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MOUNT BISCHOFF PROVIDENT HOSPITAL ;

REPORT FOR 1890.

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



TENTH Annual Report of the Mount Bischoff Provident Hospital, for the Year ended 31st December, 1890.

THE Committee of the above Institution have much pleasure in submitting the Tenth Annual Report and Financial Statement.

Buildings and Improvements.—The buildings are in a thorough state of repair. The whole have been repainted; central verandah extended; Venetian blinds fitted to all windows. A morgue has been erected apart from the Hospital; drainage has been particularly attended to; several minor improvements have also been effected.

Medical.—During the year the Medical Officer, Dr. R. A. Brewis, has treated 304 cases as outside patients, and 9 cases as in-door patients. No deaths during the period.

Financial.—The year has closed with a credit balance of £378 9s. 2d., against £206 19s. 5d. of last year.

Subscriptions.—The subscriptions for the year amount to £288 19s. 10d., against £215 8s. 8d. of previous year.

Donations.—The following donations, for which the Committee are much indebted, have been received, viz.:—Mr. S. Williams, 4s.; Hon. P. O. Fysh, Chief Secretary, £1 1s.; C. J. M'Kenzie, M.H.A., £1 1s.; Hon. J. W. Agnew, M.E.C., £2 2s.; J. G. Parker, Esq., £5 5s.; Hon. W. Hart, M.L.C., £3 3s.; Hon. W. Moore, President L.C., £2 2s.; Dr. R. A. Brewis, £1 1s. The usual amount of substantial sympathy evinced by the Manager of the Mount Bischoff Company, H. W. F. Kayser, Esq., is seen by the large sum of £43 10s. collected from visitors to the mine, and handed over to the funds of the Institution, for which the Committee tender their sincere thanks.

Committee.—No change has taken place, the Members working harmoniously together for the welfare of the Institution.

Meetings.—The number of meetings held during the year have been 12 ordinary and 4 special, total 16, attended as follows:—Mr. A. A. Littler, President, 16; Mr. George Dakin, Treasurer, 16; Mr. James Quinton, 15; Mr. C. Sheedy, 14; Mr. R. W. Clark, 15; Mr. T. Root, 12; Mr. D. Jones, 8; Mr. A. W. Johnston, 6; Mr. George Schell, 12; Mr. R. Tisdale, 2.

The retiring elective Members are Mr. D. Jones, Mr. C. Sheedy, and Mr. A. W. Johnston, who are eligible for re-election.

The retiring nominee Members are Messrs. George Dakin, George Schell, and Thornton Root, also eligible for re-nomination.

The Committee beg to record their thanks to the Auditors, Messrs. T. D. Patterson and H. G. C. Fookes, for their services.

We have the honor to be,
Your obedient Servants,

A. A. LITTLER, *President.*

JAMES SCOUGALL, *Secretary.*
