

THE FIFTY-EIGHTH REPORT
OF THE
COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT
OF
THE BALLARAT DISTRICT
BENEVOLENT ASYLUM
AND
LYING-IN HOSPITAL
(Incorporated),
TOGETHER WITH A
LIST OF CONTRIBUTIONS,
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS, &c.,
FOR THE
Year Ending 30th June, 1915.

Ballarat :
Berry, Anderson & Co. Pty. Ltd., Sturt Street and Dana Street.
1915.

NAMES OF OFFICE-BEARERS TO JULY, 1916.

President :

J. Drummond, *1909 (Sept.).

Vice-Presidents :

W. D. Thompson, *1909 (Nov.) | J. Tulloch, 1910.

Hon. Treasurer :

L. Lederman, 1902.

Committee of Management :

G. J. Coutts, 1878
J. N. Dunn, 1898
J. MacLeod, 1898
A. W. Hager, 1900
Wm. White, 1904
T. P. Long, 1904
S. Marks, 1905
R. Hall, 1906
C. H. Eyres, 1906
I. Pearce, 1906
A. Levy, 1907

A. J. Pittard, 1907
A. Bell, 1910
J. Lawn, 1912
C. W. Growcott, 1912
Rev. Father Kennelly 1913 (Feb)
Rev. John Walker, 1913 (April)
E. H. Price, 1914 (June)
J. Oliver, 1914 (Dec.)
J. Fraser (May, 1915), 1st
G. H. Ballhausen (May, 1915)
2nd.

Hon. Medical Officers :

Dr. J. K. Richards | Dr. J. M. Gardiner | Dr. W. A. Spring

Hon. Oculist, Etc.

Dr. E. Gutheil.

Hon. Dentist :

Mr. T. P. Wilson.

Hon. Solicitor :

Mr. F. Pinkerton.

Non-Resident Surgeon :

Dr. A. G. McGowan.

Secretary and Superintendent :

Mr. Con. H. Burrow.

Assistant Secretary :

Mr. T. C. Coates.

Matron :

Mrs. L. Burrow.

Collector :

Mr. W. Palmer.

Auditors :

Messrs. D. Walker and J. A. Blight.

*Date of Election.

FIFTY-EIGHTH REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF
MANAGEMENT

OF THE

**Ballarat District Benevolent Asylum and
Lying-in Hospital**
(Incorporated),

For the Year Ending 30th June, 1915.

TO THE GOVERNORS AND SUBSCRIBERS.

In accordance with the annual custom, your Committee have the honor to lay before you for your consideration the Report and Balance Sheet for the year ending 30th June, 1915.

FINANCIAL.

The income for the year was £5955 6s. 5d., and the expenditure was £6605 10s. 11d., being £640 4s. 6d. more than the receipts, thus leaving an overdraft of £1288 13s. 4d., as compared with the overdraft of 30th June, 1914, of £645 0s. 10d.

1.—ASYLUM.

The daily average number of inmates for the year was 217.72, being 7.97 more than last year. The number of inmates in the Asylum on the 30th June, 1915, was 217, being an increase of 13 as compared with the previous year.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Number remaining in the Asylum, 30th June, 1914	119	85	204
Admitted during the year	104	95	199
Total	223	180	403
Discharged	67 (91	79 (95	186
Died	24 (16 (
Remaining in Asylum, June 30th, 1915	132	85	217

The daily average number of inmates was 217.72, as against 209.75 for the previous year. The average cost per head for maintenance was £22 0s. 5½d., as against £22 12s. 11¾d. for last year.

2.—LYING-IN HOSPITAL.

The number admitted to the Lying-In Hospital during the year was 49 adults (4 adults remaining in from previous year), total 53. 38

children were born. Two adults and three children died. There were 1 male and 3 females still-born. The average period of time spent by the adults in the Hospital was 24.33 days. The number remaining

3.—OUT-DOOR RELIEF.

The amount expended on the Out-Door Relief during the year was £686 11s. 11d., an increase of £144 7s., as compared with last year, in consequence of higher price of provisions and increase in number of applicants.

The average number of recipients weekly for the year ended 30th June was 110.63, being an increase of 12.67. The average cost per head was £6 2s. 7½d., as against £5 10s. 7¾d. the previous year. 365 meals were supplied to travellers, at the value of 4d. per head.

The total number of people on the books, in-door and out-door, on the 30th June, 1915, was 510, an increase of 53 ,

4.—COMPASSIONATE ALLOWANCE.

Compassionate allowances paid for the year ending 30th June, 1915 :—

	1914.	Government.		Asylum.
September quarter		£134 15 0	..	£29 5 0
December quarter		169 10 0	..	34 15 0
	1915.			
March quarter		123 0 0	..	22 10 0
June quarter		171 10 0	..	22 15 0
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		£598 15 0		£109 5 0
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5.—SPECIAL DONATIONS AND EFFORTS.

The Committee again desire to acknowledge with cordial thanks the following liberal donations and special efforts on behalf of the Institution :—Charity Sunday (per Mr. Ballhausen), £82 1s. 4d., and (per Bishop Higgins), £14 10s.; Congregational Church (per Mr. Figgis), £3 18s. 9d.; Edward Wilson Fund, £75; Alfred Felton Fund, £40; Collection at Gardens by City Band, £10; Mr. O'Connor, £2 2s.; Edward Higgins, £5; Mr. R. Riely, £1 15s.; Fire Brigades' Demonstration, £5 5s.; Mr. J. W. Wilson, £1 1s.

6.—BEQUESTS.

Bequests amounting to £55 have been received.

7.—OFFICE-BEARERS.

It will be the business of the meeting to elect a President, two Vice-Presidents, Treasurer, and seven members of Committee, viz., Messrs. A. Hager, W. White, J. Lawn, R. Hall (who retire by effluxion of time).

Owing to the death of the President, Mr. D. B. Wheeler, Mr. J. Drummond was appointed to the position for the balance of the year, and stands for re-election.

Messrs. J. McVitty and T. O'Loughlin having retired from the Committee, and the death of Mr. Wheeler, it will be necessary to elect three members to fill their places.

Messrs. J. Oliver, J. Fraser and W. G. Ballhausen were elected during the year by the Committee, and together with the three Hon. Medical Officers, Hon. Oculist, Hon. Dentist, Hon. Solicitor, and two Auditors, offer themselves for re-election.

GENERAL.

The death of our President, Mr. D. B. Wheeler, on the 9th March, after an illness of three months, was a great loss to this Committee and the Charitable Institutions of Ballarat. Although well over the allotted years of life, our late President was an energetic and sympathetic member of our Committee. His kindly courtesy endeared him to all who were associated with him. In the long history of this Institution the death of Mr. Wheeler was the first occasion upon which it has been necessary to record the death of its President.

Following the policy of the Committee in improving the Asylum buildings so that the inmates may have every reasonable comfort, and the staff every opportunity to economically discharge their duties, several important improvements and additions have been made during the year.

The most important addition was the building of the Day Room for the male inmates. It had been recognised for some years past that the old Smoke House was both insanitary and too distant from the main building. The Committee is indebted to the ex-Premier, the Hon. W. Watt, and to the Premier, Sir A. Peacock, for their generous interest in the cause of charity. As a result, the fine brick structure now in use is the means of enabling our old men to spend the winter days in comfort. The Committee recognises the valuable help rendered by the Members of Parliament for the District, more particularly Capt. M. Baird, M.L.A., and the Hon. F. Brawn, M.L.C.

The Premier, Sir A. Peacock, accompanied by Lady Peacock, formally opened the Day Room on Saturday, June 5th, in the presence of a large and representative gathering of citizens. Advantage was taken of the visit of the Premier to bring under his notice the urgent need for a new hot water service and kitchen. Sir Alex. Peacock was impressed with the economical advantages to be gained by installing these services, and promised to favorably consider the allocation of sufficient money by way of a building grant for this purpose.

Early in the year the electric light was installed in the main buildings, and the result in convenience and economy has amply justified the expense.

In addition to the above improvements, the Superintendent and Secretary, Mr. Con. Burrow, has had several of the wards painted, and a good deal of asphalt laid and various other renovations, all of which assist in keeping the Asylum buildings in a fresh and attractive condition.

Owing to their leaving Ballarat, two members of the Committee resigned during the year, viz.: Mr. R. J. McVitty and Mr. T. O'Loughlin. The following gentlemen were appointed in their places, Mr. J. Oliver and Mr. J. Fraser. Mr. H. G. Ballhausen was appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Mr. D. B. Wheeler.

During the short period that I have acted as President, I have occasion to note the extremely rapid rise in the cost of maintenance. This is due to the drought of 1914, and also the great war which we are fighting on the Continent of Europe.

For every reason then it will be required that the closest examination be made of our expenditure with a view to the most economical management, consistent with the obligations resting upon this Committee.

It is evident that the demands upon our funds during the ensuing year will be very heavy. Notwithstanding the many patriotic appeals to our subscribers, I hope that the citizens of Ballarat and district will continue their generous support of the aged and the helpless old folk. Owing to the operation of the Old Age Pensions the difficulties in managing this Asylum are greatly increased. The funds of the Institution do not benefit in any way whatever from the admission of pensioners. On the contrary, our expenditure is increased thereby. On admission to the Asylum the pension ceases, and, invariably, the pensioner seeks relief at our hands, because he or she requires the skilled attention of our doctor and nurses in the sick wards. They thus become a heavy tax on our resources. I therefore appeal to all charitably disposed citizens to assist our Committee by remembering the Benevolent Asylum when distributing their funds in charity.

The Officers and Staff are, as ever, loyally assisting in maintaining the high reputation which this Institution holds.

Visiting friends, clergy and lay, gave valuable services in both spiritual and material comfort to the inmates. Many generous gifts have been recorded throughout the year, for which I desire to thank the donors on behalf of the inmates.

In conclusion, I desire to express my appreciation of the considerate assistance rendered to me by the Members of the Committee.

(Signed), J. DRUMMOND, President.

MEDICAL REPORT, 1914-1915.

MONTH.	Cases Treated		Births		Deaths.	
	M	F	M	F	M	F
1914						
July	41	20	2	3	2	4
August	49	23	3	1	3	—
September	46	24	1	1	3	—
October	43	21	1	3	3	2
November	41	25	5	2	1	—
December	52	49	1	2	1	5
1915.						
January	14	13	—	—	2	1
February	15	8	—	3	2	—
March	13	7	2	—	3	—
April	16	12	2	1	4	3
May	24	20	—	2	1	1
June	21	23	—	2	2	—
Totals	378	245	17	20	27	16
	Still Born		1	5		

A. G. McGOWAN, M.B., B.S., Medical Officer.

NAMES OF COMMITTEE AND ATTENDANCES FOR 1914-1915:

No.	Name.	Office.	General Com.	Executive Com.	Remarks.
1	D. B. Wheeler	President	6	3	Deceased
2	J. Drummond	Pres. & Vice-Pres.	13	10	
3	W. D. Thompson	Vice-President	2	1	On leave in Eng.
4	J. Tulloch	do.	5	2	
5	L. Lederman	Hon. Treas.	12	10	
6	G. K. Coutts	Committee	10	—	
7	J. N. Dunn	do.	3	—	
8	J. Macleod	do.	6	—	On leave in Eng.
9	A. Hager	do.	10	9	
10	W. White	do.	13	7	
11	T. P. Long	do.	9	—	
12	R. Hall	do.	—	—	
13	C. H. Eyres	do.	5	—	
14	I. Pearce	do.	3	—	
15	A. Levy	do.	7	5	
16	A. J. Pittard	do.	11	7	
17	J. McVitty	do.	—	—	Resigned
18	A. Bell	do.	10	—	On leave in Eng.
19	T. O'Loughlin	do.	—	—	Resigned
20	J. Lawn	do.	7	—	
21	C. W. Growcott	do.	9	—	
22	Rev. Father Kennelly	do.	6	—	
23	Rev. John Walker	do.	9	—	
24	E. H. Price	do.	7	—	
25	J. Oliver	do.	3	—	Apptd. Dec., '14
26	J. Fraser	do.	1	—	Apptd. May, '15
27	G. H. Ballhausen	do.	2	—	Apptd. May, '15

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE
OF THE
Ballarat District Benevolent Asylum and Lying-In Hospital
(Incorporated),

DR.

For the Period from the 1st July, 1914, to 30th June, 1915 (inclusive).

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(A)—ORDINARY INCOME:—

Government Grant	£1725	0	0	
Municipal Grants	272	16	0	
Private Contributions	448	13	1	
Proceeds of Entertainments	10	0	0	
Hospital Sunday Fund	96	11	4	
Interest upon Investments—				
Endowment Fund	£172	12	10	
Reserve Fund	153	18	2	
		326	11	0
Patients' Contributions—				
In-patients	£452	5	3	
Insane	783	18	1	
		1236	3	4
Sale of Refuse, &c.		23	19	8
Other Sources, viz.—				
Farm	32	16	4	
Rent	2	10	0	
Deposits	61	6	6	
Old Age Pensions	947	0	8	
		5183	7	11

(B)—EXTRAORDINARY INCOME:—

Bequests	£55	0	0
Special Donations	176	18	6
Building	540	0	0
Total Extraordinary Income	771	18	6
Advances or Overdrafts on 30th June, 1915	1295	5	4

(A)—MAINTENANCE:—**I.—Provisions—**

Meat	£508	11	0	
Fish, Poultry, &c.	20	18	10	
Butter, Cheese, &c.	166	8	9	
Milk	217	17	6	
Bread, Flour, &c.	328	6	5	
Groceries	552	12	9	
Potatoes, Vegetables, &c.	79	5	9	
		£1874	1	0

II.—Surgery and Dispensary—

Drugs, Disinfectants, &c.	57	10	6	
Ice & Aerated Waters	2	8	6	
Wines and Spirits	5	6	0	
		65	5	0

III.—Domestic—

Renewal of Furniture	4	3	0	
Bedding, Drapery, &c.	242	4	6	
Hardware, Brushware, &c.	27	19	0	
Fuel and Lighting	492	14	9	
Sundries	125	1	9	
		892	3	0

IV.—Establishment Charges—

Insurance	29	16	1	
Sanitary Charges	61	4	0	
Ordinary Repairs	16	2	6	
Telephone	6	8	8	
		113	11	3

V.—Salaries and Wages—

Medical	150	0	0	
Dispensing	12	0	0	
Nursing	237	10	0	
Other Salaries & Wages	872	0	0	
		1271	10	0

VI.—Miscellaneous—		
Advertising	21	4 0
Funeral Expenses	13	15 0
Cartage and Freight	1	8 0
Tobacco	32	13 8
Returns of Deposits, &c.	41	0 0
Outdoor Relief	590	13 3
Travelling Expenses	7	2 0
Sundries	5	0 0
Farm	6	9 0
		719 4 11

(B)—ADMINISTRATION—

I.—Management—		
Official Salaries	400	0 0
Collectors' Salaries	76	0 0
Collectors' Commission	52	3 0
Official Printing, &c.	31	12 6
Law Charges	12	1 9
Interest on Overdraft	39	3 6
Auditors' Fees	8	4 0
Collectors' Travelling Expenses	5	0 0
		624 4 9
Total Ordinary Expenditure		5559 19 11

(C)—EXTRAORDINARY EXPENDITURE—

Building		1045 11 0
Bank Overdraft brought forward from last year		645 0 10
		\$7250 11 9
Grand Total		\$7250 11 9

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE.

Ballarat, 23rd July, 1915.

To the President and Members of the Committee of the Ballarat District Benevolent Asylum and Lying-In Hospital (Incorporated).

Gentlemen,—We have examined the Accounts and Books, and verified the Securities and Policies of the Ballarat District Benevolent Asylum and Lying-In Hospital (Incorporated), for the year from 1st July, 1914, to the 30th June, 1915, and we hereby certify that the same are correct and truly set out the financial condition of the Institution, its income from all sources, and its expenditure on all accounts.

The Balance Sheet, to which we have appended our signatures, is correctly made up from the books of the Institution, and truly represents the contents of the same, and the financial position of the Ballarat District Benevolent Asylum and Lying-In Hospital (Incorporated).

Yours obediently,

DAVID WALKER, F.I.A.A., {
JOHN A. BLIGHT, { Auditors.

Grand Total . . 7250 11 9

Ballarat District Benevolent Asylum and Lying-In Hospital (Incorporated).

GENERAL STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES ON 30th JUNE, 1915.

ASSETS.		LIABILITIES.
	Maintenance.	
Amount for Old Age Pensions not received on the 30th June, for the year ending 30th June, 1915..	£219 11 6	Bank Overdraft..
Hospital for Insane..	198 0 0	Outstanding Cheques..
		Unpaid Accounts due on 30th June, not included under the head "Payments," above
		358 4 11
Total Assets	£417 11 6	Total Liabilities
		£1653 10 3
The amount of unpaid accounts at 30th June, 1914, was £421 19s. 5d.		

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.
	BUILDING ACCOUNT.	
To Government Cheque..	£540 0 0	By Building New Smoke House and Renova- tion
		£1045 11 0

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.
	ENDOWMENT ACCOUNT.	
To Balance, 30th June, 1914	£3296 12 2	By Interest transferred to General Account
„ Interest Account	116 8 10	„ Balance, 30th June, 1915..
		3296 12 2
	£3413 1 0	£3413 1 0

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.
	OTHER SPECIAL FUNDS.	
To Balance, 30th June, 1914..	£4839 8 4	By Interest transferred to General Account
„ Interest Account	210 2 2	„ Balance, 30th June, 1915..
		4839 8 4
	£5049 10 6	£5049 10 6

	Craw, Dowling & Seymour	1	1	0	Nov. 9	Eggington, T. W.	1	1	0
18	Cox, W.	0	5	0	1915.				
30	Coulter, L.	0	10	6	Jan. 12	Eureka Aerated Water Co.	0	5	0
Dec. 4	Crocker, G.	1	1	0	Feb. 3	Eva & Co.	0	5	0
14	Capell, Dr.	0	10	6	Mar. 3	Electric Supply Co. per Mr. Pringle	2	2	0
15	Campbell, Mr.	0	5	0	26	Eason, G.	0	10	0
21	Coulson, Mrs.	0	5	0	30	Ellis, Mrs. L.	1	1	0
22	Coyte, Mrs.	1	1	0	May 17	Elsworth, W.	0	10	0
1915.					31	"Echo," per J. Scullin	1	1	0
Feb. 9	Cowan, J.	0	5	0	June 1	Ewins, J.	0	10	6
15	Cant, A.	1	1	0	1914.				
16	Coghlan & Boase	1	1	0	Oct. 5	Finlayson, W. G.	1	1	0
17	Cornell, W.	1	1	0	Nov. 10	Firman, G.	0	10	0
18	Coghlan, Mrs., and Family	3	3	0	Dec. 11	Fricke, Mr.	0	5	0
Mar. 8	Clark, Mr.	1	1	0	16	Furness, Mr.	0	10	0
12	Collecting Box in Asylum	0	16	9	18	Finlayson, Fred.	1	1	0
17	Cameron & Sutherland	1	1	0	Apr. 6	Fraser, J.	1	1	0
18	Chaplin, Dr.	0	10	0	May 4	Fennings, J. P., per W. Little & Co.	1	1	0
19	Cairns, Mrs. T. R.	1	1	0	31	Flegeltaub, W.	1	1	0
25	Clarke, T. W.	0	10	0	June 2	Farmer, G.	1	1	0
Apr. 8	Cohen & Sons, S.	1	0	0	3	Freeman, W.	0	10	0
27	Creer, E.	0	10	6	15	Figgis, W. H.	1	1	0
29	Clemson, M.	0	5	0	1914				
30	Cuthbert, J.	1	1	0	July 1	Gent, W.	0	10	6
May 1	Carr, W.	3	3	0	8	Gale, W.	1	0	0
10	Coles & Pullum	1	1	0	15	Gardiner, Dr.	1	1	0
June 4	Campbell, Dr.	0	10	6	Aug. 6	Gordon Bros.	1	1	0
9	Cowdell, Tonner & Ellis	1	1	0	10	Green, Right Rev. Dr.	1	1	0
16	Casamento, Mr.	0	5	0	13	Guilfoyle, Mr.	0	5	0
22	Coltman, W.	1	1	0	19	Gooch, Mr.	0	10	0
1914.					Oct. 7	Greenwood, A.	0	5	0
July 27	Ditchfield, J. P.	0	5	0	Nov. 20	Guthiel, Dr.	0	5	0
	G. Day, Miners' Association	1	0	0	25	Glover, J. W.	1	1	0
Aug. 24	W. A. Drew	1	1	0	Dec. 1	Gear, J. A.	0	5	0
20	Davies, J.	0	10	0	1915				
Sept. 4	Drummond, J.	1	1	0	Jan. 7	Graham, J.	0	5	0
Oct. 2	Dunstan, W.	0	5	0	11	Gribble & Co., W.	0	10	6
15	Deady, M.	0	10	6	27	Gas Employees, per C. Wade	2	2	6
Dec. 16	Dixon Bros.	1	1	0	April 15	Gunn & Co., J.	1	0	0
1915.					21	Growcott, C. W.	1	1	0
Jan. 6	Doepel & Chandler	1	1	0	23	Greenfield & Co., A. M.	1	1	0
Mar. 1	Davies, G. L.	0	5	0	1914				
2	Darling, A.	0	5	0	July 21	Henneberry, Father	0	10	0
12	Davis, Abe.	0	5	0	24	Hoare, W.	1	0	0
Apr. 22	Davies, & Co., H.	1	1	0	27	Harris, F., Miners' Association	1	0	0
May 1	Deady, Mr.	0	10	6	29	Harper & Co., Ltd.	1	1	0
June 9	Davies, J.	1	1	0	Aug. 5	Holgate & Co., S.	0	10	0
Sept. 2	Eyres, C.	1	1	0					
	Eyres Bros.	1	1	0					
14	Exell, Geo.	1	0	0					
29	Elliott & Magill	1	1	0					

Sept 17	Hardie & Co., Jas.	1	1	0	Dec. 3	Long, T. P. . . .	1	1	0
18	Harris, Joseph . .	0	10	6	1915.				
23	Huddart, Parker & Co. Ltd., per R. Hare	1	1	0	Jan. 25	Lockett & Cathcart	0	5	0
Oct. 1	Hill, W. D.	1	1	0	Feb. 3	Lyons, Jas.	1	1	0
2	Horsfall, H. C. . .	1	1	0	25	Lamb, J.	1	0	0
Nov. 12	Hall, R.	1	0	0	Mar. 11	Lauder, G.	0	10	0
19	Hager, C.	1	1	0	29	Lucas & Co., E. . .	1	1	0
24	Haddock, Mrs. . .	0	10	0	Apr. 30	Long & Son, W. H.	0	5	0
27	Hager, A. W. . . .	1	1	0	May 18	Lee, S.	1	1	0
Dec. 8	Hall, J.	0	5	0	June 25	Lawn, J.	1	1	0
16	Hewitt, Mrs. . . .	0	5	0	1914.				
21	Hassell & Rogers	1	0	0	July 1	Marks, J.	1	1	0
1915.					14	Marks & Co., C. . .	0	10	6
Jan. 13	Hodgson, Ralph . .	0	5	0	16	Miller, D. F. S. . .	0	10	6
26	Higgins, Dr.	2	2	0	24	Mulcahy, Father. . .	1	1	0
28	Herman, F.	2	2	0	Aug. 13	Miller Bros.	1	1	0
Feb. 24	Hunt, Rev. Father	1	1	0	14	Miller, T.	1	1	0
26	Humphries, W. T. .	1	1	0		Morsehead, W. R. . .	0	10	6
Mar. 24	Hosking, R.	0	10	6	18	Moran, Mrs. T. . . .	0	5	0
Apr. 12	Hall, C.	0	10	6	Sept. 23	Marks, S.	1	1	0
May 5	Harrison, J. R. . .	1	1	0	Nov. 11	Middleton, Mr. . . .	1	1	0
8	Heinz Bros.	1	1	0	23	Murphy, Mr.	0	5	6
28	Hoare, G.	0	10	0	Dec. 4	Matthews, J.	1	0	0
June 4	Hughes, T.	0	5	0	10	Murray, Mrs. J. . . .	1	0	0
17	Howie, F. S.	0	5	0	11	Moorhouse, S. . . .	1	1	0
28	Hinchcliffe, Mrs. .	0	10	0	14	Mills, C.	0	5	0
1915.					1915.				
Mar. 11	Inglis, J. & J. . .	1	0	0	Jan. 14	Macleod & Booth	1	1	0
1914.					27	Miller, R. J.	1	1	0
July 8	Jelbart Bros. . . .	1	0	0	Feb. 4	Moran & Cato	0	10	6
Nov. 13	Jamieson, S.	0	5	0	23	Mitchell, R.	1	0	0
18	Jarvie, Miss	0	5	0	Mar. 3	Magill, Miss	1	1	0
Dec. 1	Johns, V.	1	1	0	Apr. 1	Macdonald, Mr. . . .	0	10	6
7	Jensen, O. E.	0	5	0	May	MacLeod, J.	2	2	0
1915.					15	Murray, D. & W. . . .	1	1	0
Jan. 21	Jansen, J.	0	10	6	16	Moran & Cato	0	10	6
26	Johns, H.	0	10	0	June 3	Moss, F.	1	1	0
Feb. 15	Hutton-Jones	0	10	0	8	Morrell, W. H. . . .	1	1	0
25	James, E. A.	0	5	0	18	Mitchell, E. J. . . .	1	1	0
Mar. 30	Jermyn, Mr.	1	1	0	1914.				
May 5	John, M. B.	0	10	0	Aug. 3	McGibbony, M. B. . .	0	5	0
June 2	Joseph, Mr.	1	0	0	19	McKee, H.	0	10	0
June 10	Kelly, Dr.	1	1	0	21	Mackenzie, A.	1	1	0
Jan. 8	Kennelly, Rev. Fr.	2	2	0	24	McConnell, W. R. . .	0	10	6
Mar. 2	Kelly & Preston	0	10	6	25	McDonald & Sons	0	10	6
June 3	Kerr, D.	1	0	0	26	McVicker, Mrs. L. . .	0	10	6
1914.					Nov. 18	McDougall and Chisholm.	1	1	0
Aug. 17	A. Levy	1	1	0	Dec. 1	McKay & Sons, J. . . .	1	1	0
14	Lamb, T.	1	1	0		McCooke, J.	1	1	0
Nov. 6	Little & Co., W. . .	1	1	0	9	McDonald, Hon. J. Y.	1	1	0
24	Lawless, T. J. . . .	0	5	0	18	McCallum, M.	0	5	0
24	Lederman, L.	1	1	0	30	McKenzie, Mr.	0	10	0
					1915.				
					Jan. 7	McCleave, Mr.	0	10	6
					14	McKenzie, D.	0	5	0
					25	McKay, H. V.	2	2	0

Apr. 23	McGregor, Mr.	0	5	0
May 12	McGowan, Dr.	1	1	0
June 2	McRobertson, Mr., per Mr. Dunkling	1	1	0
9	McAllister, W.	1	1	0
10	McGowan, Dr. (2nd) Special	1	1	0
14	McGregor, J. W.	0	10	0
1914.				
Aug. 5	Noonan, J.	0	10	0
Dec. 9	Neville, M.,	0	5	0
1915.				
Mar. 1	O'Neil, J.	0	5	0
10	Oxbrow, Mr.	0	5	0
Apr. 14	Oliver & Stevens	1	1	0
1914.				
July 2	Pizzey & Son, per Mr. Farrar	2	2	0
25	Price, E. H.	1	1	0
Sept. 24	Pearce, J.	1	1	0
	Pearce, I.	1	1	0
Nov. 16	Palmer, W.	0	5	0
25	Pittard, A.	1	1	0
Dec. 7	Pinkerton, F.	1	1	0
1915.				
Jan. 12	Payne, G.	0	10	6
Feb. 5	Pearse, R., Mayor	1	1	0
11	Philpot, S.	0	10	6
17	Palmer, A. M.	1	1	0
25	Pearson, J. B.	1	1	0
Mar. 3	Peacock, Sir Alex.	1	1	0
Apr. 27	Peake, H.	1	1	0
May 20	Peirce, A. B.	0	10	0
June 4	P., H.L.	0	10	0
15	Peterson, H. C.	1	0	0
1914.				
July 7	Robinson, D.	1	1	0
13	Ramsay, R.	1	1	0
20	Reeves, A. C., Mrs.	1	1	0
Aug. 5	Ridings, J. L.	0	10	6
28	Richards, P. S.	1	1	0
Oct. 6	Richards, W.	0	5	0
Nov. 14	Irwin's Estate, per Mrs. Robertson	1	1	0
19	Russell, Exors. Geo., per Dalgety & Co.	5	0	0
23	Robins, Mr.	0	5	0
30	Ritchie, W.	1	1	0
Dec. 3	R., Mr. J.	0	5	0
18	Richards, G.	1	1	0
1915.				
Jan. 11	Rosenthal, Mark	0	5	0
13	Robinson Bros.	1	1	0
Mar. 2	Ronaldson Bros. & Tippett	1	1	0

4	Retallick, Mrs. Jef- frey	0	10	0
8	Rowlands Pty., E.	1	1	0
9	Richards, Dr.	1	1	0
19	Rimmington, J.	1	1	0
Apr. 9	Reid, J. & Sons Es- Estate.	0	10	6
15	Reynolds, J.	0	5	0
May 1	Reynolds, J. A.	0	10	0
4	Roff, I. & J.	1	1	0
June 4	Rogers, Miss	0	5	0
8	Ratcliffe, Mrs.	0	5	0
1914.				
July 16	Spring, Dr.	1	1	0
27	Smith, W., Miners' Association	1	0	0
Aug. 11	Stewart, J.,	0	10	6
17	Selwood, J.,	0	10	0
25	Smith, Jas.	0	5	0
Sept. 28	Simpson, L. L.	1	1	0
Nov. 11	Seward, S.	1	1	0
19	Skinner, Mrs. H.	0	5	0
Dec. 8	Strong Bros.	0	10	0
22	Symons Bros.	1	1	0
23	Showman, Mrs, per Mr. Bickart	1	1	0
24	Swallow & Ariel, per Mr. Jones	1	1	0
1915.				
Jan. 7	Sutton, F.	1	1	0
14	Steele, Dr.	1	1	0
21	Sang, J.	1	1	0
Mar. 15	Singer Co.	0	10	6
Apr. 16	Stevenson, H.	1	0	0
20	Sharp Bros.	0	10	0
May 11	Stark, W. A.	1	1	0
12	Stansfield & Smith	1	1	0
13	Snow & Co., John	1	1	0
June 2	Sim & Co., R.	1	1	0
14	Sneddon, D.	2	0	0
22	Sargood Bros.	1	1	0
25	Scott, A.	1	1	0
1914.				
July 13	Thompson, W. D.	1	1	0
15	Twentyman's	0	5	0
Aug. 3	Tattersall, per G. Adams, Hobart.	1	1	0
10	Trotman, W.	0	10	6
Nov. 5	Tulloch, J.	1	1	0
6	Tunbridge & Sons	1	1	0
10	Titheridge, W.	1	1	0
17	Thompson, A. T.	0	5	0
1915.				
Jan. 1	Tanner & Sons, R. W.	1	1	0
12	Tyler, J.	1	1	0

Feb 23	Typographical Society, per Mr. T. Young	1	1	0
Mar. 12	Thomas, W. C. . . .	2	2	0
Apr. 9	Thomas, Miss E. . . .	0	5	0
May 6	Tulloch, Charles	1	1	0
19	Thomas, Jas.	1	1	0
June 1	Tonkin, J. H.	1	1	0
3	Tonkin, E.	0	5	0
10	Tweedie, A.	0	10	6
11	Taylor, R.	1	1	0
	Tulloch & King	1	0	0
15	Taylor, J.	1	1	0
	Thompson, M.	0	10	6
	Trahar Bros.	0	10	6
	Tinworth, C.	1	1	0

1915.

Jan. 5	Vickery & Sons	0	10	6
Feb. 16	Vaughan & Co., C. . . .	1	0	0

1914.

July 3	Warner & Co.	1	1	0
10	Walker, D.	1	1	0
20	Wheeler, D. B.	1	1	0
27	Williams, A., Miners' Association	1	0	0
Aug. 4	Whiteside, E.	0	10	0
Oct. 9	Westcott, W.	1	1	0
	Waller Bros.	1	1	0
Nov. 27	Wilson, T. P.	0	10	0
Dec. 4	Wilson, J. P.	0	10	0
11	Warburton, G.	0	5	0
30	Wilson, J. W.	0	10	6

1915.

Jan 15	Wimmera Flour Mills, per Mr. Frayne	0	10	0
22	Winnecke, Judge.	1	1	0
23	Wills, W. D. & H. O.	1	1	0

Feb. 3	White, W.	1	1	0
8	Willimner, Mrs.	0	5	0
9	Ward, G. W.	1	1	0
26	White, Mr.	0	10	6
Mar. 17	Wardle & Sons	1	1	0
23	White, J. E.	0	10	6
25	Wynne, J.	1	1	0
Apr. 8	Walker, Rev. J.	1	1	0
29	Wright, F.	0	10	0
May 20	Williams, F. & F. . . .	1	1	0
31	Wilson, Sir T., per Blake & Riddall	2	2	0
June 3	Wilson, J. W.	1	1	0
8	Wastell, V.	0	5	0
10	Woodward, F.	0	10	0
18	Woolcott, J. D.	1	0	0

1914.

Sept. 8	Young, R.	1	1	0
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Banks	£21	0	0
Benefits & Entertainments	10	0	0
Bequests	55	0	0
Building Account	540	0	0
Borough Councils	189	13	0
Chinese	26	15	0
Church Collections	100	10	1
Deposits	57	14	6
Farm and Garden	20	4	4
Friendly & Other Societies	25	12	0
Government Grant	1724	10	0
Gold Mining Companies.	7	7	0
Interest Account	326	10	8
Lists	23	4	0
Patients, Hospital for Insane	783	18	1
Old-Age Pensions	947	0	8
Paying Patients	435	19	0
Sale of Refuse	23	3	6
Shires	78	3	0
Special Donations	184	14	0
Rent	14	12	0
Sundries	14	12	0



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FIFTY-NINTH REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF
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OF THE

**Ballarat District Benevolent Asylum and
Lying-in Hospital**

(INCORPORATED).

For the Year ending 30th June, 1916.

TO THE GOVERNORS AND SUBSCRIBERS.

In accordance with the Annual custom, your Committee have the honor to lay before you for your consideration the Report and Balance Sheet for the year ending 30th June, 1916.

Financial.

The income for the year was £5940 11s. 5d., and the expenditure £5700 4s. 11d., being £240 6s. 6d. less than the receipts, thus leaving an overdraft of £1085 3s. 10d.. as compared with the overdraft of 30th June, 1915, of £1295 5s. 4d.

The amount of £240 shown on the balance-sheet as a surplus to credit on the year's business is not a real credit to the funds. During the year the sum of £296 was received from the Government on account of the smoke-house, which was built last year. The whole of the expense for this building was paid out of the funds of the institution, and the Government granted the amount in moieties. The £296 shown was the second instalment of this amount. In addition, the amount of £300 was received from a bequest nearly three years ago, but the settlement of the estate was made this year. It will thus be seen that the Asylum's receipts have been some £500 less than the expenses for the year.

1—Asylum

The daily average number of inmates for the year was 212.88, being 5.44 less than last year. The number of inmates in the Asylum on 30th June, 1916, was 199, being an increase of 2 as compared with the previous year.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Number remaining in the Asylum, 30th June, 1915	132	85	217
Admitted during the year	67	75	142
Total	199	160	359
Discharged	52	59	
Died	30	19	
Remaining in Asylum, June 30th, 1916.	117	82	199