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DEVON COTTAGE HOSPITAL:

REPORT FOR 1893.

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Presented to both Houses of Parliament by His Excellency's Command.



REPORT OF THE DEVON COTTAGE HOSPITAL, 1893.  
(Incorporated under "The Charitable Institutions Act.")

I HAVE the honour to report as follows :—

During this, the fifth year of the Hospital's working, its efficiency has been fully maintained, while, in spite of the heavy depression, public support has been steadily continued, and the existence of the Hospital has been felt throughout the country to be of especial value.

Sixty-five cases have been treated, of which fifty-two were cured, ten relieved, and three died. The skill and attention of the medical officer, Dr. J. W. Payne, have been highly appreciated, and the working of the entire staff has been loyal and efficient.

Permanent improvements have been largely carried out.

CLAUDE W. ROBERTS, B.A.,  
Chairman of Governors, Hon. Manager.

Woodrising, Spreyton, 1st February, 1894.

GENERAL ACCOUNT from 1st January, 1893, to 1st January, 1894.

RECEIPTS.			PAYMENTS.		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
Balance, 1st January, 1893 .....	534	6 5	Medicines, appliances, medical comforts .....	84	13 5
Voluntary contributions .....	193	15 1	Freight .....	0	6 3
Government subsidy .....	193	14 1	Cheque-book .....	0	5 0
Patients' payments .....	58	15 9	Fire insurance .....	3	0 0
Repayment on Potatoes .....	1	3 0	Printing, advertising, books, stationery .....	8	18 0
Bank Interest .....	6	0 0	Butcher .....	17	16 0
Government payment for patients .....	11	18 0	Firewood .....	15	12 6
	999	12 4	Postage stamps, Hon. Manager and Secretary .....	1	1 0
			Milk, butter, eggs, vegetables, &c. ....	27	11 2
			Salaries and wages .....	150	14 0
			Additional medical attendance, operations .....	5	5 0
			Buildings and grounds .....	52	17 8
			Bread, oatmeal, grocery, lighting .....	30	19 3
			Rent of telephone .....	4	10 0
			To Repair and Maintenance Fund .....	106	3 0
			Water-rate .....	1	17 6
			Attorney-General, fee, amendment of Rules .....	1	3 6
			Ton of potatoes .....	2	6 0
			Furnishing and drapery .....	13	11 6
Payments as per contra .....	528	10 9			
Balance, 1st January, 1894 ...	£471	1 7	TOTAL ..	£528	10 9

REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE FUND.

LIABILITIES.			ASSETS.		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
As by last Report .....	504	5 9	By fixed deposits.....	637	0 0
To letting of grass .....	1	18 0	Cash in hand.....	0	0 3
Bank interest.....	24	13 6			
Grant from General Fund.....	106	3 0			
TOTAL .....	£637	0 3		£637	0 3

CLAUDE W. ROBERTS, B.A., Hon. Treasurer.

I have examined the books and verified the several entries and vouchers, and beg to report that in my opinion the foregoing is a full and fair Balance Sheet of the Devon Cottage Hospital's affairs as shown by the books.

G. DYSON-HOLLAND, Auditor.

Latrobe, 15. 2. 94.