

THE

**QUEEN ELIZABETH
GERIATRIC CENTRE**

BALLARAT, AUSTRALIA

**1974
ANNUAL
REPORT**

With the Compliments of
The President, Mr. W. H. Heinz
and
Members of the Board of Management of the
Queen Elizabeth Geriatric Centre.

Your past support is appreciated and your continued assistance in this current year invited.

117th Annual Report

To the Contributors of the Queen Elizabeth Geriatric Centre.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

It is my privilege on behalf of the Board of Management to present the 117th Report and Statement of Accounts for the year ended 30th June, 1974.

CHANGE OF NAME

Following Royal Assent the name of "The Queen Elizabeth Home" has been changed to "The Queen Elizabeth Geriatric Centre" a title more in keeping with the extended responsibilities and services of the Institution.

PATRON

A very kind letter was received from our Patron, His Excellency the Governor of Victoria, Major-General Sir Rohan Delacombe, K.C.M.G., K.C.V.O., K.B.E., C.B., K.S.O., K.St.J. on his retirement as Governor of Victoria and return to England. Our very best wishes are recorded to Sir Rohan and Lady Delacombe for a very happy retirement.

FINANCE

The Board has pursued its policy of introducing new services and providing modern accommodation but has been limited by the amount of Government monies available both for maintenance and capital development. Progress has also been affected by the disastrous results of inflation.

The year ending 30th June, 1974, resulted in a deficit of \$72,663, the major cause of which was the requirement of the Hospitals and Charities Commission to make a provision of \$67,218 for Long Service Leave accrued.

Inflation has contributed mainly to the increase in maintenance expenditure from \$2,850,095 in 1973 to \$3,519,335 in 1974, and this increase, reflected in Salaries and Wages, was beyond the control of the Board of Management, although very close attention has been given to all aspects of the Centre's financial operations.

The daily average of patients of 754.2 was reflected in an average bed occupancy of 95.48% and Day Hospital visits totalled 17,438, an increase of 206 over the previous year.

However the Daily Average Cost per day per patients has increased from \$9.92 to \$12.46 and the cost per attendance of Day Hospital patients has risen from \$6.37 to \$6.81, and economic trends indicate that further cost increases are inevitable.

CAPITAL FUNDS AND PLANNING

"Old Age" is a misunderstood and misused term, generally applied to "some one" else, and more people are realising that the "Third Age" is a more appropriate term. There are actually more people in the community in this group than there are accommodated in Geriatric Centres.

This has been proved by the successful pilot scheme introduced sixteen years ago with home care, laundry services, day hospital and short term wards, hostels and flats for independent living — developments which have since been followed by other centres. Much more needs to be done and finance made available to further develop this work into the field of re-education and retraining in preparation for retirement and leisure.

In close co-operation with the Hospitals and Charities Commission the Board's planning has therefore been directed towards—

- (a) future buildings;
- (b) existing buildings;
- (c) services.

FUTURE BUILDINGS

The 1973 Special Building Appeal for \$100,000 referred to later in this report was launched for a new 120 bed infirmary building. Prior to the finale of the Appeal it was my pleasure to announce that the overall building programme finally approved by the Hospitals and Charities Commission of Victoria would provide an additional 200 beds commencing with a 50 bed hostel unit including a day centre.

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Patron:

HIS EXCELLENCY
THE GOVERNOR
OF VICTORIA,
MAJOR-GENERAL
SIR ROHAN DELACOMBE,
K.C.M.G., K.C.V.O., K.B.E.,
C.B., D.S.O., K.St.J.

102 ASCOT STREET SOUTH,
BALLARAT. 3350.
P.O. BOX 199,
'PHONE: BALLARAT 32 1811.

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HOSTELS:

PLEASANT HOME

34 Pleasant Street, Ballarat.
Phone: Ballarat 32 1841.

ANDREW C. FRASER HOUSE

32 Pleasant Street, Ballarat.

K. S. B. ARCHER HOUSE

30 Pleasant Street, Ballarat.

JOHN KEITH HOUSE

28 Pleasant Street, Ballarat.

EUREKA HOUSE

37 Durham Street, Ballarat.

C. N. C. EYRES HOUSE

810 Ligar Street, Ballarat.
Phone: Ballarat 32 4720.

BALMORAL

1104 Dana Street, Ballarat.
Phone: Ballarat 32 1069.

BRIM BRIM, Buninyong

Phone: Buninyong 41 3581.

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Nursing Aide Training School

109-111 Ascot Street, Ballarat.

Sketch plans for the 50 bed hostel unit and day centre on the ground floor and in the basement are now in the hands of the Hospitals and Charities Commission and will be constructed on the Talbot Street site.

This will be followed by the 150 bed infirmary unit.

New Infirmary Building

It is necessary for the new building to be constructed on the main block to obtain the full benefits of service and the demolition and resiting of several existing buildings is essential.

Transfer of Buildings

The clearance of the site will involve the demolition of Dormitory 3, Store, Workshops, Staff Change Rooms and Lederman Hall. Some will be rebuilt on the Talbot Street site, other services will be relocated within existing buildings.

Group Laundry

After much investigation and many delays final sketch plans have been agreed upon and working drawings are being prepared.

The transfer of our laundry to the new site in Lonsdale Street will allow the present laundry building to be used for other purposes.

Percy Baxter Homes

Financial assistance from the Percy Baxter Charitable Trust has enabled tenders to be called for an additional twenty units for this complex and we record our appreciation for the continued interest shown and financial support given by the Trust.

Ripon Street

Tenders have been called for a centre of twelve units for independent living to be erected in Ripon Street South, Ballarat.

(b) EXISTING BUILDINGS

It is essential that the present buildings be maintained in keeping with modern standards for accommodation and safety.

Main Building

A detailed survey has been made and working drawings completed for large scale alterations to pro-

vide maximum safety for present day conditions and approval to call tenders for this work is awaited. A complete review of patient accommodation and services in this building is almost completed.

Argyle Ward

Extensions have been completed to the Argyle Ward by the construction of a large sun room and lounge. Furniture, furnishings and equipment are being replaced in this area.

Catering Services

The expansion of buildings and services including Mea's-an-Wheels has also required a review of our catering services and facilities. This service is under discussion with the Hospitals and Charities Commission and investigations being made into the most effective method by which the catering needs for the development can be met.

Land

The completion of these projects will finalise all possible development on the main site and land is being acquired in the areas in north, south, east and west of Ballarat for the construction of day centres and the incorporation of other services for people in the Third Age.

This development is essential in order that the services of the Centre may be further decentralised.

Special Appeal

Last year the Special Building Appeal for \$100,000 was launched and the Special Appeal Committee formed under the chairmanship of Mr. W. B. Messer. The enthusiasm of the organising committee was rewarded at the finale which was held on 5th October, 1973 when the announcement was made that the target had been exceeded and the Appeal was finalised with the sum of \$149,660.

From the many highlights of the Special Appeal mention must be made of the magnificent contribution by the younger members of the community.

A record number of people and organisations worked untiringly and our sincere thanks is recorded to everyone who participated in this most successful Appeal.

STATISTICS

The general statistics relating to bed capacity and waiting lists are recorded elsewhere in this report.

Current trends highlight the fact that although the centre accommodates 856 in the various types of accommodation available, direct contact is maintained with more than 800 elderly people outside the centre and this figure is rising. Experience has shown that too much emphasis cannot be placed on the great need for more attention to be given to the re-education and retraining, not only for retirement but the increasing amount of leisure time resulting from changing economic and social conditions. This trend also gives rise to the possible responsibility of large enterprises for the welfare of staff preparing for retirement.

STATE GERIATRIC CONFERENCE

Sponsored by the Hospitals and Charities Commission of Victoria, the State Geriatric Conference will be held at this Centre on 30th and 31st October and 1st November next.

We are pleased that it has been made possible for Dr. John Fleetwood of Dublin to attend together with interstate representatives in this field.

STAFF

Including part time staff there are 640 individual members all of whom have a specific contribution to make towards the treatment and welfare of the patients whether it be by personal or direct service. These services include administration, medical, nursing, welfare, medical ancillary, catering, laundry, engineering and maintenance domestic; recreation, and outside help. There is an inter-relationship between these services and without co-ordination and the loyalty shown by the staff the patient for whom the whole complex has been established and developed must lose.

It is with great pleasure that the Board records its appreciation for the work carried out by each and every member.

OTHER INSTITUTIONS

In this field there are essential services which cannot be provided by the Queen Elizabeth Geriatric Centre and particular reference is made to the Ballarat and District Base Hospital, Ballarat and District Ambulance Service Ballarat and District Nursing Service and the Red Cross Society.

The co-operation in Ballarat between these essential services has been commented favourably upon by visitors to the Centre and the Board takes this opportunity to record its appreciation.

ORGANISATIONS

The Queen Elizabeth Geriatric Centre receives great benefits both personally and financially from the many organisations which have supported its work over a period of many years, and we record our appreciation, particularly to the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Centre, the Presbyterian Fellowship of Australia, the R.S.S.A.I.L.A., Mums and Dads Association, Church Ladies Guilds and Auxiliaries, M. B. John Employees Chorities Group, Ballarat Travellers Social Club, Social Service Groups from the Schools and Branches of the Country Women's Association.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES

Our thanks are again recorded to the Chaplains from all denominations who regularly attend the Home conducting services in the Chapel and administering to the needs of the residents.

LEGACIES AND BEQUESTS

The Annual Report lists the legacies and bequests received during the year. All such amounts are applied in accordance with the Testator's wishes and the Centre is deeply grateful to these people who made provision for the Centre to benefit from their Estates, and as a result were responsible for many of the developments of the Centre.

HOSPITALS AND CHARITIES COMMISSION

The Board of Management again records its appreciation of the Chairman, Commissioners and officers of the Hospitals and Charities Commission, and extends congratulations to the recently appointed Commissioners in the persons of Dr. E. Wilder, Chairman, Mr. R. Thomas, Deputy Chairman, and Mr. F. Cremean, Commissioner.

On behalf of the Board of Management,

W. H. HEINZ, President.

THE QUEEN ELIZABETH GERIATRIC CENTRE

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OFFICE-BEARERS FOR THE YEAR 1973-1974

President:

W. H. HEINZ, Esq.

Vice-Presidents:

Senior: C. D. CHESTER, Esq.
Junior: J. L. TREVENEN, Esq.,
M.B.E.

Hon. Treasurer:

JAS. A. THOMAS, Esq.

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BOARD OF MANAGEMENT

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Kt., O.B.E.
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GEO. TORNEY, Esq., J.P.
J. L. TREVENEN, Esq., M.B.E.



The Annual Meeting of the Victorian Association of Geriatric Centres was held at the Centre during the year.

The guest speaker, Dr. J. G. Griffiths (left) is speaking with the Chairman of the Association, Sir Arthur W. Nicholson, the President of the Centre, Mr. W. H. Heinz and the Secretary of the Association, Mr. F. P. O'Brien.



The State Minister of Health, Mr. Alon Sconlan, M.P. and the Chairman of the Mental Health Authority, Dr. A. Stoller, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.P.M., F.A.N.Z.C.P. talk with the President and the Manager during a visit to the Centre.

The first donation to the Appeal — The President of the Ladies' Auxiliary, Mrs. A. J. Williams hands a cheque for \$2,000 to the Appeal Chairman, Mr. W. B. Messer.



The Office-Bearers of the successfully conducted \$100,000 Building Appeal.

Left to right:
 Mr. A. McLeon (Deputy Chairman).
 Mr. J. A. O'Shea (Treasurer).
 Mr. W. B. Messer (Chairman).
 Mr. P. R. Whitla (Secretary).



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ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

Manager:

F. G. BLACK, F.C.I.S.,
 F.A.S.A., A.H.A., M.R.S.H.

Deputy Manager:

A. D. McMILLAN

Finance Officer:

F. N. M. PETCH,
 F.A.S.A., L.H.A.

Administrative Officer:

P. R. WHITLA, A.A.S.A.

Auditors:

G. A. GILLBERT, F.C.A.
 I. McIVOR, F.C.A.

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HONORARY PROFESSIONAL STAFF

Hon. Optometrists:

Messrs. G. B. CUTTER and
 D. H. GARDINER.

Hon. Solicitors:

Messrs. CUTHBERTS

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COMPARATIVE STATEMENT

STAFF

MEDICAL SERVICES

Medical Superintendent:

Dr. F. P. McARDLE, M.B., B.S.

Medical Officers:

Dr. R. G. BAXTER, M.B., B.S.
Dr. J. R. COUSINS, M.B., B.Ch.,
M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., M.A. (Oxon.)
Dr. J. GARNER, M.A., M.B.,
B.Ch., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.,
M.R.A.C.G.P.
Dr. J. HAZELDINE, M.B.,
Ch.B. (Birm.), D.C.H. (Lond.)
Dr. D. HEWAT, M.B., B.S.
Dr. G. J. RUSSELL, M.B., B.S.
Dr. M. SCHRIEKE, M.B., B.S.
Dr. A. VAN DER KNYFF,
M.B., B.S.
Consultant Medical Officers:
Dr. D. A. ALEXANDER, M.D.,
B.S., F.R.A.C.P.
Dr. S. GIDDY, M.B., Ch.B. (Birm.),
D.A. (Lond.), Dip. Obs., R.C.O.G.,
F.F.A.R.A.C.S.
Dr. I. GOY, M.B., B.S., F.R.A.C.P.,
F.C.R.A., F.F.R. (Lond.)
Dr. J. G. GRIFFITHS, M.R.C.O.G.
Dr. J. BARRIE MORLEY,
F.R.A.C.P., M.R.C.P (Edin.)
Mr. K. NEERHUT, M.B.B.S.,
F.R.C.S. (Edin.), F.R.A.C.S.
Dr. A. L. NICHOLSON, M.B., B.S.,
D.P.M., M.A.N.C.P.
Mr. D. B. SKEWES, M.B., B.S.,
F.R.C.S. (Edin.)

INCOME

	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974
Government Grant	\$460,385	\$689,108	\$640,884	\$563,289	\$644,101
Charitable Contributions	19,968	19,396	19,888	19,118	16,243
Patient Fees	1,217,485	1,268,258	1,651,705	2,189,808	2,750,731
Income from Investments	531	540	529	457	444
Miscellaneous	20,386	23,050	29,415	32,187	37,537
TOTAL: Ordinary Income	\$1,718,755	\$2,000,352	\$2,342,421	\$2,804,859	\$3,449,056
Deficiency		11,232		45,400	72,663
	\$1,718,755	\$2,011,584	\$2,342,421	\$2,850,259	\$3,521,719

EXPENDITURE

Salaries and Wages	\$1,346,123	\$1,626,566	\$1,886,889	\$2,366,506	\$2,982,692
Administrative	70,815	73,486	99,267	123,545	108,051
Dietary	147,916	151,490	163,504	192,940	245,853
Housekeeping	10,497	9,354	11,878	12,319	15,331
Linen, Laundry, Sewing	11,310	12,017	12,070	15,487	12,396
Power, Lighting, Heating	53,046	52,250	57,960	53,195	60,258
Maintenance	25,405	28,292	28,276	27,603	29,888
Medical and Surgical	53,441	58,600	65,617	68,680	75,553
	\$1,718,553	\$2,012,055	\$2,325,461	\$2,860,275	\$3,530,022
Less Board and Lodging	10,063	7,751	8,544	10,180	10,687
Total Expenditure Operating	\$1,708,490	\$2,004,304	\$2,316,917	\$2,850,095	\$3,519,335
Non-Operating Salaries and Wages	5,605	5,708	7,427		
Non-Operating General Expenditure	2,681	1,572	1,178	164	2,384
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	\$1,716,776	\$2,011,584	\$2,325,522	\$2,850,259	\$3,521,719
SURPLUS	1,779		16,899		
GRAND TOTAL	\$1,718,755	\$2,011,584	\$2,342,421	\$2,850,259	\$3,521,719

STATISTICS

	1969-70	1970-71	1971-72	1972-73	1973-74
HOSPITAL					
Number of Beds	44	44	44	44	44
Daily Average	32.46	30.48	32.28	34.28	32.26
Admissions	162	175	199	205	231
Discharges	106	116	148	129	162
Deaths	30	25	19	31	25
Daily Average Bed Cost	\$12.04	\$14.67	\$17.22	\$19.28	\$26.46
NURSING HOME					
Number of Beds	532	532	532	532	532
Daily Average	525.30	519.50	524.06	522.53	523.29
Admissions	235	301	259	311	277
Discharges	123	149	130	161	166
Deaths	160	219	171	209	172
Daily Average Bed Cost	\$6.34	\$7.49	\$8.55	\$10.35	\$13.11
AMBULATORY					
Number of Beds	214	214	214	214	214
Daily Average	207.48	202.69	203.88	200.41	198.74
Admissions	57	58	50	54	74
Discharges	29	33	36	35	60
Deaths	3	3	1	6	4
Daily Average Bed Cost	\$4.05	\$4.92	\$5.13	\$7.19	\$8.46
DAY HOSPITAL					
Attendances	11,761	12,133	16,087	17,232	17,438
Average Cost per Attendance	\$2.62	\$4.62	\$5.67	\$6.37	\$6.81
FLATS					
Percy Baxter Homes Number of Beds	45	45	45	52	52
Eyres Flats Number of Residents	14	14	14	14	14
DOMICILIARY CARE					
Number of Visits	7,401	7,911	8,487	9,390	9,861
MEALS-ON-WHEELS					
.. .. .	13,135	17,952	23,129	26,129	30,279
NUMBER OF PAID STAFF					
.. .. .	528	536	543	572	584
NO. OF PHYSIOTHERAPY TREATMENTS					
.. .. .	21,052	19,599	20,008	22,550	24,610
NO. OF CHIROPODY TREATMENTS					
.. .. .	5,659	5,361	5,482	5,224	5,354
<i>No. of Occupational Treatments</i>	<i>25859</i>	<i>24041</i>	<i>30014</i>	<i>32209</i>	<i>28304</i>
<i>No. of Speech Therapy Treatments</i>	<i>730</i>	<i>715</i>	<i>252</i>	<i>678</i>	<i>556</i>
<i>No. of X-rays Taken</i>	<i>—</i>	<i>—</i>	<i>358</i>	<i>447</i>	<i>499</i>

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NURSING

Matron:

Mrs. M. L. CAMPBELL, S.R.N.,
Dip. N.A., A.C.N.A.

Deputy Matron:

Miss M. McKENZIE, S.R.N.,
Dip. N.A., F.C.N.A.

Assistant Matron:

Miss P. R. O'KEANE, S.R.N.

Tutors:

Mrs. P. M. KILGOUR, S.R.N.
Miss M. J. LONERGAN, S.R.N.
Mr. A. J. GRIME, S.R.N.

Welfare and Home Care Services:

Mrs. M. M. WOODFORD, S.R.N.
Mrs. E. E. CADDY, S.R.N.
(Retired 26/4/1974).
Mrs. M. MOODIE, S.R.N.
Mrs. P. J. TAYLOR, S.R.N.
(From 29/4/1974).

Pharmacist:

Miss B. SMITH, B.Pharm. (Lond.),
F.P.S.

Dentist:

Dr. J. A. THORNE, B.D.Sc.,
L.D.S.

Physiotherapists:

Mr. N. PIERINI, M.D.P.A.
Mrs. M. ALBERT, Dip. Physio.,
M.A.P.A.
Mrs. A. LAWRY, Dip. Physio.,
M.A.P.A.
Mrs. A. K. AUCHETTL,
Dip. Physio., M.A.P.A.

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Speech Therapist:

Miss I. BORGHMANS, L.A.C.S.T.

Radiographer:

Mrs. B. GOY, M.I.R.

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MAINTENANCE

Chief Engineer:

E. A. HOWELL

**CATERING AND PERSONNEL
OFFICER**

F. T. DAVIES, A.C.I.A.

AGE STATISTICS

	MALES					FEMALES				
	69/70	70/71	71/72	72/73	73/74	69/70	70/71	71/72	72/73	73/74
100 & over ..	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	2	1	1
90 " " ..	14	11	7	10	11	53	57	63	72	57
80 " " ..	71	67	67	71	72	185	178	198	192	210
70 " " ..	108	108	113	108	99	132	135	117	127	121
60 " " ..	61	63	63	51	53	63	62	53	51	51
50 " " ..	22	20	18	22	22	23	24	24	21	24
40 " " ..	13	15	15	15	14	14	11	15	11	12
30 " " ..	1	—	—	—	—	4	3	3	4	2
20 " " ..	—	—	—	1	1	1	—	1	1	1
	<u>290</u>	<u>284</u>	<u>283</u>	<u>278</u>	<u>272</u>	<u>477</u>	<u>472</u>	<u>476</u>	<u>480</u>	<u>479</u>

ADMISSIONS

	MALE	FEMALE
Eldes ^t	93	96
Youngest	21	21

DEATHS:

	MALE	FEMALE
Eldes ^t	92	102
Youngest	48	52

**ADMISSIONS, DEATHS, DISCHARGES TO
AND FROM HOSPITAL AND HOLIDAYS**

1/7/73 to 30/6/74

ADMISSIONS:

New 408 Plus 129 Readmissions from Hospital
Plus 45 Readmissions from Holidays = 582

DISCHARGES:

Full 192 Plus 146 Discharges to Hospital
Plus 50 Discharges to Holidays = 388

DEATHS:

119 MALES — 82 FEMALES = 201

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Right: The President congratulates our Matron, Mrs. M. L. Campbell on receiving her Diploma in Nursing Administration.





These entrants in the Queen Carnival Section and their Committees raised in excess of \$44,000 for the recent Building Appeal which concluded in September, 1973.

Miss Pauline Godwin (Miss Rotoract Club).

Miss Jann Wallace (Miss Lea's Club).

Miss Cathy Toahey (Miss Mt. Egerton Young Farmers' Club).

Miss Sue Block (Miss Staff Social Club Q.E.G.C.).

Miss Reno Fiskin (Miss Sovereign Hill).

Miss Sharon Walker (Miss Ripon Shire).

Miss Josephine Brumby (Miss Railways).

Miss Christine Frawley (Miss Bridge Street Traders).

Miss Gayle Cochrane (Miss Australian Timken).

Miss Maree Wollis (Miss Wendouree Apex).

Miss Jane Ashby (Miss Commonwealth Bank).

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BOARD OF MANAGEMENT ATTENDANCE RECORD, 1973-1974

Number of Board Meetings — 11	
C. D. CHESTER	10
C. H. CLAMP	10
G. B. CUTTER	11
A. C. FRASER	10
W. H. HEINZ	11
P. S. HOBSON	9
J. LONSDALE	6
W. B. MESSER	11
Sir ARTHUR W. NICHOLSON	3
B. J. NOLAN	11
R. B. RONALDSON	9
J. J. SMAIL	8
JAS. A. THOMAS	8
GEO. TORNEY	11
J. L. TREVENEN	10

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT — STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30th JUNE, 1974.

1972/73	INCOME	1973/74	1972/73	EXPENDITURE	1973/74
\$507,482	Hospitals and Charities Fund	581,540	\$2,366,506	Salaries and Wages	\$2,982,692
55,807	Pharmaceutical Benefits	62,561	123,545	Administrative	108,051
427,031	Patient Fees	531,134	192,940	Dietary	245,853
1,082,175	Nursing Home and Other Benefits	1,414,446	12,319	Housekeeping	15,331
542,268	Pensions — Basic	627,875	15,487	Linen, Laundry and Sewing	12,396
138,334	Mental Patients Fees	177,276	53,195	Power, Lighting and Heating	60,258
18,880	Percy Baxter Homes Rents	22,570	27,603	Maintenance	29,888
19,118	Charitable Contributions	16,243	68,680	Medical and Surgical	75,553
457	Income from Investments	444			
13,307	Income from Sundry Sources	14,967			
			2,860,275		3,530,022
			10,180	Less Board and Lodgings	10,687
			2,850,095		3,519,335
2,804,859	TOTAL INCOME	3,449,056		OPERATING EXPENDITURE	3,519,335
45,400	DEFICIT	72,663		Regional Dental	\$39
				State Geriatric Conference	1,200
				Physiotherapy Bursary	1,145
			164	NON-OPERATING EXPENDITURE	2,384
			\$2,850,259		\$3,521,719
\$2,850,259		\$3,521,719			

MAINTENANCE FUND

\$57,497	Opening Debit Balance	\$102,965
45,400	Deficit for the year	72,663
1,197	Mental Patient Fees, 1971/72	—
104,094		175,628
1,129	Less Patient Fees, 1971/72	—
\$102,965	Closing Debit Balance	\$175,628

BALANCE SHEET

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30th JUNE, 1974.

1973	ASSETS	1974	1973	LIABILITIES	1974
	Maintenance Fund—			Maintenance Fund—	
	\$470 Cash in Hand	\$570		\$33,419 Bank Overdraft	\$51,342
	670 Cash at Bank — Trust			61,976 Creditors: Trade	52,493
	Clearing Account	770		— Creditors: Other	3,556
	54,200 Patient Account Debtors	75,325		70,272 Accrued Expenses	102,074
	193,339 Accrued Income	201,331		120 Deposit on Tenders	120
	2,108 Pre-Paid Expenses	316		670 Trust Clearing Account	770
	29,026 Stores	39,482		600 Provision for Uncollectable	
	800 Livestock	840		Fees	64
	5,292 Debtors	5,188		221,813 Provision for Long Service	
	102,965 Accumulated Deficits	175,628		Leave	289,031
\$388,870		\$499,450	388,870		\$499,450
	Endowment Fund—			Endowment Fund—	
	50 Cash at Bank	50		Balance	8,550
	8,500 Investments	8,500	8,550		
\$8,550		8,550		Specific Purposes Funds—	
	Specific Purposes Funds—			241,460 Patients' Trust	303,836
	95,782 Cash at Bank	147,480		13,658 Government Trust	14,331
	667,673 Investments	868,573		502,170 Building and Special Pur-	
	872 Kiosk: Debtors	881		poses	691,332
	3,620 Kiosk: Stores	3,858		5,909 Kiosk: Creditors	6,011
	88 Kiosk: Cash in Hand	92		4,838 Kiosk: Capital Fund	5,374
768,035		1,020,884	768,035		1,020,884
	Capital Fund—			Capital Fund—	
	120 Cash at Bank	7,247		Creditors	4,268
	3,222,246 Land and Buildings	3,266,517		3,941,344 Balance	4,006,315
	718,978 Plant, Machinery, Furniture		3,941,344		4,010,583
	and Equipment	736,819			
3,941,344		4,010,583			
\$5,106,799		\$5,539,467	\$5,106,799		\$5,539,467

AUDITORS' REPORT.

We report that we have examined the accounts of The Queen Elizabeth Geriatric Centre for the year ended 30th June, 1974.

In accordance with usual hospital accounting practice, provisions have not been made for depreciation of Buildings, Plant and Equipment, nor for holiday pay accrued at 30th June, 1974.

Subject to the foregoing, in our opinion the Balance Sheet and Statement of Income and Expenditure are properly drawn up so as to give a true and fair view of the state of the Institution's financial affairs at the 30th June, 1974, and of its services for the period ended on that date. The accounting and other records examined by us have been properly maintained.

G. A. GILLBERT, F.C.A. }
I. McIVOR, F.C.A. } Auditors.

Ladies' Auxiliary of the Queen Elizabeth Home

ANNUAL REPORT — 1973-1974

To our Members and Friends.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

I have the honour to present to you the 52nd Annual Report covering activities of the Auxiliary for the past twelve months.

MEMBERS

With Mrs. C. Lette as our President our year has been very happy and successful both socially and financially. Members have given many hours of their time in assisting with the many functions which have been held for the Auxiliary. It is pleasing to announce that we have added six new members this year.

We regret to record the passing of our valued member Mrs. M. Johannsen who was very devoted to the work of the Auxiliary.

The Board of Management honoured the Auxiliary by presenting Life Governorship Certificates to Mrs. L. Cousens, Mrs. J. Campbell and Mrs. R. Mellar. These ladies have for many years been very good workers for the Auxiliary and the Home.

Prior to our first meeting in 1974, a Chaplain of the Home, Pastor E. Doecke, conducted a service in the Chapel at the Home for the Auxiliary. Members were grateful to Pastor Doecke for his words of encouragement and blessing.

EFFORTS

The annual card party raised \$59.15, sale of vouchers from the Ballarat Light Opera Company \$6, coffee parties \$400.06, annual fete \$720.34, street stall \$88.55 and the musicale realised a total of \$137.05

The monthly card parties which are enjoyed by members and residents resulted in a total of \$179.32.

Miss Olive Conaughton has donated a total of \$219 through work from handicapped residents.

Again this year we have received an anonymous donation of \$20.

Donations to our Christmas Appeal this year totalled \$49.18. A special thank you is extended to Mrs. N. Pring, Mrs. Bartels and Mrs. D. Marks of the Auxiliary and Mr. R. Cutter for their generous gifts and untiring work in raising money for the Auxiliary.

To all these very kind people who have given so generously and assisted us we express our sincere gratitude and thank them most sincerely.

CHRISTMAS TREE

The annual Christmas Tree was held on Friday, 14th December.

This is always looked forward to by the residents, who through the wonderful staff, always look so lovely for this and every occasion.

Fathers Christmas were Messrs. Chester, Lonsdale, Nolan, Clomp and Trevenen who distributed their gifts and spoke to each resident. Members assisted the Fathers Christmas deliver their gifts. The President of the Board of Management, Mr. W. H. Heinz along with the Manager, Mr. F. G. Black, Matron Mrs. M. L. Campbell and the President of the Auxiliary Mrs. C. Lette toured all wards wishing each resident a Happy Christmas.

Members of the Ballarat Calisthenic Club, wearing lovely costumes, entertained in all wards with song and dance items. Mr. Berry Wilkins assisted by Mrs. A. Sargent presented a very enjoyable musical programme in Lederman Hall. Grateful thanks from members of the Auxiliary are extended to all those folk who make this evening so enjoyable. Special thanks to all the staff who so tenderly care for all those residents.

At the conclusion of the evening, the Board of Management expressed thanks to the Auxiliary and later entertained them at supper.

PICNIC

The Annual Picnic was held in the Wendouree Municipal Hall in March. Residents were transported from the Home by buses and were entertained by the Auxiliary to a lunch of turkey, ham salad, chips, fruit salad and ice-cream. Miss O. Conaughton presented piano entertainment during lunch and Mr. D. Broy assisted with vocal numbers.

After lunch the residents were taken on a scenic tour of Ballarat, Creswick and the White Swan reservoir area before returning to the Home.

Letters of appreciation have been received from residents following the picnic.

EASTER EGGS

Easter Eggs were given to all residents of the Home, Pleasant and Durham Hostels, Eyres House and "Brim Brim." Members visited each resident and extended to them Easter Greetings.

MOTHERS' DAY

Posies were made and presented to all ladies of the Home on Mothers' Day. Sincere thanks to Mrs. E. Najim and all who supplied flowers to enable us to make posies.

APPRECIATION

This is only a brief resume of our work during the year and in conclusion, my most grateful thanks are extended to our President, Mrs. C. Lette, Treasurer, Mrs. F. G. Black, and Assistant Secretary, Mrs. D. Marks.

To Mrs. W. Cassells and Mrs. C. Goodoll we say thank you for conducting monthly card parties. To Mrs. K. Carvosso and Mrs. F. Whitelow thanks are extended for buying materials for members to make garments and for your personal work to stock stalls, etc., and to every member I say thank you for your sincere help and personal friendship.

On your behalf I thank most sincerely, The Manager, Mr. F. G. Block and the Deputy Manager, Mr. A. D. McMillan for their help and guidance throughout the year and the Matron, Mrs. M. L. Campbell and all Nursing Staff who are always very co-operative in our efforts.

Special thanks to Mr. A. E. Richardson and his staff who do all our hard work, and the office staff for valuable assistance with typing duties. Special thanks are also extended to all our contributors and to the Ballarat Courier for their excellent publicity and co-operation.

(Mrs.) BERNEICE I. FERGUSON, Honorary Secretary.

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PRESIDENT'S ADDENDUM

It has been my privilege to have served as President of this the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Queen Elizabeth Home.

To our Members I convey sincere thanks for their sincerity and co-operation at all times.

To our Secretary, Mrs. E. Ferguson, Assistant Secretary, Mrs. D. Marks, Treasurer, Mrs. F. G. Black, I want to say special thanks for their help and guidance. Thanks also to Mrs. W. Cassells and Mrs. C. Goodoll for their assistance at card parties.

I will also take the opportunity to thank the President, Mr. W. H. Heinz and members of the Board of Management of the Queen Elizabeth Home and Mr. F. G. Block and members of the Queen Elizabeth Home Staff for their valuable assistance throughout my year of office.

Special thanks is conveyed also to Mrs. N. Pring for her valuable fund raising efforts for our auxiliary.

Finally, I will take the opportunity to congratulate Mrs. K. Miller accepting the position of President of the Auxiliary for the coming term and wish her a happy and successful year.

(Mrs.) ELVA LETTE, President.

Top right: Members of the Executive of the Ladies' Auxiliary present the President with two talking book machines for use by blind residents of the Centre.

Right: A resident of the Hostel area Mrs. M. Fockender hands a cheque for \$4,328 to the Appeal Chairman, Mr. W. B. Messer which was raised by residents of the Hostels and Percy Boxter Homes.



LADIES' AUXILIARY OF THE QUEEN ELIZABETH HOME

FINANCIAL STATEMENT — YEAR ENDING 31st MAY, 1974.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
Balance Brought Forward, 1/6/73	\$432.04	Advertising	\$27.40
Bank Interest, 1/6/73	28.17	Stationery	18.68
Subscriptions	24.00	Other	24.00
Functions—		Functions—	
Annual Card Party	59.15	Annual Card Party	3.94
Monthly Card Parties	179.32	Monthly Card Parties	48.82
Coffee Parties	400.06	Coffee Parties	4.80
Fete	720.34	Fete	47.79
Musicales	137.05	Musicales	13.27
Street Stall	88.55		
	1,584.47	Sewing Circle	61.06
Donations—		Gifts and Flowers	9.45
Mrs. Lederman	10.00	Picnic	203.73
St. John's Lodge	8.00	Easter Eggs	132.21
Anonymous	25.00	N.C.W. Subscription	2.00
G. J. Coles Ltd.	26.00	Christmas Party	716.78
Ballarat Light Opera Co.	6.00	Q.E.H. Appeal	100.00
Newlyn C.W.A.	5.00	Talking Books	265.16
Ascot Carry-On Club	5.00	Washers	32.00
Mrs. Fackender	10.00	Transferred to Term Deposit — 7½%	500.00
Members and Patients	15.00	Balance Carried Forward	311.43
	110.00		
Meetings—			
Afternoon Teas	11.65		
Special Efforts	24.80		
	36.45		
Scale of Work—			
Patients per Miss Connaughton	219.00		
Members	21.85		
	240.85		
Christmas Party Donations	49.18		
Easter Eggs	17.36		
	\$2,522.52		\$2,522.52

INVESTMENTS

Term Deposit at 7½% Due 24/5/1976 \$500

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

In my opinion, the Receipts and Expenditure Account for the year ended 31st May, 1974 of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Queen Elizabeth Home has been properly drawn up to give a true and fair view of the Auxiliary's affairs at 31st May, 1974 and of the results of its activities for the year ended on that date.

Records examined by me have been properly maintained.

P. R. WHITLA, A.A.S.A.

(Mrs.) J. M. BLACK, Hon. Treasurer.

3rd June, 1974

THE QUEEN ELIZABETH GERIATRIC CENTRE
NURSE AIDE TRAINING SCHOOL
GRADUATION 1973

Principal: Mrs. M. L. CAMPBELL, S.R.N., Dip. N.A.

Nurse Educators: Mrs. P. KILGOUR, S.R.N.; Miss M. T. LONERGAN, S.R.N.; Mr. A. GRIME, S.R.N.

SHIRLEY J. AGGETT
 Mrs. ROSINE P. BLOCK
 SUSANNE P. BLOCK
 NANCY E. BEACHAM
 SUSAN J. BRADFORD
 JOY A. BAKER
 BEVERLEY D. CASSELLS
 YVONNE R. CARMAN
 MAREE T. COLLINS
 Mrs. MYRTLE R. COX

MARGARET A. CLAYTON
 Mrs. BEVERLEY D. COCHRANE
 JOHN D. CLEARY
 ROSALEE G. DAVEY
 JENNIFER J. DICKER
 KERRY N. DOWNES
 Mrs. JENNY DRAKE
 Mrs. CHRISTINE M. DOYLE
 Mrs. MERLE I. EDWARDS
 RONALD P. ELLIOT

Mrs. ELVA M. FISHER
 JANICE L. FLOWERS
 JULIE A. FLYNN
 LAILA E. GHELLER
 MARGARET A. GILLON
 HELEN A. JOHNSTON
 Mrs. EILEEN E. KRIZ
 HELEN L. KNIGHT
 RHONDA J. KEITH
 NORMAN A. LEWIS
 JILLIAN A. McCORMACK
 Mrs. JACQUELINE MacKENZIE
 Mrs. ELIZABETH A. MACKINTOSH
 MARIE T. McATEER
 DIANNE M. McCARTIN
 Mrs. JOAN W. McMASTER
 JULIE A. McKINNON
 LORRAINE R. MILLER
 Mrs. LYNETTE J. METZ
 Mrs. AUDREY NAUS
 SUSAN J. PHILP
 DIANNE Y. POWELL

Mrs. LOIS M. FRODGER
 Mrs. MARY K. PETCH
 KATHLEEN PEUKER
 Mrs. MAXINE M. PROBERT
 Mrs. GEMMA J. ROSE
 ROBYN L. RUMLER
 RONALD J. RANDALL
 NOELLA J. REDMAN
 BRUNA RUSJAN
 DENISE M. STARES
 RCSEMARY A. TURNER
 Mrs. JOHANNA M.
 VAN OOSTVEEN
 Mrs. DAWN B. VIZARD
 KERRY I. WALKER
 YOKA WOLTHUIZEN
 LYNETTE M. WALTON
 Mrs. MIRIAM J. WARD
 Mrs. STELLA R. WILLIAMS
 LOIS A. WINES
 Mrs. MARLENE YOONG



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THE IVY MAY DICKER AWARD
 WINNER, 1973 . . . Mrs. M. R. COX

School No. 74 — The 74th Intake of Students at the
 Nursing Aide Training School.



Our Centenarian — Mrs. Edith M. Rees celebrated her 100th birthday anniversary on the 9th June, 1974.



The President supervises the throwing of the first kitty by Mrs. Block on the occasion of the opening of the Bowling season.

BEQUESTS AND DONATIONS FROM ESTATES

ALLEN, N. J. B., Estate per Morrow & Morrow	Distribution	\$1,035.16
ANSTIS, M. A., Estate per Evans & Metcalfe	Share in Distribution	726.07
BASAN, E. T. A., Charitable Trust per Gair & Brahe	Allocation	100.00
BATTERS, Werge, Perpetual Charitable Fund per The Union Fidelity Trustee Co. Ltd.	Donation	400.00
BAXTER, Percy, Charitable Trust per The Perpetual Executors & Trustees Association of Aust. Ltd.	Donation	300.00
BELL, Charitable Fund per Aiken, Walker & Strochan	Donation	1,200.00
BENNETT, Elizabeth Isobel, Estate per Notional Trustees	Income from Forest Royalties	296.00
BRETT, R. C., Estate per Whyte, Juste & Moore	Income from Estate	102.36
BUCHANAN, Herbert, Estate per The Public Trustees	Share of Estate	25,718.00
BUCKLAND, William, Foundation	Allocation from Income	10,400.00
COLLIE, Barbara, Estate per The Trustees Executors & Agency Co. Ltd.	Distribution	6,361.48
COLLIE, Catherine, Estate per The Trustees Executors & Agency Co. Ltd.	Distribution	4,310.76
COLLIER, Charitable Fund	Donation	1,500.00
COYTE, M. E., Estate per Heinz & Gardan	Distribution	2,269.31
CUMMINS, A., Estate per Relatives	Donation	100.00
DALITZ, Albert, Estate per Cuthberts	Whole of Estate	1,279.99
DRISCOLL, E. R., Estate per The Union Fidelity Trustees Co. Ltd.	Share of Distribution	88.00
FELTON, Alfred, Estate per The Trustees Executors & Agency Co. Ltd.	Share in Estate	5,014.12
GRAHAM, Grace C., Estate per Pearce & Webster	Donation from Charitable Trust	300.00
GRAYLING, Jane, Estate per The Trustees Executors & Agency Co. Ltd.	Donation from Charitable Trust	20.57
HAMILTON, Helen, per The Trustees Executors and Agency Co. Ltd.	Legacy	500.00
HOLDERHEAD, Robert W., Estate per Relatives	Donation	225.99
HOLGATE, Elsie, Estate per Nevett, Glenn & Coutts	Legacy	50.00
MITTEN, Florence, Estate per The Union Fidelity Trustees Co. Ltd.	Legacy	200.00
McINTOSH, E., Estate per Cuthberts	Share in Income	6.00
McNEIL, Elizabeth W., Estate per The Union Fidelity Trustees Co. Ltd.	Share of Estate	626.47
NEWTON, Stuart, Estate per Relatives	Donation	73.58
ORBELL, Mrs. E. P., Estate per The Trustees Executors & Agency Co. Ltd.	Share in Estate	1,475.00
STUBBLEY, J. W., Estate per Cuthberts	Legacy	100.00
THOMAS, W. C. F., Trust per The Trustees Executors & Agency Co. Ltd.	Donation	300.00
TRUSWELL, P., Estate per Relatives	Donation	70.09
WHITAKER, E., Estate per Relatives	Donation	51.29
WHITE, Joe, Bequest	Allocation	3,000.00
WILKINSON, M. I., Estate per The Perpetual Executors & Trustees Association of Australia Ltd.	Income from Estate	610.47
WILLIAMS, T. & F., Charitable Trust per The Trustees Executors & Agency Co. Ltd.	Donation	550.00
WILSON, J. W., Estate per The Union Fidelity Trustee Co. Ltd.	Income from Estate	592.10
WILSON, L. J., Estate per The Union Fidelity Trustee Co. Ltd.	Share in Estate	7,675.21

CONTRIBUTORS

Adair, Mrs. E., \$10; Adams, Estate of late Geo., \$200; Alexander, Dr. D. A., \$10; Aronson, D. & A., \$10; Ashley, Miss A., \$4; Australian Natives' Association, \$2; Australian Timken Pty. Ltd., \$200.

Baker, Miss E. A., \$3; Ball, F. L., \$20; Ballarat Brewing Co. Pty. Ltd., \$20; Ballarat Broadcasters (3BA) Pty. Ltd., \$50; Ballarat Combined Youth Groups, \$200; Ballarat Courier Pty. Ltd., \$4.20; Ballarat East High School Social Service League, \$10; Ballarat High School Social Services League, \$30; Ballarat East Bowling Club, \$50; Ballarat Light Opera Co., \$150; Ballarat Modern Dairy Pty. Ltd., \$25; Ballarat Multiple Sclerosis Association, \$100; Ballarat Physiotherapy Group, \$10; Ballarat Typing & Duplicating Service, \$2; Barnes, F. W. & Sons, \$40; Barr, Mrs. L. L., \$2; Barrell, K. F., \$2.10; Bartroo, Edgar Pty. Ltd., \$4; Bastin, Mrs. N. E., \$20; Bates, Mrs. A. P., \$5; Baxter & Stubbs, \$3; Bendigo Quick Frozen Foods Pty. Ltd., \$5; Berry, Anderson & Co. Pty. Ltd., \$2.10; Besemer, J. C. & Co., \$10; Bird, Mrs. G., \$2; Black, E., \$20; Blair, Mrs. M. E., \$10; Boodle, L. H. & Sons, \$30; Boersma, M., \$10; Borlace, Miss H. D., \$5; Bourne, Miss S., \$5; Brett, Mrs. A. J., \$50; Briody, Mr. & Mrs. J. V., \$5; Brooks, G., \$2; Brown's Confectionery Pty. Ltd., \$6; Bubb, J. J., \$10; Bulley, F. & Co., \$20; Bullock, Mrs. H., \$12; Burke, A. D., \$5; Bush, Miss L., \$10; Butler, L., \$3; Byrne, Jones & Terney, \$10.

Ca'nduff, Mrs. W., \$4; Cameron, J. B. & Co. Social Club, \$10; Cameron, J. B. & Co. Pty. Ltd., \$10; Captain Distributing Co. Pty. Ltd., \$5; Cansley, M. J. M., \$10; Causon, Mrs. M., \$4; Charlemant Pastoral Co., \$10; Charles, Mrs. M. G. & Smyth, W. F., \$100; Christensen, W., \$2; City Fire Brigade Ladies' Social Club, \$2; Anonvms, \$10; Coburn, Mrs. E., \$2; Coles Stores, \$21.66; Collins, E. Motors Pty. Ltd., \$2; Collins, Mrs. L., \$50; Conoak Produce Co., \$5; Cann, Mrs. L. M., \$2; Cooke, J. N. Faley & Co., \$5; Cornish, F. C., \$75; Cox,

W. F., \$5; Coxall, L. E. Motors, \$10; Cripps & Deveson, \$5; Crocker, George Pty. Ltd., \$10; Crouch, E. K., \$5; Crouch, F. & Son, \$20; Crouch, N. A., \$5; Cumming, Mrs. S. L., \$4; Curetan, Mrs. J. F., \$20; Curwen-Walker, J., \$5; Cutter, G. B., \$10; Cutter, G. B. & Gardiner, D. H., \$10.

Darling, Smith Pty. Ltd., \$4.20; DAVIS, H. A. Motors Service Pty. Ltd., \$2.50; Dawson, Mr. & Mrs. E. E., \$3; De Little, Mrs. M., \$10; Disney, Dr. D. Larsen, \$10; Doonan, Mrs. D., \$2; Dridan, R. F., \$2; Driscoll-McIvor & Co., \$5; Drury, Mr. & Mrs. H. D., \$10; Dugdale, R. H. & E. J., \$10; Duncan, J. A., \$10; Durant, Mrs. L., \$14; Dyer, R. G., \$10.

Edwards, C. D. & H. G. & Son, \$4; Edmonds, Mrs. E. C., \$30; Ennis, W. H. C., \$5; Erwin, G. D., M.H.R., \$3; Evans, H. & Sons Pty. Ltd., \$25; Evans & Metcalfe, \$5; Ewins, J. & Sons Pty. Ltd., \$2; Eyres Bras., \$10.

Fagg, I. G., \$2; Fagg, Mrs. F. M., \$10; Farmer, George Pty. Ltd., \$10; Findlay, J. R., \$10; Firms, Mrs. W. L., \$2; Fisher, G., \$10; Fletcher Jones & Staff Pty. Ltd., \$100; Fletcher Jones & Staff Pty. Ltd. (Staff of), \$30; Fletcher, Mrs. M., \$50; Fletcher, R. & Sons, \$2.50; Ford, Mrs. A. C., \$10; Foreman, Miss B. A., \$2; Foulkes, W. C. C., \$15; Faxhow Social Club, \$5; Frank, Miss J., \$2; Fraser, P., \$10; Fraser, R. G., \$5; Frencham, N., \$25; Fuller, M. R., \$2.

Gabel, Mr. & Mrs. J., \$30; Gay, G. & Co., \$5; Geary, Mrs. H. K., \$10; Geelong & District Community Chest, \$200; General Stationers Pty. Ltd., \$5; George, Miss K., \$4; Giddy, Dr. S. D., \$3; Gillbert, G. A., \$8.40; Glenspean Partners, \$100; Galler, J. J. & Co. Pty. Ltd., \$33; Gordan, Mr. & Mrs. G. C., \$104; Gospel Hall Assembly, \$30; Gough, Dr. R. J., \$5; Goujon, H. J., \$25; Greig, Mrs. J. F., \$20; Gribble, Mrs. I., \$2; Griffiths, Dr. John G., \$20; Griffiths, Mr. & Mrs. M. C., \$10; Griffiths, Dr. W. R., \$20; Grubb, W. J., \$56; Guiliano, W., \$2; Guthrie, T., \$5.

Ham, Mr. & Mrs. W. S., \$5; Hamilton, Miss Helen L., \$250; Hanrahan, J. F., \$5; Harman Bras. Pty. Ltd., \$100; Harris, J. A. Furniture, \$5; Harrison, G. S., \$3; Hart, R. H., \$10; Hartwick, Mr. & Mrs. H., \$60; Hawkins, Dr. J. R., \$10; Hayward, Mrs. W., \$5; Heinz Bros. Pty. Ltd., \$10; Heinz, Mrs. M. E., \$10; Heinz & Gardan, \$10; Henderson, G. H., \$5; Herald & Weekly Times Ltd., \$25; Herman, F. G., \$10; Hill, Miss D. A., \$20; Hobill, T. J. & D. J., \$5; Hobson, S. E. & Sons Pty. Ltd., \$10; Hocking, F. J., \$10; Hallway, John & Sons, \$2.50; Halmes, Mrs. C. A., \$2; Hornsbuckle, R. A., \$3; Haskin, J. A. & Son, \$15; Howes, L., \$54; Howley, Mrs. A. E., \$10; Hub Furniture Centre, \$20; Hutchinson, A. W., \$2.

John, M. B., \$10; Johnson & Johnson Pty. Ltd., \$10; Jones, C. V., \$12; Jones, C. W., \$10; Jordan, W., \$10; Jullyan, Mrs. L. & Family, \$5.

Kewley, Mrs. H. E., \$91; King, Alex. & Sons Pty. Ltd., \$10; King's Marine Stores, \$2.10; Kirk, G. & A. P., \$2; Kirsch, Mrs. E. C., \$5.

Lambett, Mr. & Mrs. F. V., \$5; Lancaster, Mrs. C., \$20; Lancaster, J. W., \$20; Lancey, A. J., \$2.50; Lotvian Club "Venta," \$2; Laycock, Mrs. M. M., \$10; Leeman, J. S., \$5; Leggo, Mrs., \$5; Leishman, Mrs. I. A., \$6; Le Maitre, Mr. L., \$10; Lewis, Mr. & Mrs. H., \$5; Lewis, John Retravision, \$5; Lloyd, C. P., \$50; Lonsdale, J., \$10; Luke, J. C., \$2.

Mackoy, Keith, \$10; Macklin, R., \$6; Macqueen, Miss F. T., \$2; Malcolm, Jas. & Co. Pty. Ltd., \$10; Manifold, Sir Chester, \$10; May, Mrs. A. A., \$10; Menhennett, G. W., \$10; Messer, W., \$10; Milk Processors Pty. Ltd., \$20; Miller, P. J. R. & W. H., \$10; Mitchell, Mrs. F., \$40; Mitchell, J. H., \$15; Morris, E. I., \$5; Morris, H. A., \$25; Morshead, W. R., \$10; Muntz, Mrs. E. M., \$10; Muntz, E. W., \$20.

McBain, Mrs. M., \$10; McCarthy, H., \$5; McCartney, Mrs. M. A., \$5; McCay, Miss B., \$6; McCrow, A. J., \$10; McDonald, Mrs. W. H., \$4; McGannon, Miss O., \$2; McGeary, N. J., \$10; McKay-Macleod Pty. Ltd., \$40; McLaren, Mrs. G. T., \$20; McLeod, W. A., \$5; McMillan, A. D., \$5.

Nash, Mrs. G. N., \$50; Nicholson, Sir Arthur, \$10; Nightingale Chemicals Pty. Ltd., \$100; Nalon, B. J., \$5.

O'Beirne, F. J., \$2; Olympic Tyre & Rubber Co. Pty. Ltd., \$4; Oxbrow & Co., \$10.

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