxiliary before the public. This is a most important factor in the success of any undertaking for raising money for the work of the Hospital.

(Signed) M. I. FORSYTH, President.

WIMMERA BASE HOSPITAL

STATEMENT OF OPERATING COSTS AND INCOME FOR THE 12 MONTH PERIOD ENDED 30th JUNE, 1956

Expenditure was incurred on :

Bread, Milk, Meat, Butter, etc.	£19,511
Drugs, Medicines, X-Ray Films, etc.	6,879
Pharmaceutical Benefits	1,686
Wood, Electricity, Gas, Crockery, Linen, etc.	11,676
Salaries and Wages	117,429
Printing, Stationery, Cartage, Insurance, etc.	4,088
Repairs to Buildings, etc.	7,035
Bank Charges, Loan Interest, etc.	313
Total Cost of Maintaining the Hospital	£168,617
Extraordinary Expenditure	192
Total	£168,809

Sources of Income :

Government Maintenance Grant	£90,759
Pharmaceutical Benefits	1,733
Income on account of T.B. Patients	10,166
Motor Car (Hospital Payments) Fund	287
Other Government Grants	428
Total Government Moneys	£103,373
Municipal Grants	£475
Patients' Fees—	
Payments	£40,406
Hospital Benefits Fund	15,902
	56,308
Investment Income	11
Miscellaneous Income	1,617
	58,411
	161,784
Leaving to be found by Charitable Contributions	7,025
Charitable Contributions Received :	
Annual Subscriptions	£388
Donations in Cash and Kind	918
Donations transferred from Reserve	1,000
	2,306
Deficiency for year	£4,719
Plus Transfer to Loan Redemption Sinking Fund	£117
Plus Government Grant Motor Car (Hospital Payments) Fund	287
	404
	£5,123
Less Transfer from Loan Redemption Sinking Fund	£557
Less Accumulated Surplus to 30th June, 1955	11,517
	12,074
Accumulated Surplus to 30th June, 1956	£6,951

WIMMERA BASE HOSPITAL

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES AS AT 30th JUNE, 1956

ASSETS

Current Assets :			
Cash in hand and at Bank	£440		
Patients' Fees Outstanding	7,384		
Sundry Debtors	900		
Income Accrued	3,627		
Prepayments	279		
Stores on Hand	19,188		
Total Current Assets			£31,818
Investments :			
Fixed Deposits and Commonwealth Treasury Bonds			500
Fixed Assets :			
Buildings	£97,002		
Plant, Machinery, Furniture and Equipment	43,698		
			£140,700
Total Assets			£173,018
LIABILITIES AND FUNDS			
Current Liabilities :			
Bank Overdraft :			
Maintenance	£23,614		
Expenses Accrued and Sundry Liabilities	2,381		
Total Current Liabilities			£25,995
Funds :			
Endowment	£400		
Capital at 30th June, 1956	£139,672		
Plus Accumulated Surplus	6,951		
			146,623
Total Funds			147,023
Total Liabilities and Funds			£173,018

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT ATTENDANCES

For the 12 Month Period Ended 30th June, 1956

	Building.	Finance.	House.	Monthly.
Ordinary Meetings Held	4	12	12	11
Special Meetings Held	2	1		
Anderson, D.	2			10
Bull, P. L. (appointed 2-2-56)				1
Conroy, T. E.	1	8	10	8
Crosthwaite, I. S.			3	6
Evans, H. H.				Nil
Forsyth, Dr. G.			8	9
Hutchesson, A. L.		9		11
Lovett, K. H.		9		10
Morson, W. J. H. (elected 30-8-55)	4			5
O'Brien, Dr. M. M.		4		6
Randall, H. J.	3	12		10
Shepherd, R. W.	3	3	5	10
Smith, H. (deceased 14-9-55)	Nil	Nil		Nil
Thornley, W. J.			9	9
Ward, J. V. S.			Nil	8
Webster, Dr. R.	3		9	10

**STATEMENT OF BUILDING AND EQUIPMENT AND SPECIAL FUNDS AS AT
30th JUNE, 1956**

ASSETS

Cash at Bank :			
Reserve	£1,609		
Building Appeal	10,038		
Capital	4,321		
		<u>£15,968</u>	
Repairs and Replacement Reserve		10	
			<u>£15,978</u>
Old Folk's Home Trust Bank Account			100
T. F. Ryan Nursing Prize Trust			351
			<u>£16,429</u>
		TOTAL ASSETS	£16,429

LIABILITIES AND FUNDS

Liabilities :

Funds, etc.—

Repairs and Replacements Reserve Fund	£10
T. F. Ryan Nursing Prize Trust Fund	351
Unexpended Capital Gifts	15,968
Old Folk's Home Trust	100

TOTAL FUNDS £16,429

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT

Five Years in Review

FIGURES AS AT 31st MARCH IN EACH YEAR (1955 and 1956 AS AT 30th JUNE)

RECEIPTS

	1952	1953	1954	(15 Months)	
				1955	1956
Government Grant—					
Hospitals and Charities Fund ..	£43,055	£57,010	£51,818	£100,534	£90,759
Municipal Grant	1,421	591	642	750	475
Patients' Contributions—					
Fees	23,359	35,318	39,034	50,301	40,406
Hospital Benefits Fund	6,104	10,624	16,486	19,819	15,902
Total Ordinary Revenue	84,974	128,692	121,468	191,138	164,090

EXPENDITURE

Provisions	12,632	£14,265	£16,263	£23,349	£19,511
Surgery and Dispensary	3,227	3,772	7,190	10,554	8,565
Domestic	11,299	12,142	15,002	21,979	11,676
Salaries and Wages	61,418	75,545	92,673	128,949	117,429
Miscellaneous and Administration	2,350	3,023	3,324	4,571	4,088
Establishment Charges	1,115	1,131	8,675	3,154	7,035
Total Ordinary Expenditure	92,485	110,769	144,022	194,385	168,809

STATISTICAL

Daily Average	134.98	128.88	117.18	107.46	105.74
In-Patients	3,018	3,106	3,030	3,315	2,937
Paid Staff	156	165	191	193	198
Accommodation	183	183	183	183	178
Accommodation (Infectious)	8	8	8	8	8
Average Cost per patient per day	37/2	46/7	66/9	78/-	85/4
Cost per occupied bed	£680	£850	£1,219	£1,777	£1,562

NURSING

**MAKE IT
YOUR GIRL'S
CAREER**

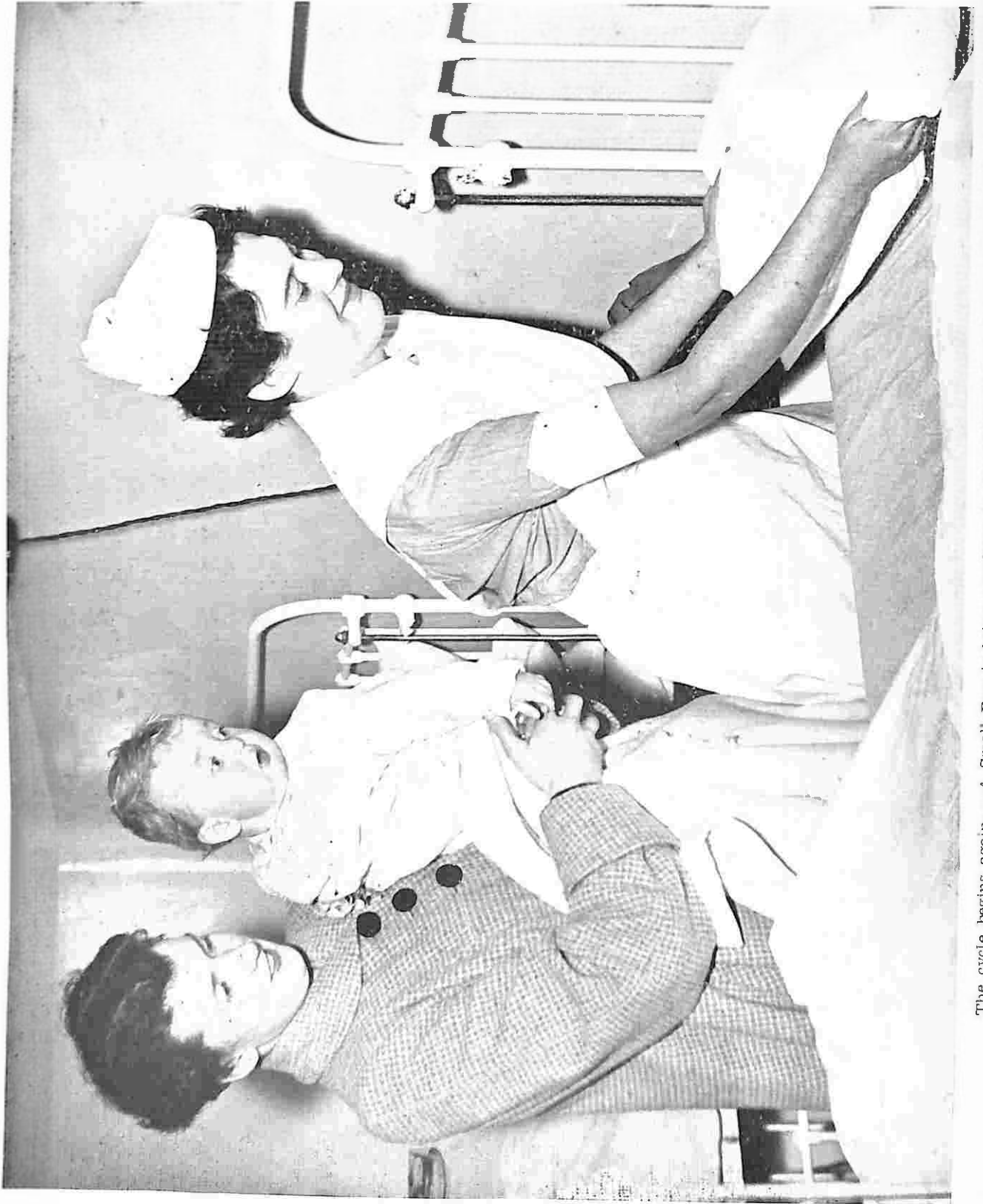
**TRAIN AT THE WIMMERA BASE HOSPITAL
A COMPLETE TRAINING SCHOOL**



Tutor Sister Demonstrates with the aid of a Life Sized Doll. Nurses frequently act as the Model in the Classroom



Setting a Trolley in our well equipped Classroom. A Senior Nurse helps



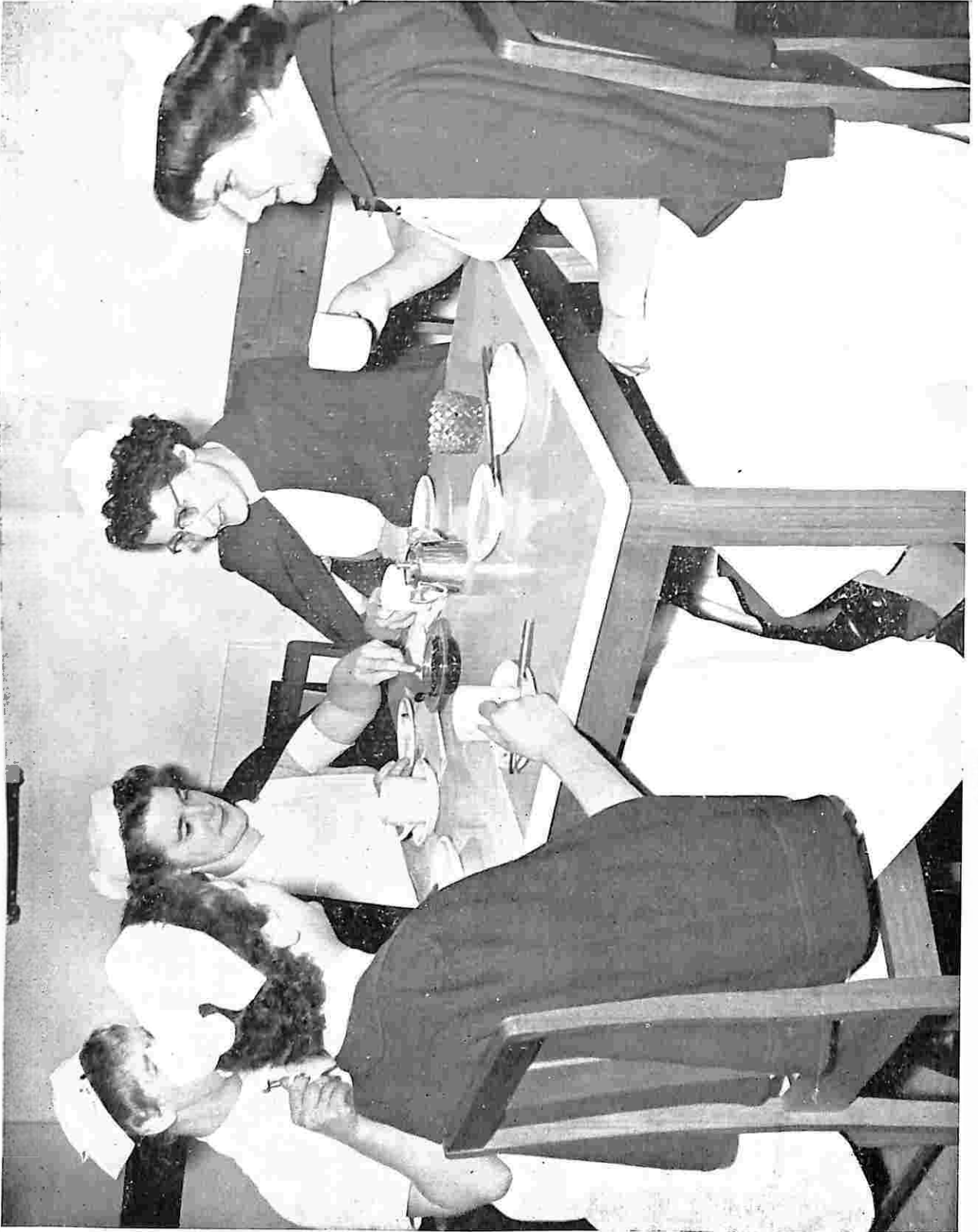
The cycle begins again. A Small Boy is being admitted to the Children's Ward for an Operation



A period of Private Study in the "Study Room."

In the background can be seen the plan of the New Nurses' Home. Enthusiastic Nurses are busy raising Funds for its Erection.

Enthusiastic Nurses



Some of the Nurses at Afternoon Tea



We are very proud of our Hockey Team. Nurses in their Scarlet Tunics pose for the Photographer

Trained Nurse's Certificate

This is to Certify that

.....
has completed three years of training as a student nurse in the wards of the Wimmera Base Hospital, including medical, surgical, infectious, tuberculosis, and children's nursing, has served the prescribed period in the operating theatre and casualty departments, has passed the examinations prescribed by the Nurses' Board of Victoria and is qualified to act as a skilled medical and surgical nurse.

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Chairman Honorary Medical Staff

.....
President

.....
Matron

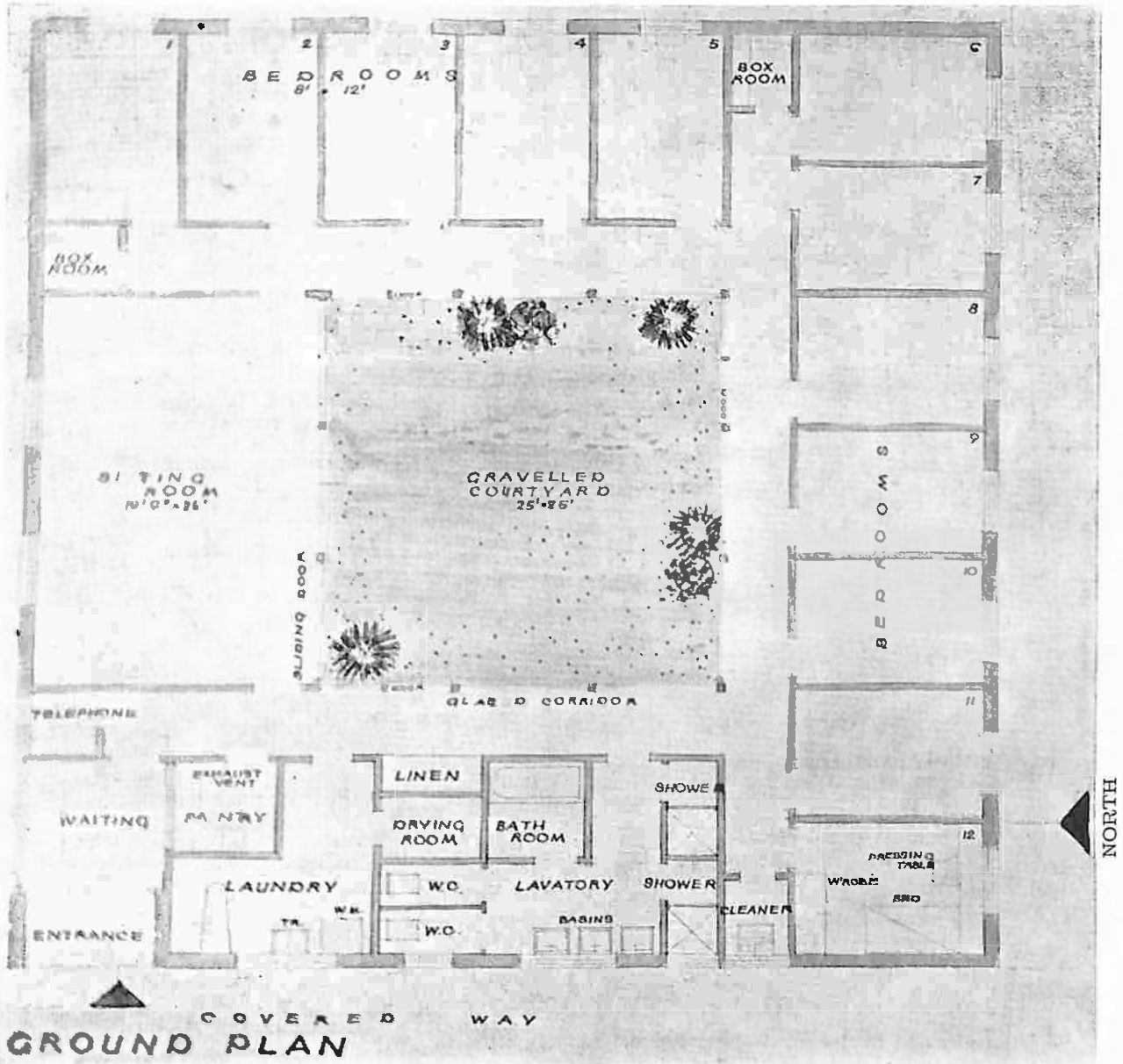
.....
Manager and Secretary

Signature of Nurse

Commenced Duty

Finished Training

Plan of One of Ten Units To be Erected for New Nurses' Home



Yuncken, Freeman Bros., Griffiths and Simpson—Architects.

ENDOWMENT ACCOUNT

Dr.		Cr.	
To Transfer of income to Maintenance Account	£11	By Balance, 1st July, 1955	£400
" Balance, 30th June, 1956	400	" Income from Investments	11
	£411		£411

CAPITAL ACCOUNT

To Balance, 30th June, 1956	£139,672	By Balance, 1st July, 1955	£126,180
		" Transfer from Capital Grants & Gifts	13,492
	£139,672		£139,672

PROPERTY (CAPITAL) BANK ACCOUNT

To Government Grant	£12,230	By Balance, 1st July, 1955	£1,191
" Transfer from 3LK Appeal Account	£6349	" Repayments of Loans	9,750
" Other Items	3	" Additions & Major Alterations	2,918
	£6,352	" Other Items	402
	£18,582	" Balance, 30th June, 1956	4,321
			£18,582

REPAIRS AND REPLACEMENTS RESERVE BANK ACCOUNT

To Balance, 1st July, 1955	£9	By Surgery & Dispensary	£18
" Transfer from Maintenance Bank Account—		" Domestic	134
(1) Government Grant	2,100	" Plant & Machinery	374
(2) Government Grant Special	147	" Furniture & Equipment	1,043
(3) Institution's Contribution	2,100	" Buildings	5,930
" Other Transfers	25	" Balance, 30th June, 1956	10
" Transfer from Maintenance	3,128		
	£7,509		£7,509

DONATIONS AND GRANTS

Building Appeal Account :		
Government Grant for Nurses' Home, 28 Baillie Street		£386 0 0
Property (Capital) Account :		
Government Grant for—		
Louvre Windows Nurses' Home	£750 0 0	
Peugeot Station Waggon	1,050 0 0	
Insul Cots	680 9 0	
Repayment of Loan	9,750 0 0	
Refund of Part Registration Fee on Peugeot Station Waggon	5 6	
Transfer from 3LK Radio Appeal	6,348 12 0	
		£18,579 6 6
Repairs and Replacements Reserve Account :		
Government Grant for Fire Fighting Equipment		£147 0 0

BUILDING APPEAL BANK ACCOUNT

To Balance, 1st July, 1955	£10,734	By New Buildings	£1,082
" Government Grant	386	" Balance, 30th June, 1956	10,038
	<u>£11,120</u>		<u>£11,120</u>

RESERVE BANK ACCOUNT

To Balance, 1st July, 1955	£1,373	By Transfer to Maintenance	
" Donations	235	Account	£27
" Other Items	27	" Balance, 30th June, 1956	1,608
	<u>£1,635</u>		<u>£1,635</u>

3LK RADIO APPEAL BANK ACCOUNT

To Balance, 1st July, 1955	£4,808	By Transfer to Maintenance	
" Donations	2,566	Account	£1,000
" Other Items	546	" Transfer to Capital Account	6,349
		" Appeal Expenses	25
		" Other Items	546
		" Balance, 30th June, 1956	Nil
	<u>£7,920</u>		<u>£7,920</u>

LOAN REDEMPTION SINKING FUND BANK ACCOUNT

To Balance, 1st July, 1955	£635	By Loan Interest	£195
" Transfer from Maintenance		" Transfer to Maintenance	
Account	344	Account	784
	<u>£979</u>		<u>£979</u>

OLD FOLK'S HOME TRUST BANK ACCOUNT

To Balance, 1st July, 1955	£100	By Balance, 30th June, 1956	£100
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GENERAL PURPOSES BANK ACCOUNT

To Ledger Balances, 30th	
June, 1956:	
" Repairs & Replacements	£9 16 5
" Capital	4,320 19 3
" Reserve	1,608 12 7
	<u>£5,939 8 3</u>

LOAN ACCOUNT

To Repayment	£9,750	By Balance, 1st July, 1955	£9,750
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COMMODITIES CONSUMED

Meats	39,036 lbs.	Cereals	3,501 lbs.
Bacon	781 lbs.	Soap (Laundry)	1,895 lbs.
Fish	2,435 lbs.	Soap (Household)	1,504 lbs.
Milk	12,533 gals.	Vegetables	73,959 lbs.
Butter	4,725 lbs.	Fruit	15,459 lbs.
Eggs	7,463 doz.	Cotton Wool	577 lbs.
Bread	30,506 lbs.	Lint	16 lbs.
Flour	4,302 lbs.	Gauze	1,300 yds.
Sugar	10,522 lbs.	Firewood	1,175 tons.
Jam	2,048 lbs.	Gas	1,812,100 c/ft.
Tea	1,773 lbs.	Electric Current	154,346 units.
Coffee and Cocoa	518 lbs.		

CHRISTMAS CHEER, 1955

GOODS DONATED

Lutheran Ladies' Guild	Gifts
Prestige Ltd. (Social Club)	Cases of oranges, Gifts for patients, 5 Gallons Ice Cream, Toys etc. for Children's Ward.
Miss Joyce Mintern	Gifts.
Mrs. J. M. Dunn	Christmas Cake.
Denise & Graham Mintern	Books, Biscuits and Fruit for Children's Ward.
Country Women's Association	Toys for Children's Ward.
Mr. Amos	Toys, etc. for Children's Ward.

CHRISTMAS CHEER CASH DONATIONS, 1955

Anderson, David	1	1	0	Reeves, Errol & Grant, Dale	
Barwell, Les	1	1	0	Reeves, Noel & Ian Jan- etzki, Mervyn Andrews	1 6 0
Carter, Mrs. T. L.	10	0	0	Richards, Miss M. A.	2 0 0
Clarke, Frederick	10	0	0	Riley, T. C.	1 0 0
Creighton, Edward	2	0	0	Sanders, Cyril	1 10 0
Dodson, Geoffrey	1	1	0	"Smithy"	5 0 0
Edmonds, Francis	1	0	0	Symons, Mr.	10 0
Edmonds, George A.	2	0	0	Wattle Lodge	1 1 0
Grant, Esther A.	1	0	0	Wimmera Lodge of Instruc- tion	1 1 0
Grossman, Mr. & Mrs.	1	1	0	Bank Interest	16 4
Harrison, Mrs.	1	0	0		
Horsham City Band	17	0	0		
Horsham Pipe Band	30	0	0		
Lucas, W. G.	2	0	0		
Mathieson, Mr.	10	0	0		
				75 18 4	

STATE SCHOOLS— CASH DONATIONS

Dosen State School	£2	0	0
Horsham State School	1	6	0
Kewell Lutheran State School	1	9	0
Polkemmet East State School	4	0	0
Dimboola Memorial High School	5	0	0
			£12 10 6

Penny Drives, per Ladies' Auxiliary

Horsham High School	£50	2	10
Horsham State School	86	1	5
Horsham West State School	19	7	8
Brigidine Convent	5	0	0
			£160 11 11
			£173 2 5

STATE SCHOOLS

Figures for past five years :—

1951	£286	13	6
1952	385	2	3
1953	329	7	6
1954	339	17	5
1955	335	9	5
			£1,676 10 1
1931-1950	4,107	1	2
Total	£5,783	11	3

DETAILED LIST OF INVESTMENTS AS AT 30th JUNE, 1956

Endowment and General Investments—

E. & J. McCann Trust—			
Commonwealth Treasury Bonds, 3½ per cent. due 15/9/59	£200	0	0
G. W. Ward Bequest—			
Fixed Deposit Receipt with the Commercial Banking Company of Sydney Ltd., Horsham, £50 at 3 per cent., due 19/3/58	50	0	0
Soldiers' Memorial Cot Account—			
Fixed Deposit Receipt with the Commercial Banking Company of Sydney Ltd., Horsham, £150 at 1½ per cent., due 12/12/56	150	0	0
			£400 0 0
T. F. Ryan Nursing Prize Trust—			
Capital—			
Commonwealth Inscribed Stock 3½ per cent., due 15/8/64	£350	0	0
Income—			
Cash at State Savings Bank, Horsham	15	6	
			350 15 6
Victorian Railways Commissioners' Guarantee—			
Fixed Deposit Receipt with the Commercial Banking Company of Sydney Ltd., Horsham, £100 at 1½ per cent., due 5/9/56			100 0 0
			£850 15 6
Total Investments			£850 15 6

I hereby certify that the above is a list of the investments of the Wimmera Base Hospital as at 30/6/56.

23/7/56.

MORRIS J. COHEN, Auditor.

PATIENTS' STATISTICAL REPORT 1/7/55 - 30/6/56

In-Patients	Male	Female	Total
Patients remaining 30/6/55	40	54	94
Admitted during the year	1152	1691	2843
Discharged during the year	1094	1661	2755
Died during the year	48	37	85
Remaining 30/6/56	50	47	97
Daily Average	48.92	56.82	105.74
Operations for the year — Major, 379 ; Minor, 880. Total 1259.			
Out-Patients			
Out-patients treated	2637	2243	4880
Number of attendances	5474	3929	9403
Average number of attendances	2.08	1.75	1.93

3LK APPEAL DONATIONS

Anonymous	10	0	Brooksby, Mr. and Mrs. A. J.	10	0	0
Anderson, David	1	1	Blythe, Mrs.	10	0	0
Alford, C. H.	1	0	Baker, Anne, James and Douglas	3	0	0
Appleton, M.	10	0	Bush, A. E.	2	2	6
Allan and Family, Mr. and Mrs.	1	0	Bristow, Geoff.	25	0	0
Anderson, Mrs. A. V.	5	5	Baker, Mr. and Mrs. C. ..	10	10	0
Adler, H.	10	0	Brandy, R.	2	2	0
Allen, Mrs. and Doreen ..	3	3	Byrne, Mrs. Mary	2	0	0
Ampt, E. W.	3	3	Bleakley, Bros.	2	2	0
"A Patient"	2	0	Bonwick, J. H.	5	5	0
Anderson, Ivan	5	5	Bell, Robert A.	45	0	0
Anonymous	1	0	Carter, Thomas L.	10	0	0
Ashwin, Ivy	2	2	Cross, Mrs. L. A.	2	0	0
Anonymous	5	0	Cross, Jeanette.	10	0	
Allsop, M. C.	10	0	Clark, Neil	10	0	
Aisbett, Margaret and Robert	2	2	Coulson, Max	2	0	0
Adams, Mr. and Mrs. C. S.	2	2	Crick, Elma A.	1	1	0
Anyon, Pat.	5	0	Castles, D. and M.	10	0	
Barnett, Ern	1	0	Collins, Herb	1	1	0
Bolwell, D. E.	2	0	Collins, Mrs. Herb	1	1	0
Buchanan, John	5	0	Cramer, E. G.	1	1	0
Bowden, Mr. and Mrs.	10	0	Clingin, Ian D.	1	1	0
Bolwell, Miss M. C.	1	0	Crosthwaite, I. A.	5	0	0
Burgess, Mrs. A. B.	2	2	Cole, W. E.	1	0	0
Beckett, Miss E. M.	5	0	Culliver, Edward E.	5	0	0
Ball, Harry B.	3	0	Conroy, T. E.	1	1	0
Byrne, H. R.	5	0	Carine, Bros.	5	5	0
Brown, Miss Amy	1	0	Crompton and Sons	5	0	0
Bennett, G.	10	0	Cretney, Michael	5	0	
Butler, E and O.	1	0	Cole, W. E.	1	0	0
			Church of Christ	10	14	6

PROCEEDS COLLECTION BOXES (3LK Appeal)

Paterson's Pty. Ltd	110	9	Wright and Riley	10	10	
Ross, Allan	2	6	Forty Lounge Cafe	11	5	
Omant Bros.	1	5	Schwarz Breads	2	5	
Cook and Son, W.	2	7	Perring's Cafe	4	3	
Latus, Frank	114	5	Burgess' Pharmacy	2	2	
Libby's Coffee Lounge	115	9	Wonder Bar Cafe	1	4	3
Warrick Bros.	1	5	Davie, Lex	6	0	
Ludbrook's Pharmacy	8	9	Rockman's Showrooms ..	4	7	
PoonMing	7	10	Hill, Don	2	1	
Robyn's Frock Salon	1	0	LePlasterier, Gilbert ..	2	10	
Red Cherry Cafe	17	2	Jenkin, J. H. and R.	1	3	
O'Connor Bros.	6	4	Shepherds Pty Ltd.	1	3	
Wardrop My Tailor	2	0	Wimmera Steam Laundry .	9	0	
Collins Shoe Store	14	3	Sacks Jewellers	10	5	
Anderson, Ivan	5	5	Australian Mutual Provid-ent Society	4	0	
Sharry, T. M.	1	2	Powell and Dixon	11	3	
Ranley Motors Pty Ltd. ..	4	3	Commercial Bank of Aus- tralia Ltd.	9	11	
Pimpinio Hotel	1	16	Elder Smith & Co. Ltd ..	4		
Harmony House of Fashion	2	4	Australian and New Zeal- and Bank Ltd.	5	1	
Whites Shoe Store	1	0	Michaelides Cafe	7	0	
Gouge Dry Cleaners	2		Bank of New South Wales	1	9	
Barnett's Men's Wear	4	10	Dunstan, T. E.	2	7	
Barnes Pharmacy	4	6	State Savings Bank of Vic- toria	19	8	
Hustlers Pty. Ltd	1	1				
Bonwick, J. H.	3	0				
Tarax Bar	11	7				
O'Connors Delicatessen ..	3					

Hoskin, C. H. and Son	9	McDonald's Pharmacy	4
National Bank of Australia Ltd	7 0	Wilson Bolton & Co.	10 1
Young's Garage Pty Ltd.	1 10	Dalgety & Co. Ltd.	6 4
Alla S.	11	France, M.	7 8
Schwarz' Cafe	7 7	Lodge, Jack	5 7
Langlands and Sons Pty. Ltd., J.	10 0	Beaurepaire Tyre Service Pty. Ltd.	4 10
Neri, P.	13 2	Harper, D. J.	9 4
Goldsbrough Mort & Co. Ltd.	6 2	Perniewan Wright Ltd.	4 3
New Zealand Loan & Mercantile Agency Co. Ltd.	17 7	Young's Market	6 11
Anderson D.	5 0	O'Beirne, Jas.	4 9
Grabsch & Sons, F. W.	7 8	Bull & Mouth Hotel	4 4 9
Dennys, Lascelles Ltd.	7 7	Commercial Hotel	3 10 6
Frewen, Kevin	1 0	Chandler's Hardware Store	5 5
Town Hall	1	Commercial Banking Company of Sydney Ltd.	4 3
		Hotel Locarno	4 13 9
		A.I.D.E.S.	5 1

3LK APPEAL DONATIONS (Continued)

Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. J. M.	5 5 0	Gardner, Mrs. J.	10 10 0
Davey, William	5 0 0	Goods, Edgar John	1 1 0
Devlin, John, Carolyn and June	3 3 0	Goods, Mrs. Albert	1 1 0
Dickason, Ray	2 6	Graumann, William	10 0
Driscoll, Ian	10 0	Gerlach, Ern	5 0 0
Duncan, Mr. & Mrs. Campbell	5 5 0	Gerlach, Pam	1 0 0
Driffin, Mr. I.	10 0 0	Gerlach, Ian	1 0 0
Dooen Ladies Guild	5 0 0	Gillies, Mrs. E.	10 0
Doolan, I. E.	1 1 0	Gillies, Helen and Jean	10 0
Davie, Lex	3 3 0	Gross, A. R.	10 10 0
Diana Lea Frock Shop	1 1 0	Grabsch & Sons, F. W.	10 0 0
Dooen Hotel, Patrons	1 10 4	Grohs, Mr. O.	2 0 0
Edmonds, George A.	20 0 0	Gerlach, Ern Staff.	12 0
Emmerson, H.	10 0	Goods, Wenda, Graham and Leonie	1 10 0
Emmerson, Miss V.	1 1 6	Gross, W. H.	2 2 0
Edmonds, Arthur George	10 0 0	Greenberg, Peter, Jo and Lee	3 3 0
Eastgate, John	10 0	Gellatley, Jim	10 0
Edmonds, Francis	10 0 0	Horsham City Council Employee's	16 14 9
Exchange Hotel	5 13 0	Hynes, Estate Late Fred	20 5 10
Eade, Frank A.	1 1 0	Hirsch, Walter	2 0 0
Findlay, Roy	5 5 0	Harders, Robert, Yvonne & Pauline	10 0
Anonymous	394 2 10	Horsham West State School	12 6
Forward, Miss F. A.	2 2 0	Hobbs, H. J.	2 0 0
Fuga, Elaine and Pauline	1 1 0	Hallam, Ian	1 0 0
Fulton, H.	10 0	Huf, Mrs. S. C.	30 0 0
Fisher, John	10 0	Harding, E.	3 0 0
Flack, A. H.	10 0 0	Horsham West State School (Fete conducted by Susan Hughes, Lorraine Parish, Judith Warrick)	1 1 0
France, A. E.	1 10 6	Hustlers Pty Ltd.	2 2 0
Flack, Arthur J.	5 5 0	Hutchinson, N.	10 0
Ferneer, Gerrit	10 0	Hutchinson, S.	10 0
Faux, W. G.	2 0 0	Hospital Staff - Wimmera Base Hospital	1 5 0
Ferry, Walter	10 0 0	Hair, C. D.	5 5 0
Francis, E. A.	10 10 0	Hallam, William C.	2 0 0
Fountain, H. G. T.	2 2 0	Horsham Branch Women's Section Country Party	2 2 0
Frederick Salon - Staff	6 0		
Female Staff, Wimmera Base Hospital	2 4 0		
Gates, J. S.	1 0 0		
Gentles, Mr. and Mrs.	1 0 0		
Gentles, Miss R.	10 0		
Grant, Alex	2 2 0		
Gardner, P. F.	5 0 0		

Horsham Telephone Exchange	22	0	0	Murphy, Jim	1	0	0
Hooper, F.	2	2	0	Machel, Miss C.	1	0	0
Hair, E. H. E.	5	5	0	May & Millar Pty. Ltd. ..	10	10	0
Hoskin, Robyn, Helen and Judith	2	2	0	Morson, W. J.	1	1	0
Hutchesson, W. L.	10	10	0	Maddock, Rodney & John	10	0	0
Hobbs, Albert.	25	0	0	Moncrieff, Alec	5	0	0
Hill, Don	2	2	0	Mutten, David	25	0	0
Hobbs, Alec	5	5	0	McLean, Terry, Dianne, Ken and Kim	2	0	0
Hinneberg, Henry	25	0	0	McDonald, Donald	20	0	0
Hayes, W.	2	0	0	McGregor, Mrs. Mary	3	0	0
Haynes, George	5	5	0	McPhee, Mr. G. K.	1	1	0
Hennessy, Jack F.	3	3	0	McClure, Jennifer & Barry	5	C	
Harrington, Mrs. Nancy ..	58	0	0	McClure, Mr. Murray	2	2	0
Jung Hotel - Patrons	4	3	9	McClue, V. F.	3	0	0
Jackman, Bridget	50	0	0	McBean, Mr. and Mrs. J.	1	1	0
Jung State School Social Service League	17	7	0	McNeil, Judith and Darrell	10	0	
Johns, Gill	10	6		McKenzie, N.	1	0	0
Ingleton, Faye and Barry ..	2	2	C	McDonald, H. D.	10	0	
Kewell Lutheran Women's Home	5	0	C	McIntosh, Nola	10	0	
Knight, H. C.	2	2	0	McDonald's Pharmacy	2	2	0
Knonagel, John	1	0	0	McCombe, Mr. and Mrs. A. F.	1	2	C
Kelland's Pty Ltd.	1	0	0	McIntosh, Arch	10	10	0
Knight, J. P.	10	0	0	Natimuk Country Women's Association	3	3	0
Langlands and Sons Pty. Ltd., J.	50	0	0	Neighbor, Barry	5	0	C
Lange, L. H.	5	0	C	Noske Flour Mills Pty Ltd.	5	0	C
Lange, E. W.	5	5	0	Northfield, J. H.	5	0	0
Leslie, D. J.	10	0	0	Nicholls, Caroline	1	0	0
Leslie, J. M.	5	0	0	Newton and Miller	10	10	0
Leith, Clive	10	0		Neate, Geoffrey & Robert	10	0	
Leslie, Maurice	3	0	0	Overall, W. R.	10	C	
Levitzke, R. A.	10	0	C	Officer, Errol	20	0	C
Lovett, Mr. and Mrs. K. and Dean	2	3	0	Officer, Kevin	5	5	0
Lampard, Jas.	10	10	0	Officer, Leslie W.	25	0	0
Lubranizki, M.	5	5	0	Officer, G. J.	1	1	0
"Lu Lu"	1	5	0	Poulton, F. H.	25	0	0
Lee, Jim	5	5	0	Powell and Dixon	10	10	0
Latus, Francis	5	5	0	Perrin, C.	1	1	C
Lucas, W. G.	40	0	0	Prineas, Mr. and Mrs. M.	5	0	0
Lucas, Miss H.	10	0	0	Prineas, Tasra	1	0	0
Mibus, W. J.	15	15	0	Parfett, W. J.	1	0	C
May, W.	5	0	0	Patients and Staff T. B. Chalet	1	0	0
Michaelides, M.	5	0	0	Poon, L.	5	5	0
Moore, Dr. R. G.	5	5	0	Pruess, Marcelle	1	1	0
Morrice, Sister Kath	10	0		Plush, George	10	0	0
Mathieson, T.	1	1	0	Presbyterian Fellowship of Australia	5	0	C
Milkins, Miss Joan	5	0		Pace, Don	1	1	C
Milkins, Miss Shirley	1	1	0	Purches, Patricia and Noel	1	1	0
Mitchell, Alfred	2	2	0	Pianta, Mrs. O. J.	1	0	0
Mantle, T.	2	2	0	Pummeroy, Roy	10	C	
Mounce, N.	5	0	C	Peucker, William	5	0	0
Methodist Ladies' Guild ..	5	0	0	Puls, Mrs. A. S.	10	0	0
Mansfield, Mrs. A.	1	0	0	Quantong Fruit Growers' Association	50	0	0
Mackley, G.	10	0		Rissmann, A.	2	2	C
Martine, Lorraine, Kerry, and Judith	1	1	0	Rowland, Miss D.	10	C	
Mills, H. D.	2	2	0	Righetti, C.	5	0	C
Madam Beer & Co.	5	5	0	R.S.S.A.I.L.A. Horsham Branch	6	6	0
Mewett, R. V.	2	2	0				

Returned Soldiers' League				Smith, Ern	2	2	0
Horsham Sub-Branch	10	0	0	Sailors Home Methodist			
Robson, N.	2	2	6	Ladies' Guild	5	0	0
Reynolds, Thomas H.	2	2	0	Speakman & Millar	1	12	0
Riley, T.	2	0	0	Short, Ormond	2	0	0
Rogers, M. H.	10	6		Smith, Lindsay	10	0	0
Rook, Mr. and Mrs. M.	1	0	0	Shepherd's Pty. Ltd.	10	0	0
Rook, Cheryl and Geoffrey	10	0		Sharry, T. M.	5	0	0
Richards, Miss M. A.	10	0	0	Sack, Mrs. C.	50	0	0
Roche, Miss	2	0	0	Smith, Albert	1	1	0
Rowe, Mrs. L. M. A.	10	0	0	Taylor, H.	5	5	0
Russell, Melrose	25	0	0	Treadwell, Miss Edith	2	2	0
Russell, J. A.	25	0	0	Thistlethwaite, Mr. & Mrs.			
Rupañyup Ladies	15	1	0	G. T.	10	0	0
Rockman's Pty. Ltd.	5	0		Tait, Mr. and Mrs.		4	0
Rose, Malcolm	10	0		Taylor, Stan		10	0
Russell, Carol, Margaret &				Tucker and Family, E. F.	5	0	0
Cheryl	2	2	J	Tippett, Sam	3	3	0
Robertson, Phil	1	0	0	Triffit, Mr. and Mrs.	1	1	0
Ranley Motors & Staff	3	10	0	Trve, Clarrie and Mrs.	2	2	0
Sleep, Ernest	2	2	0	T.B.F.T.B.	1	0	0
Student Nurses Association	286	11	6	Vectis Lutheran Church	18	15	0
Scott and Family, Norman	5	0	0	Victoria Hotel - Patrons		8	10
Sawyer, John	3	0	0	Whitelock, N. R.	1	1	0
Sanders, E. H.	100	0	0	Walker, Mr. & Mrs. Ralph	10	0	0
Sadler, Cheryl, Pat and				Weir, P.	1	1	0
Heather	10	0		Watson, Mrs. F.	1	0	0
St. Helens Plains State				Wilson, Sister Inez	2	0	0
School	1	1	0	Whitehead, Mr. & Mrs. L.	1	1	0
Sauer, Mr.	3	0	0	Wik, Gordon	2	2	0
Schumer, Miss Beryl	2	2	0	Walker, Mr. & Mrs. R. P.	5	5	0
Schwarz, Mr. & Mrs. Harold	10	0	0	Wade, H. W.	10	10	0
Schwarz, Nolene, Brian and				Warrick, Judith & Geoffrey	2	0	0
Daryl	1	10	0	Wardrop My Tailor	1	1	0
Scott, Archie	3	0	0	Weight, W. H.	5	0	0
Scott, Mr. and Mrs. N.	3	0	0	Webber, A. J.	1	0	0
Sawyer, J.	1	1	0	Wimmera Distributing Co.	5	0	0
Schultz, P. C.	5	0	6	White, B.	1	1	0
Schultz, Mrs. A. L.	5	0	0	Waters & Co. S. H.	2	2	6
Schillington, J.	3	0	0	White Hart Hotel - Patrons	4	4	1
Scott, Mrs. and Mr. I.	5	0	0	Wardrop My Tailor - Staff	1	1	0
Semmler, Mrs. F. C.	4	0	0	Young, Mr. and Mrs. D.	10	0	0
S.S. Michael & John's Cath-				Zion Lutheran Church	25	0	0
olic Church	37	0	0				
						£2.565	12 9

**CENTRES FROM WHICH PATIENTS HAVE BEEN TREATED
FOR THE 12 MONTHS PERIOD ENDED 30th JUNE, 1956.**

City of Horsham	1,523	Tarranyurk	4	
Shire of Wimmera:			—	135
Blackheath	5	Shire of Dunmunkle		
Bungalally	1	Coromby	6	
Burnt Creek	3	Kewell	8	
Byrneville	8	Kewell North	2	
Dadswells Bridge	17	Lubeck	15	
Doon	64	Minyip	28	
Dahlen	2	Murtoa	79	
Drung Drung	29	Rupanyup	27	
Garup	3		—	160
Green Lake	8	Shire of Karkaroc		
Greenland Dam	3	Beulah	20	
Haven	69	Gama	1	
Jung	41	Goyura	1	
Kalkee	8	Hopetoun	15	
Laharum	19	Lascelles	1	
Longerenong	5	Patchewollock	9	
McKenzie Creek	10	Yaapeet	8	
Murra Warra	4		—	55
Pimpinio	43	Shire of Kowree		
Polkemmet	9	Apsley	1	
Quantong	55	Boorookpi	1	
Remlaw	11	Charam	1	
Riverside	9	Douglas	15	
St. Helen's Plains	7	Edenhope	29	
Vectis	12	Goroke	65	
Vectis East	5	Gymbowen	15	
Wail	7	Harrow	12	
Wallup	4	Kanagulk	7	
Wartook	3	Karnak	1	
Wonwondah	8	Kangawall	1	
Wonwondah East	5	Langkoop	4	
Youngvale	1	Miga Lake	5	
	—	Minimay	11	
Shire of Arapiles	479	Neurapur	3	
Brimpaen	27	Nurcounq	10	
Clear Lake	14	Patyah	1	
Jallumba	3	Telangatuk	11	
Lower Norton	14	Toolondo	13	
Mitre	3	Ullswater	1	
Mockinya	8	Wombelano	3	
Natimuk	61	Telangatuk East	5	
Noradjuha	38		—	215
Nurrabiel	13	Shire of Lowan		
Tooan	2	Lorquon	1	
Wonwondah North	3	Netherby	1	
	—	Nhill	20	
Shire of Dimboola	186	Tarranginne	1	
Antwerp	5		—	23
Arkona	3	Miscellaneous - Victoria		
Detpa	1	Armadale	1	
Dimboola	43	Beaufort	1	
Ellam	1	Bronzewing	1	
Gerang	1	Brim	1	
Jeparit	29	Balmoral	3	
Katyil	1	Ballarat	5	
Kiata	1	Burwood	1	
Kenmare	2	Coleraine	2	
Rainbow	44	Campbell's Bridge	2	

Coburg	1
Cavendish	1
Casterton	3
Clifton Hill	3
Cannum East	2
Cherry Pool	1
Chelsea	1
Donald	1
Dartmoor	1
Elwood	1
East Malvern	1
Elsternwick	1
Essendon	1
Fawkner	1
Geelong	1
Glenisla	7
Glenorchy	8
Heywood	1
Hamilton	1
Highett	1
Illowa	1
Kirkstall	1
Landsborough	1
Macorna	1
Maroona	2
Marnoo	1
Noble Park	1
North Fitzroy	1
North Balwyn	1
Portland	2
Poolaijelo	2
Prahran	1
Reservoir	1
Rosebud	1
St. Arnaud	3
Sheep Hills	5
Stawell	13
Stawell West	1

Surrey Hills	1
Underbool	1
Wodonga	1
West Preston	1
Wilkur	1
Willaura	2
Wal Wal	3
Warracknabeal	30
Walpeup	1
Wickliffe	2
Williamstown	1

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Miscellaneous - Other States.

Ashbury, N.S.W.	1
Bordertown, S.A.	1
Bondi, N.S.W.	1
Birkenhead, S.A.	1
Cairns, Qld.	1
Earlwood, N.S.W.	2
Edwardstown, S. A.	1
Frances, S.A.	1
Griffiths, N.S.W.	1
Glenelg, S.A.	2
Hay, N.S.W.	1
Kybybolite, S.A.	1
Keswick, S.A.	1
La Perouse, N.S.W.	1
Monteith, S.A.	1
Nestbury, Tas.	1
Penola, S.A.	1
Prospect, S.A.	1
South Adelaide	1
Tailem Bend, S.A.	1
Wayville, S.A.	1

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