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Stawell and District Hospital

INCORPORATED 11TH JUNE, 1897



STAWELL DISTRICT HOSPITAL
OPENED ON THE 20TH JANUARY, 1934, BY
LIEUT.-GOV. OF VICTORIA, HON. SIR. WILLIAM IRVINE,
K.C.M.G., L.L.D., K.C.

Eighty-Second
ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE
Committee of Management

AND
**Statement of Receipts and
Expenditure**

For the Period from 1st July, 1940, to 30th June, 1941

STAWELL DISTRICT HOSPITAL

Incorporated 11th June, 1897.

OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR 1941-42.

PRESIDENT:

Mr. E. J. O'Driscoll.

VICE-PRESIDENTS:

Mr. M. O. Penna and Mr. H. Ferrier.

TREASURER:

Mr. W. M. Thomson.

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT:

Local Members, Stawell.

Mr. M. J. Cowman, re-elected 1940	Mr. J. Simpson, elected 1941.
Mr. R. H. McCracken, re-elected 1940	Mr. A. Waterfield, re-elected 1940.
Mr. Frank West, re-elected 1939.	Mr. G. P. Frencham, re-elected 1939.
Mr. L. C., Phillips, re-elected 1941.	Mr. G. F. Bull, re-elected 1940.
Mr. G. T. Haase, re-elected 1940.	Mr. John Bennett, re-elected 1939.
	Mr. W. G. Sharpley, re-elected 1941.

Members for Outlying Districts.

Mr. A. J. H. Gray, "Swinton."	Mr. Chas. Leslie, Landsborough West
Mr. H. G. Taylor, Hall's Gap.	Cr. T. F. Hall, Joel Joel.
Cr. J. T. West, Great Western.	Mr. Gordon McGregor, Callawadda.
Mr. C. Preece, Great Western.	Cr. Wm. Phelan, Glenorchy.
Mr. E. Hutchings, Green's Creek.	Cr. Webb Hodgetts, Landsborough.
Mr. E. P. Davies, Kanya.	Mr. W. Newall, Marnoo.
Mr. J. C. Hutchings, Callawadda.	Mr. S. Lang, Marnoo.
Mr. R. McMullin, Rupanyup.	Mr. W. H. Arnold, Wallaloo East.
Mr. Norman Punched, Campbell's Bridge.	Mr. J. May, Joel Joel.
	Mr. T. Ridd, Wal Wal.

AUDITOR:

Mr. J. Paton.

HONORARY SURGEONS:

Dr. Rabl, Murtoa.	Dr. L. J. Kiepert, Rupanyup.
Dr. J. R. Fox, Hall's Gap.	Dr. E. J. C. Claridge, Minyip.

MEDICAL OFFICERS:

Dr. James Gibson, Stawell.	Dr. A. E. Gribble, Stawell.
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HONORARY DENTISTS:

J. Taylor, Esq.	R. C. Vernon, Esq.
	G. S. W. Hall, Esq.

SECRETARY AND MANAGER:

Mrs. G. R. E. Green, A.I.H.S.

HONORARY SOLICITORS:

Messrs. J. Allan Anderson and Webb.

MATRON:

Miss Dorothy Cameron.

THE PLEASANT CREEK HOSPITAL

Was Established 7th August, 1858; opened 28th February, 1859; and
changed 13th April, 1883, to

STAWELL HOSPITAL AND BENEVOLENT ASYLUM

(Incorporated 11th June, 1897)

Registered as Stawell District Hospital under Charities Act, 1928.

FOUNDERS:

Robert Buchanan and Alfred B. Clemes, J.P., 1858.

PRESIDENTS:

	Year of Office.		Year of Office.
Warden of District	1858-9	John Dalziel	1899
Richard Codd, J.P.	1860	Rev. Father Howell	1900
H. E. Jenkins, J.P.	1861	W. J. McMullin, J.P.	1901
Ronald Campbell	1862	Rev. G. B. Murphy	1902
Alfred B. Clemes	1863	Dr. G. J. Napthine	1903-4
John Holt, J.P.	1864	A. V. Wettenhall	1904-5
David Scallan, J.P.	1865	Dr. J. Raymond Fox	1905-6
Theodore Mantel	1866	Dr. J. Raymond Fox	1906-7
Gorge Jennings, J.P.	1867	Dr. W. L. Aitken	1907-8
Duncan McKellar	1868	Alfred B. Clemes	1908-9
William Frayne	1868	Gustav Mahnke	1909-10
John Childe, J.P.	1869	Geo. Barnes	1910-11
John Punchard	1870	George Mitchell, J.P.	1911-12
Wilkinson Wayman	1871	Dr. W. J. Forshaw	1912-13
John H. Franklin	1872	G. A. Smith	1913-14
Alexander Brown	1873	L. C. Phillips	1914-15
Maynard Ord	1874	L. C. Phillips	1915-16
Rev. Samuel Kelso	1875	John Dalziel	1916-17
David F. Aherne	1876	A. W. Glencross	1917-18
James A. Mathers	1877	Rev. Father Walsh	1918-19
Thomas Kinsella	1878	L. C. Phillips	1919-20
Gustav Magnus	1879	Canon C. M. Lowe	1920-21
Joseph Cawley	1880	H. F. Johnson	1921-22
Valentine Archer	1881	H. F. Johnson	1922-23
Peter Galbraith	1882	G. T. Haase	1923-24
Thomas Y. Smith	1883	R. McCracken	1924-25
Martin Thornfeldt	1884	I. H. Short	1925-26
Richard D. Ollard	1885	M. J. Cowman	1926-27
Stephen Williamson	1886	J. O'Connor	1927-28
C. Aeschimann	1887	J. O'Connor	1928-29
C. G. Holmes	1887	J. O'Connor	1929-30
C. G. Holmes	1888	J. O'Connor	1930-31
Albert Halls	1889	J. Bennett	1931-32
Alfred I. Payne	1890	L. C. Phillips	1932-33
R. W. C. Grieve	1891	J. O'Connor	1933-34
Rev. R. J. E. Hayman	1892	J. Bennett	1934-35
Rev. Father Guilfoyle	1893	A. P. Spring	1935-36
Joseph J. Pawsey	1894	A. P. Spring	1936-37
John Barnes	1895	G. P. Frencham	1937-38
R. Z. Davies	1896	S. T. Webster	July to Dec., 1939
H. L. Mitchell	1897	J. G. Macdonald,	
Henry Edhouse	1898		Jan., 1940, to July, 1941

LIFE GOVERNORS:

J. Quarterman, Wonwondah ..	1859	Theodore Heide, pro A.N.A.	
J. Rutherford, Wonwondah ..	1859	National Fete	1895
L. L. Rostron, Tottington ..	1861	Andrew Robertson, pro Stawell Brass Band	1895
Henry Nicol, Warranooke, Patron and Special Donor..	1866	Edward William Spangler, pro Stawell Brass Band..	1899
Sir S. Wilson, Longerenong ..	1867	Chas. Willis Playford, as executor of Francis Lodge ..	1899
John Wilson, Woodlands	1868	Executors of Mary E. Hobbs—	
Patrick D'Arcy, Stawell	1868	William Hobbs	1903
John Y. Wakeham, Stawell ..	1868	George Hobbs	1903
T. Y. Smith, pro Easter Festival	1874	Albert Hobbs	1903
Isaac Newton, Stawell	1874	Executors of Jn. Humphreys—	
Thomas Brown, Stawell	1874	H. Henderson, jun.	1903
Duncan McKellar, Stawell .. .	1874	L. C. Phillips	1903
Wm. H. Osmand, Stawell	1874	Donors of the W. H. Syme Wards, opened by Sir John Forrest, M.H.R. (W.A.), 20th November, 1904—	
John Childe, Stawell	1876	Mrs. Elizabeth Syme	1904
Executors of Isaac Newton—		Miss Marjorie Isobel Syme..	1904
John Naylor	1877	William Allan Syme	1904
Joseph Shilton	1877	Stawell Athletic Club—	
Stephen Williamson, pro M.U.I.O.O.F. of Victoria ..	1878	Frederick Crouch	1905
R. H. Hart, pro Cantata Concert	1881	G. T. Robertson	1905
Executors of Duncan McKellar:		Executors of W. H. Richards—	
D. E. McKellar	1885	Rev. J. Rickard	1906
T. McKellar	1885	R. J. Donelan	1906
R. J. Jeffray	1885	Executor Levi Vernon—	
Thomas Wright, Stawell	1885	G. J. Naphthine, M.B.	1907
C. A. Akins, pro Victoria I.O.R.	1886	Joint Proprietors Wimmera Flour Mill—	
Joseph Reading, Executor of Thomas Hewitt	1887	Mrs. H. A. Tyree	1907
Mrs. Mary E. Hobbs, special donor	1887	George Frayne	1907
Alexander Brown, pro National Holiday picnic	1888	For eminent services rendered to the institution since 1858—	
William Stevenson, ditto	1889	Alfred B. Clemes, J.P.	1907
Executors of John Childe—		John Cromie, "Sycamores"..	1907
Donald McLean	1889	George Simpson, as executor of the late Mrs. Kinsella..	1907
George Childe	1889	Executors of the late D. G. McKellar—	
Andrew Anderson	1889	Wm. B. Cumming	1909
John Hill, pro holiday concert	1891	J. McLaughlan	1909
W. G. A. Marshall, pro I.O.O.F. Loyal Wimmera Lodge.. . .	1894	Executors of the late Hon. W. McCulloch—	
Executors of E. C. Grant—		S. McCulloch	1910
Mrs. E. Grant	1895	C. C. McCulloch	1910
William Grant	1895	W. McCulloch	1910
Edwin J. Bennett	1895	A. W. & G. A. Gray (special donors)	1915
Magdala-cum Moonlight Company—		Jas. Urquhart	1915
Mrs. M. E. Hobbs	1895		
Mrs. J. E. Kinsella	1895		
Thomas Kinsella	1895		

LIFE GOVERNORS.—Continued.

Stawell Gymkhana Committee—		Catherine Thersa Lovitt	1926
T. P. Durack	1915	Sophie Catherine Maconachie	1926
A. J. Wood	1915	Margaret Elizabeth Atkinson..	1926
A. E. Heal	1915	Charlotte Goodson Ross	1926
W. Dawson, pro Stawell Brass		G. H. Bonighton, pro. Stawell	
Band	1916	Railways	1927
W. Appelt, pro Landsborough		A. Boston, pro. Stawell Athletic	
Band	1916	Club	1927
John Hodgetts and Webb Hod-		James Alexander Larkan, pro.	
getts, pro Landsborough		Stawell Athletic Club	1928
Brass Band	1917	George Barnes	1928
F. A. Berndt, pro Stawell Brass		Dr. J. R. Fox	1928
Band	1917	Charles Cox McDonald	1928
Messrs. J. A. Allison and D. J.		Mrs. James Muriay	1923
Thomas, pro Stawell Brass		John McKellar	1928
Band	1918	Mrs. Marjory Louisa Mitchell	
G. T. Holden (estate of G.		per Hospital Ball Committee	1928
Paganoni)	1918	George W. Pickersgill, per Sta-	
Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Cato		well Woollen Mill Employees	1928
(special donation)	1918	Mrs. Annie Neil, per Ladies'	
H. F. Johnson, pro Stawell		Auxiliary	1928
Brass Band	1919	Richard Andrewartha per I.O.R.	1929
Alfred Dunn, pro Landsborough		Esplin H. Uren, pro. Stawell	
Brass Band	1920	Male Choir	1929
N. Ledger, pro Stawell Brass		Ed. C. Ridgwell, pro. Stawell	
Band	1920	Male Choir	1929
Cr. E. P. Davies, pro. Lands-		Colonel R. A. Crouch, M.P. . .	1929
borough Brass Band	1921	Mr. D. Knipe, pro. Stawell	
R. S. Code, pro. Wood Bee . .	1922	Woollen Mills	1930
J. G. Macdonald, pro. Stawell		Mr. H. J. Ferrier, pro. Stawell	
Brass Band	1922	Woollen Mills	1930
H. Hodder, pro. Stawell Brass		Miss M. Phillips, pro. Stawell	
Band	1923	Woollen Mills	1930
Mrs. Marjorie Carter	1924	Mrs. James Paton, pro. High	
Fleetwood-Smith	1924	School Welfare Union	1930
A. Dunn, pro. S.B.B.	1924	Mrs. H. Ridge, pro. Stawell	
W. Simpson	1925	Brass Band	1930
D. N. McLennan	1925	Father Walsh, for services	
A. McKinnon	1925	rendered	1930
Mrs. E. P. Davies	1925	Cr. David Mitchell, pro. Stawell	
Miss Weatherley	1925	Athletic Club	1930
T. F. Hall	1925	Mrs. J. R. Bennett, pro. Stawell	
Mrs. Marjorie Carter	1925	Hospital Ladies' Auxiliary..	1930
W. H. Carter, pro. Stawell		Mrs. G. Gray, pro. State School	
Athletic Club	1925	502	1930
C. Osborn	1926	William Dixon	1930
Alex. Weatherley Carter	1926	Mrs. Catherine Kemp, for ser-	
N. Richardson, pro. Stawell		vices rendered	1930
Brass Band	1926	Miss Ellen Fawcett, for ser-	
Mary Ann Simpson	1926	vices rendered	1930
Catherine Rosanna Frances		Miss Annie Beaglehole, for	
Davies	1926	services rendered	1930

LIFE GOVERNORS.—Continued.

Cr. Charles Brown, pro. "Home-to-Stawell" Committee	1931	Reuben and Esther Georgina West (for new hospital building)	1934
Mrs. Florence Emily Brown, pro. "Home-to-Stawell" Committee	1931	James Henry Holden (for new hospital building)	1934
Richard J. Selleck, James Herbert Webb (Hospital Ball Committee)	1931	Raymond Frencham (for new hospital building)	1934
James O'Connor, for services rendered	1931	Mrs. Alice Beatrice Munt (for new hospital building)	1934
Mrs. James Gibson, Walter Fleetwood-Smith, pro. Hospital Ball Committee	1932	Mrs. Kathleen Freeland and Eugene O'Driscoll, pro. Hospital Ball Committee	1934
Mrs. James Young, pro. Hospital Ladies' Auxiliary	1932	Mrs. Flora Bavridge Macdonald, Miss Mary Hutchings, Mr. Stewart T. Webster, pro. Hospital Ball Committee	1935
Herbert Lonsdale Taylor, pro. Stawell Swimming Carnival Committee	1932	Miss Doris Maude Dalziel, Mr. Colin Keith Macdonald, Mr. George Hunt, pro. North-Western Woollen Mills	1936
Charles Trescowthick (for new hospital building)	1933	Mrs. Vera Middleton, Seymour William Larkan, Miss Lilian McCracken, pro. Hospital Ball Committee	1936
David Midgley and Agnes Liddall Midgley (for new hospital building)	1933	Joseph Hooper	1937
Mrs Catherine Margaret Spring and Miss Alice Elizabeth Armstrong, pro. Hospital Ball Committee	1933	Mrs. Florence E. Knipe, Mrs. Gladys Elsey Hutchesson, pro. Hospital Ball Committee	1937
Miss Eliza Porter, pro. Great Western Hospital Auxiliary	1934	Mr. Alexander McDonald	1938
William Anthony (for new hospital building)	1934	Mr. Arthur J. A. Churchward (for services rendered)	1938
Mrs. Audrey Prankherd (for new hospital building)	1934	Mrs. Lucy Nichol	1939
Clive Nankivell and Frances Louise Campbell (for new hospital building)	1934	Mrs. Myrtle D. Pickering	1940
		Miss Edith A. Mitchell	1941

LIFE SUBSCRIBERS:

R. T. Firebrace	1859	Edmund C. Grant	1875
Charles Williamson, junr.	1861	Edward Simmons	1877
Thos. Edols	1862	Mrs. Fanny H. Shilton	1878
Donald McCallum	1863	Mrs. Mary H. Brown	1879
Andrew Stewart	1863	Charles Ayrey	1885
Andrew Stewart, junr.	1864	Henry Brackenwagen, pro. A.M.C. Manchester Unity Hospital Ball Committee	1935
John Holt	1864		
John Kofoed	1870	I.O.F.	1894
Hon. W. Campbell	1872		

MAINTENANCE COSTING STATEMENT.

Outpatient Attendances, including Casualties 994

Daily Average Occupied Beds for the Year (Patients) 26½

Item No.	Headings of Expenditure	Cost	Proportion of Cost (Column 3) allocated to—			Average Cost per Bed for Daily Average In-Patients	Average Cost per Out-Patient Attendance
			In-Patients	Out-Patients			
1	Provisions	£853 0 1	£853 0 1	—	£32 3 10	—	
2	Surgery and Dispensary	447 7 4	425 0 4	22 7 0	15 5 9	5.4	
3	Domestic	1252 0 6	1248 18 4	3 2 2	47 2 7	.75	
4	Salaries and Wages ..	2420 12 3	2389 11 0	31 1 3	90 3 6	7.5	
5	Miscellaneous	230 13 8					
6	Administration	17 7 3	243 1 6	4 19 5	9 3 6	1.2	
SERVICE COST							
7	Establishment	9 8 10	8 16 5	0 12 5	0 6 8	.15	
8	Finance	8 5 3	8 5 3	—	0 6 3	—	
Total Cost		£5238 15 2	£5176 12 8	£62 2 6	£194 12 1	1/3	

EIGHTY-SECOND ANNUAL REPORT

Ladies and Gentlemen,

In presenting the eighty-second annual report and balance sheet the Board of Management records again its appreciation of the support the Hospital received from the people of Stawell and District.

Maintenance.

The receipts amounted to £6036, being £1156/9/9 more than last year. Expenditure amounted to £5677/10/1, being £1027/6/3 more than last year, leaving a credit balance at the Union Bank of £279/13/4. We commenced the year with an overdraft of £78/18/9.

All items of maintenance receipts increased during the year with the exception of donations, the main increase being patients' fees, £3083/4/9 as against £2375/1/10 last year. The Hospital Ball brought in £167/0/10, and legacies increased by £244/11/9.

The main items of increased expenditure are surgery and dispensary by £152/1/-; bedding and drapery, etc., by £390/19/9; electricity and gas by £60/3/4; and new equipment, £360/4/5.

Bequests.

We acknowledge with gratitude the remembrance of Mr. George Gray, of "Swinton," from whose estate we received £200, also Mr. John Pepper, £200, and his wife, Mrs. Eliza Pepper, £50; and also Mr. J. A. Punchard, £100.

Patients.

656 in-patients were treated this year at the hospital, being 115 more than last year. Of this number 289 were paying patients (64 more than last year).

Committee.

During the year Mr. Berger was promoted to Richmond, and Mr. Napier resigned owing to pressure of work. These two vacancies will be filled by the appointment of Mr. Sharpley as Government nominee and Cr. Simpson as municipal nominee in accordance with the new regulations.

Building.

The new Maternity Section is now completed, and will be opened on 26th July by Hon. H. H. Olney, M.L.C. The nurses' new quarters for Syme Wards are also completed, and will prove a boon to nurses when on duty in the Isolation Wards.

Thanks.

The Younger Set has been active throughout the year, and have handed over £25 to purchase a bed for the new wing, and £14/5/- for purchase of overbed table and child's cot.

Your thanks are due to the Stawell Band for their co-operation and excellent programme of music on Easter Sunday afternoon, and for their help throughout the year.

We thank our Country Representatives for assistance given in many ways in their respective districts.

We thank the local Press for valuable publicity given all our appeals and activities, and for free copies of their papers.

Ladies' Auxiliary.

£152/6/10 has been provided for purchase of linen by the Auxiliary, and the members have undertaken to help pay for linen purchased by the Hospital Committee, as Auxiliary funds permit.

Nursing and Medical Services.

We appointed Matron Cameron this year to fill the vacancy caused by Matron Lee's resignation. Our choice was a happy one as Matron Cameron and her staff of Sisters and Nurses are giving great satisfaction to the patients, committee and medical men.

We thank our Honorary Medical Officers for their interest and co-operation and their untiring efforts for the sick people of Stawell and district.

On behalf of the Board of Management.

J. G. MACDONALD, President.

G. R. E. GREEN, Secretary, A.I.H.S.

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS OF THE STAWELL DISTRICT HOSPITAL.

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30th JUNE, 1941.

PAYMENTS.		RECEIPTS.	
Ordinary Payments—		Ordinary Receipts—	
By Provisions—		To Government Grant—	
Meats	£229 14 6	Hospitals and Charities Fund	1129 0 0
Fish, poultry, rabbits.. ..	61 6 9	Other	201 3 4
Eggs	3 2 10		1330 3 4
Butter and cheese	87 10 8	„ Municipal Grants and Pay- ments for Infectious Diseases	
Fresh milk, cream.. . . .	117 0 6	Patients	238 1 0
Bread	54 12 0		238 1 0
Groceries	199 1 5	„ Charitable Contributions—	
Vegetables and fruit	100 11 4	Annual Subscriptions	292 19 1
	£853 0 0	Hospital Ball	167 0 10
„ Surgery and Dispensary—		Hospital Sunday	22 2 0
Drugs, disinfectants, chemicals	210 15 0	Other Collections and Dona- tions and Younger Set	189 5 0
Dressings, bandages, etc.. .	107 19 1		671 6 11
Instruments and appliances	96 10 4	„ Patients' Payments—	
X-ray films and sundries.. .	22 17 8	In-patients—	
Sundries (include aerated waters, wines, spirits, etc.)	9 5 3	Public beds	859 15 2
	447 7 4	Intermediate beds	2158 16 4
„ Domestic—		Out-patients..	64 13 3
Renewal of—			3083 4 9
Furniture	19 17 4	F.D.R.	3 15 0
Bedding, drapery, cloth- ing, uniforms	514 8 6	„ Interest on Investments—	
Hardware, brushware and crockery	70 19 8	Cato Endowments and 3%	110 1 6
Laundry and cleaning sup- plies, laundry let out	222 10 0		113 16 6
Fuel, electricity, gas	410 8 1	„ Miscellaneous—	
Sundries	13 16 11	Sale of Refuse and Stores	23 11 9
	1252 0 6	Other (Rents, Deposits, Re- fund, Interest)	6 11 0
„ Salaries and Wages—			30 2 9
All staff and employees (in- cluding “official salaries”)	2420 12 3	Total Ordinary Receipts	£5466 15 3
	2420 12 3	Extraordinary Receipts—	
„ Miscellaneous and Administration—		To Christmas Cheer	17 7 3
Postage, telephone, print-		„ Legacies	551 17 6
			569 4 9

	cluding (official salaries) 2420 12 3	
"	Miscellaneous and Administration—	
	Postage, telephone, printing, stationery, advertisements, etc.	118 11 9
	Insurance	42 15 2
	Law charges, auditors' travelling expenses	13 13 0
	Sundries (including cartage, freight, etc.)	55 13 9
		<u>230 13 8</u>
"	Establishment Charges—	
	Repair and renovation of buildings	9 8 10
		<u>9 8 10</u>
"	Finance—	
	Interest and Bank charges	8 5 3
		<u>8 5 3</u>
"	Extraordinary Payments—	
	Xmas Cheer	17 7 3
		<u>17 7 3</u>
	Total Payments	£5238 15 1
"	Receipts transferred—	
	To Equipment Account	360 4 5
	To Building Account, Interest, 2 loans	52 10 0
	To Equipment Loan, Interest	26 0 6
		<u>438 14 11</u>
"	Bank Advances or Overdraft brought forward from 30th June, 1940 (Maintenance only)	78 18 9
		<u>78 18 9</u>
"	Cash in hand or at Bank at 30th June, 1941 (Maintenance only)	279 13 4
		<u>279 13 4</u>
	Grand Total	£6036 2 1

"	Legacies	551 17 0
	Total Extraordinary Receipts	<u>569 4 9</u>
	Total Ordinary and Extraordinary Receipts	£6036 0 0
To	Cash in hand, 30th June, 1940	0 2 1
	Grand Total	<u>£6036 2 1</u>

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ENDOWMENT ACCOUNT

RECEIPTS.	PAYMENTS.
To Balance, 1st July, 1940 £2652 10 0	By Transfer of income to Main-
„ Income on Investments 110 1 6	tenance Account £110 1 6
	„ 3% Stock 602 10 0
	„ Inscribed Stock, 4% 1000 0 0
	„ Met. Board of Works, 5% .. 1000 0 0
	„ Chadwick Bond, 4% 50 0 0
£2762 11 6	£2762 11 6

BUILDING, PLANT and EQUIPMENT ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.	PAYMENTS.
To Balance, 1st July, 1940 5000 0 0	By Builders £3100 0 0
„ Interest on F.D. 47 10 0	„ Architects 112 6 9
„ Interest on F.D. 3 15 0	„ Atherton Sterilisers 120 5 0
	„ Interest on Loan 50 0 0
	„ Interest to Main 3 15 0
	„ Interest on Overdraft.. . . . 0 12 6
	„ Credit Balance on Hand.. . . 1664 5 9
£5051 5 0	£5051 5 0

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that I have audited the books, vouchers, and documents of the institution, and find that the postings are accurately made under their proper headings and that the statements of accounts are correct. I have inspected the securities and obtained Bankers' certificates with respect to the balances represented by assets in the various statements of accounts, and found them in order.

JAMES PATON, Auditor.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT FOR FIVE YEARS AS AT 30th JUNE.

RECEIPTS.

	1937		1938		1939		1940		1941	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Local Contributions ..	685	0 0	583	9 5	720	17 10	875	8 6	671	6 11
Government Grant ..	426	3 0	509	0 0	839	0 0	1196	0 0	1330	3 4
Municipal Grant ..	771	0 11	352	19 0	238	9 0	240	12 0	238	1 0
In-Patients' Fees . . .	1511	4 0	1756	12 10	1949	2 6	2339	5 10	3018	11 6
Out-Patients	30	8 9	13	3 4	33	15 2	35	16 0	64	13 3
Interest on Investments	121	0 8	126	13 10	115	14 0	111	17 3	113	16 6
Other Sources of O.R.	56	1 10	55	18 0	29	15 4	25	17 6	30	2 9
Total Ordinary Revenue	3781	2 7	3397	16 5	3926	13 10	4824	17 1	5466	15 3
Extraordinary Revenue	532	5 0	456	4 6	56	5 0	54	13 2	569	4 9

EXPENDITURE.

Provisions	587	13 10	585	18 11	717	19 0	739	7 9	853	0 1
Surgery	208	2 6	193	1 6	211	10 0	295	6 4	447	7 4
Domestic	810	12 10	714	3 2	735	6 11	763	14 5	1252	0 6
Establishment Charges	213	0 2	148	7 7	40	1 3	90	17 4	9	8 10
Miscellaneous	196	0 6	124	7 1	158	12 9	234	16 10	230	13 8
Administration	269	4 11	318	18 3	327	6 1				
Salaries and Wages	1394	6 6	1558	0 8	1851	18 6	2439	15 11	2420	12 3
Finance					40	9 6	31	5 6	8	5 3
Total Ord. Expenditure	3674	1 3	3745	6 11	4083	4 0	4595	4 1	5221	7 11
Total Ex. Ord. Expen.	368	4 8	158	5 10	458	16 10	54	19 9	17	7 3
Cost per Bed	166	9 0	134	15 9	170	1 0	184	6 3	194	12 1

FINANCIAL POSITION.

			Overdraft	Credit	Credit					
Bank Credit	442	19 10	75	0 6	308	5 2	115	13 10	279	13 4
Cash in Hand	64	14 5			0	10 5				
Equipment & Build. Loans							3812	10 0	3812	10 0
Unpaid Accounts	233	11 1	107	10 11	355	8 11	258	8 2	474	14 1
Endowment	2840	0 0	2840	0 0	2840	0 0	2652	10 0	2652	10 0

STATISTICAL.

Daily Average ..	22	26.7	24	25	26½
In-Patients	533	510	541	586	656
Paid Staff	20	23	25	26	26
Accommodation ..	36	36	36	36	54
Accommodation Infect.	8	8	8	8	8
OutPatients			211	213	194

ATTENDANCES AT MEETINGS.

Special Board of Management Meetings	7
Monthly Board of Management Meetings	12
Finance Committee Meetings	34
Building Committee Meetings	16
House Committee Meetings	14
Total	83

	Board of Manage- ment.	Finance Committee	House Committee	Building Committee	Special Meetings	Ttl.
J. G. Macdonald ..	11	34	7	15	6	73
E. J. O'Driscoll ..	9	24	—	—	6	39
M. O. Penna ..	11	22	10	—	4	47
W. M. Thomson ..	8	26	—	—	4	38
G. P. Frencham ..	11	6	13	2	3	45
M. J. Cowman ..	10	—	12	—	4	26
R. H. McCracken..	9	—	10	9	3	31
L. C. Phillips ..	9	34	—	13	2	58
Frank West ..	10	—	11	13	3	37
G. T. Haase ..	8	21	—	12	3	44
A. Waterfield..	10	—	13	8	4	35
H. Ferrier ..	8	—	6	—	5	19
J. Bennett ..	5	—	4	3	4	16
R. Berger ..	6	21	1	—	3	31
G. F. Bull ..	5	—	—	—	2	7
H. Napier..	4	—	4	—	2	10

CONSUMPTION OF COMMODITIES.

Including all Goods Consumed, whether Purchased or Donated.

Meats	7030 lb.	Coffee and cocoa	46 lb.
Bacon	133 lb.	Breakfast cereals, oatmeal	434 lb.
Rabbits (donated)	16 prs.	Rice, barley, etc.	120 lb.
Poultry	14 prs.	Soap, household	555 lb.
Fish	559½ lb.	Potatoes	3744 lb.
Milk	1502¼ gals.	Onions	196 lb.
Butter	1157 lb.	Cotton wool	112 lb.
Eggs (donated)	1329 doz.	Lint	30 lb.
Bread	6350 lb.	Gauze	824 yds.
Flour	356 lb.	Firewood	199½ tons
Sugar	1782 lb.	Gas (heating and power)	822,900 c.ft.
Jam (donated)	732 lb.	Electric current (power)	465,200 units
Tea	602 lb.	Electric current (light)	223,900 units

DETAILED LIST OF GRANTS, DONATIONS, SUBSCRIPTIONS AND CONTRIBUTIONS.

Government Grants.							
Maintenance	£1129	0	0	Andrews, R.	1	1	0
Equipment and road	39	5	0	Barker, T. (executors) ..	1	1	0
Collective buy	161	18	4	Bull, G. F.	1	1	0
Municipal Grants.				Bennett, J.	1	0	0
Borough of Stawell	£100	0	0	Close, Rev. Fr. W. N. . .	1	1	0
Shire of Stawell	50	0	0	Cowman, M. J.	1	1	0
Shire of Dunmunkle	24	0	0	Chapannel, J. T.	1	1	0
Shire of Avoca	5	5	0	Crouch, F. J.	1	1	0
Donations.				Cole, G. M. J.	1	1	0
Patrick Brennan trustees	£40	0	0	Dadswell, T.	1	1	0
Edward Simmons trustees	39	15	0	Frencham, G. P.	1	1	0
Alfred Felton trustees . .	24	0	0	Ferrier, H.	1	1	0
J. Hooper, Esq.	18	6	6	Esplin, Miss	1	0	0
Sir W. A. Zeal trustees..	6	6	0	Gilbert, G.	1	1	0
Dr. Gibson	5	5	0	Hooper, L. F.	1	0	0
Walter and Eliza Hall Trust	5	0	0	Haase, G. T.	1	1	0
Dr. Gribble	3	3	0	Harding, N. A.	1	1	0
Pensioners' Welfare League	3	3	0	Hunt, C. C.	1	1	0
Anonymous	2	2	0	Indi	1	1	0
John Morgan, Esq.	2	2	0	Jordan, W.	1	0	0
Friend	0	7	6	Larkan, Seymour	1	1	0
Bequests.				Lawson, K.	1	5	0
George A. Gray, Esq.	£200	0	0	Monaghan, James	1	1	0
John Pepper, Esq.	200	0	0	Mitchell, G., & Sons . . .	1	1	0
J. A. Punchard, Esq.	100	0	0	Mitchell, W. H.	1	1	0
Elizabeth Pepper	50	0	0	Munt, W.	1	1	0
J. R. Allison	1	17	6	M.U.I.O.O.F.	1	1	0
Contributions.				M.U.I.O.O.F. (Wimmera			
Ladies' Auxiliary	£152	14	9	District)	1	1	0
Bank of Australasia	5	5	0	McCracken, R. H.	1	1	0
McDonald, Alex., M.L.A. . . .	5	5	0	McDonald, D. H.	1	1	0
Urquhart, J.	5	0	0	Macdonald, J. G.	1	1	0
Thomas Baker (Kodak				Napier, H. A.	1	1	0
Pty. Ltd)	4	0	0	Newton, A. E.	1	1	0
Union Bank	4	4	0	Osborn, C. H.	1	1	0
Savings Bank Officers'				O'Driscoll, E. J.	1	1	0
Association	4	0	0	Pittard, A. J.	1	1	0
E.S.&A. Bank	3	3	0	Punchard, N.	1	1	0
Liddiard, Max.	3	3	0	Penna, M. O.	1	1	0
McLeod, Mrs. John	3	3	0	Phillips, L. C.	1	1	0
Commercial Bank	2	2	0	Phillips, A. V.	1	0	0
Country Roads Board				Parry, Miss	1	0	0
Staff	2	2	0	Sharpley, W. G.	1	1	0
Hazeldine, J.	2	2	0	Sewell, R. M.	1	1	0
Holden Bros.	2	2	0	Thomson, W. M.	1	1	0
McLeod, D., M.H.R.	2	2	0	Williams, M. & T.	1	1	0
Dane Bros.	2	2	0	Waterfield, A.	1	1	0
Chadwick, Miss J. Mc. . . .	2	0	0	Waterfield Pty. Ltd. . . .	1	1	0
Kronheimer, J.	2	0	0	Willy, G.	1	1	0
				West, Frank	1	1	0

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AND CONTRIBUTIONS—Continued**

Webb, J. H.	1	1	0
Cornish, A. V.	0	10	6
Kingston, F. C.	0	10	6
King, T.	0	10	6
Oliver, A.	0	10	6
Shirreff, T. Y.	0	10	6
Twyerould, J.	0	10	0
Hospital box	0	4	10

Willaring.

Dennis, Messrs. R. F. and W. J.	£5	5	0
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Wallaloo.

Miss Weatherly	2	2	0
Mrs. Carter	2	0	0

Christmas Cheer Donations.

Grampians Mark Master Masons	2	16	3
Ladies' Auxiliary	2	2	0
Prichard, Mrs. J.	2	0	0
Munt, Mrs. W.	1	1	0
Great Western Auxiliary Churches' Tennis Associa- tion	1	1	0

A.N.A. (per Mr. Holmes) Mrs. Frayne and Miss Williamson	1	1	0
Miss Esplin	1	0	0
Robson, G.	0	12	0
Landsborough Auxiliary. Punchard, Mrs. N.	0	15	0
A.W.A., per Miss Joyce Crouch	0	10	6
Hall, Mrs. J. E.	0	10	6
Rebekah Lodge	0	10	6
Miss E. Gray	0	5	0
Mr. C. Osborn	0	5	0
Mrs. W. B. Stewart	0	5	0

Christmas Cheer Expenditure.

Town Hall Pictures	3	2	6
Dane Bros.	4	8	5
Dowdles	0	19	5
Edgerton's, jam, etc.	1	19	4
G. Mitchell, gifts	1	1	9
D. Stewart, tobacco	1	5	10
Poultry	1	16	0
G. Willy, fruit	1	14	10
Gilpin, sundries	0	11	2
Gilbert, G., sundries	0	8	0

Glenorchy.

Cr. W. E. Phelan	2	0	0
A. McCallum, Esq.	1	1	0
Phelan, J. B.	1	0	0
Phelan, P.	1	0	0
Leslie, F. P.	0	10	0

"Swinton" List.

Gray, A. J. H.	2	0	0
D. Stewart	0	5	0
E. Pianta	0	5	0
E. Johnson	0	2	0
A. Daley	0	2	0
M. Trickey	0	2	0
L. Stewart	0	2	0
J. Flanagan	0	2	0
E. Gibson	0	2	0
F. Evans	0	2	0
L. Cahill	0	2	0
F. Coles	0	2	0
I. Bates	0	3	0
R. Drysberg	0	10	0
A. Trickey	0	10	0

Landsborough West.

C. Leslie	1	0	0
L. J. Blake	0	10	0
R. J. Aston	0	10	0
Ron. Leslie	0	5	0
W. H. Leslie	0	5	0
Les. Blake	0	5	0
Jas. Fittock	0	5	0
W. Mathieson	0	10	0
H. Aston	0	5	0
D. Perry	0	5	0
J. Hutchinson	0	5	0
M. Molan	0	5	0
George Aston	0	3	0
Roy Aston	0	3	0

G. Aston, Les. Taylor, E. Work, W. Appelt, R. Bunworth, E. Perry, R. J. Leslie, F. Dunn, T. Homphry, R. Perry, A. Peacock, S. Turner, C. Turner, A. E. Turner, E. Work, H. Dunn, J. Brown, J. Vendy, C. Perry, G. Dunn, N. Aston, H. Burge, F. Matthews, L. Vendy, F. Curr, Charlie Dunn, L. Dunn, R. Richards, J. Barnett, J. Perry, E. McSparron, L. Aston, 2/- each; W. Aston, 2/6.

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£17 7 3	Hall, J. E.	2	2	0
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AND CONTRIBUTIONS—Continued**

Landsborough.									
Hodgetts, Cr. Webb	1	1	0	Wills, W. D. & H.O.	2	2	0		
Hodgetts, E. G.	1	1	0	McPhersons Pty. Ltd.	2	0	0		
Hodgetts, Miss	1	0	0	Aust. Oxygen Co.	1	1	0		
Presbyterian Sunday School	0	10	0	Henry Francis & Co.	1	1	0		
Easter Collections.				Brit. Aust. Tobacco Co.	1	1	0		
Stawell Band	21	12	0	Kitchen, J., & Sons	1	1	0		
Masonic Lodge visitors	2	3	0	Gilpin, O.	1	1	0		
Seventh Day Adventists.	0	10	0	Vacuum Oil Co.	1	1	0		
Hospital Ball				Great Western.					
.....	167	0	10	Ladies' Auxiliary, crockery					
Carr's Plains.				to the value of	12	0	0		
Wettenhall, H. H., Esq.	1	0	0	Seppelts and Sons.	1	1	0		
Melbourne.				Thomson, F.	1	1	0		
Trescowthick, C.	5	0	0	Deep Lead.					
				Nealy, Miss M.	1	1	0		

EGG DONATIONS, 1940-41.

	Doz.				Doz.
Mr. and Mrs. Clive Campbell, "Warranooke"	326		Mr. A. McCallum, Glenorchy.		9
State School 502	184		Mr. John McKellar, Kirkella		9
Mr. and Mrs. A. J. H. Gray, "Swinton"	140		Mrs. Holmes		9
Mr. Giles, Glenorchy	60		Presbyterian Sunday School, Landsborough		3
Callawadda Junior Red Cross	57		Joel Joel State School		8
Wallaloo East State School	54		Mr. G. A. Waldron		8
Callawadda State School	47		Methodist Sunday School.		7
Green's Creek State School	35½		Mr. A. Reading		6½
Wallaloo State School	33½		Deep Lead Social Service League		6½
Mr. Taylor, Hall's Gap	28½		Ladies' Hospital Auxiliary		6
Stawell High School	25		Mrs. Court, Doctor's Creek		5
Landsborough State School	25		Miss J. Rutter		5
Riachella State School	25		Mrs. W. Lannin		5
Glenorchy State School	23		Mr. H. H. Wettenhall.		5
Marnoo State School	20½		Hall's Gap State School		4½
McMurtrie, Mrs.	18		Mrs. Evans		4½
St. Patrick's School	14½		Constable Jewell, Glenorchy.		4½
Landsborough State School	14		M. Davies, Dadswell's Bridge		4
Landsborough West State School	14		Miss J. Mc. Walker		4
Mr. W. Lowe, Navarre	12		Miss Gray, Patrick street		3
Holy Trinity Sunday School and Stawell West	12		Mrs. Currie		2
Mrs. Sim. Lang, Marnoo.	10½		Mrs. Roscoe		2
			Mrs. G. McMurtrie		1½
			Deep Lead State School		1
			Mrs. Kelly		½