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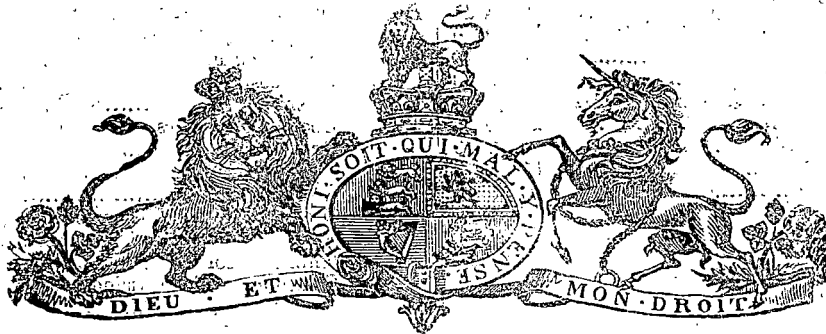
TASMANIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

BOYS' HOME:

REPORT FOR 1882.

Laid upon the Table by Mr. Moore, and ordered by the Council to be printed,
July 24, 1883.



REPORT of the Boys' HOME INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL, 1882-3.

The year ended on the 31st March last was the fourteenth since the Boys' Home was established.

During that year eight boys were admitted, seven were apprenticed out, one was returned to his relations, and 25 remained in the Institution on the 31st March, 1883, the number remaining on the same date in the previous year being 24. The average number during the whole year was 25.

The balance brought from the preceding year was £107 14s. 11d. The amount derived from private subscriptions was £109; from Government, £329 0s. 10d.; and from other sources, £77 19s. 8d.; making a total of £623 15s. 5d.: of this amount the expenditure absorbed £564 3s. 3d., leaving a balance of £59 12s. 2d. carried forward to the current year.

In accordance with the Trust Deed, the sum of £50 was paid to the Endowment Fund, which now amounts to £708 8s. 11d.) for the year 1881-2, leaving a like sum still due for the succeeding year.

Mr. Tarleton, in consequence of ill-health, resigned his position as one of the Governors.

Mr. Mitchell took advantage of a visit to Sydney to inspect the Randwick Asylum, and was supplied with a copy of its rules and other papers, which he kindly placed at the disposal of the Governors of the Home. Some of these rules have been adopted.

Since the opening of the Institution 129 boys have been received, and 80 apprenticed; the great majority of whom have done well, and many of their employers have spoken in the highest terms of them.

The boys continued to enjoy, as usual, an almost entire immunity from sickness.

These results will, it is believed, justify the Managers of the Home in appealing to the liberality of the public to continue the work of rescuing such boys from a life of idleness and neglect, and bringing them up to be useful members of society.

JOHN MACFARLANE.
E. C. NOWELL.

STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE for the Year ending 31st March, 1883.

| 1882. | <i>Dr.</i> | £ s. d. | | <i>Cr.</i> | £ s. d. |
|--|------------|------------------|---------------------------------------|------------|------------------|
| To Balance from last year | | 107 14 11 | By paid Salaries and Wages | | 202 10 2 |
| Amount of Subscriptions | | 109 0 0 | Meat | | 66 16 5 |
| Government Allowance | | 329 0 10 | Bread and Flour | | 52 2 2 |
| Interest on Debentures | | 31 0 0 | Potatoes, Hay, Bran, &c. | | 27 10 7 |
| Rent of Cottage, Three Quarters, less 11s. | | | Clothing | | 35 15 2 |
| Taxes | | 21 19 0 | Boots and Repairs | | 17 1 6 |
| Sale of Cow | | 8 0 0 | Groceries | | 39 10 4 |
| Sales of Fruit | | 14 4 6 | Coal and Fuel | | 17 2 0 |
| Sales of Butter | | 2 16 2 | Ironmongery | | 2 14 9 |
| | | | Grazing Cow, and Manure..... | | 5 9 0 |
| | | | Repairs to Premises..... | | 7 1 6 |
| | | | Kitchener for Cottage..... | | 4 0 0 |
| | | | Printing and Advertising | | 4 4 6 |
| | | | Soap | | 4 10 0 |
| | | | Solicitor's Costs | | 2 19 10 |
| | | | Secretary | | 8 15 0 |
| | | | Fire Insurance Premium | | 4 0 6 |
| | | | Cost of two Pigs | | 1 5 0 |
| | | | Trustees Endowment Fund (1880-1) | | 50 0 0 |
| | | | Sundries, Petty Cash, per Superin- | | |
| | | | tendent | | 10 14 10 |
| | | | By Balance Cash in hand and bank..... | | 59 12 2 |
| | | <u>£623 15 5</u> | | | <u>£623 15 5</u> |
| 1883. | | | | | |
| March 31.—To Balance..... | | £59 12 2 | | | |

E. & O. E.

JOHN MACFARLANE, *Hon. Treasurer.*

Hobart, 31st March, 1883.

Audited and found correct,
H. L. GARRETT.