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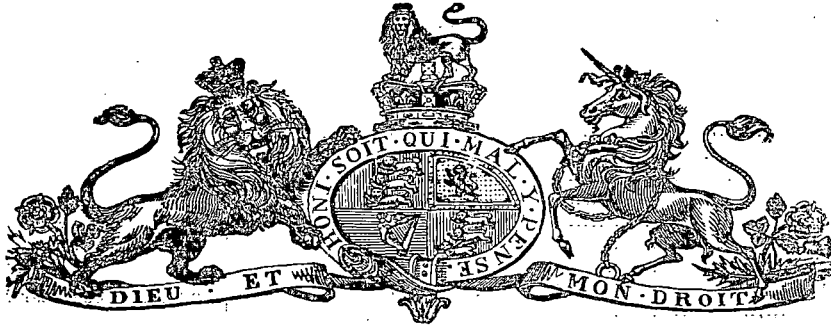
1888.

PARLIAMENT OF TASMANIA.

CAMPBELL TOWN HOSPITAL:

REPORT FOR 1887.

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



REPORT of the CAMPBELL TOWN HOSPITAL, 1887.

THE Trustees have the honor to report as follows:—

1. The funds of the Hospital are at present sufficient to meet the expenditure, with a small balance in hand; but they regret to state that a considerable diminution has gradually taken place in the subscriptions and amounts collected on Hospital Sundays, and unless a greater spirit of liberality is shown in the future they will be unable to obtain the grant in aid, without which the Hospital must cease to exist. The Trustees most earnestly call the attention of the public to this vitally important matter.

2. The Trustees regret to say that they have not yet obtained from the Government the title deeds for either the present hospital, or for the land adjoining the Post Office, for which the sum of £200 was paid over 12 months ago.

3. The late Master (Mr. Raiker) having died in August last, the Trustees, after careful consideration, deemed it advisable to dispense with that office, and also with the permanent attendant, and in lieu thereof extra nurses have been engaged when required, a woman at 1s. per diem to scrub, and a man to cut fuel by contract. This arrangement will effect a considerable saving.

4. The thanks of the subscribers are due to the various ministers of religion, whose visits to the patients have been frequent.

5. Dr. Naylor having resigned, Dr. Lethbridge has been appointed in his place. He visits the Hospital at stated hours with great regularity.

6. The Matron (Mrs. Collins) gives satisfaction, and although extra work devolves upon her by the abolition of the Master, she performs her work diligently and cheerfully. The Trustees recommend that the gratuity of £10 formerly granted the Master be given to her.

T. H. POWER, *Managing Trustee.*

FREDK. HART, }
J. A. ALLISON, } *Trustees.*

TABULAR STATEMENT of the Cases treated in the Campbell Town Hospital, from 1st January to 31st December, 1887.

Diseases.	Cases treated in Hospital.	Deaths in Hospital.	Remarks.
Stomach and Bowels	4	1	Two Patients remained in Hospital on 31st December 1887.
Lungs	8	1	
Liver	2	1	
Eyes	1		
Skin Diseases	—		
Brain and Nervous System.....	—		
Abscesses and Ulcers	2		
Rheumatic Affections	3		
Wounds and Injuries	5		
Dropsies	—		
Heart Disease	1	1	
Fevers.....	2		
Venereal Affections	3		
Other Diseases	4		
TOTAL	35	4	

R. E. LETHBRIDGE, M.B., Medical Officer.

BALANCE-SHEET FROM 1st JANUARY, 1887, TO 1st JANUARY, 1888.

Dr.	THE TREASURER in account with the Campbell Town Hospital.	Cr.	
1887.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
To Cash in hand	14 16 0	By Salaries and Pay	185 15 9
„ Bank of Australasia	96 1 8	Provisions	39 3 2
Subscriptions	67 12 4	Fuel	27 6 0
Tickets	5 0 0	Stores	96 0 7
Grant in Aid.....	200 0 0	Medical Comforts	35 1 6
Paid by Government for Patients.....	77 15 0	Repairs.....	3 0 0
Paying Patients	36 11 6	Petty Cash	15 10 6
Interest	35 0 0	Extra Nurses	8 11 6
		Printing	7 2 6
		Insurance	3 10 9
		Plans for New Hospital	15 12 6
		Interest.....	5 9 4
		Cash in Hand	12 16 8
		„ Bank of Australasia	77 15 9
	<u>£532 16 6</u>		<u>£532 16 6</u>

CR. BANK DEPOSITS.

Legacy late T. D. Robertson..... £250
Deposit on account Building Fund 500

Audited and found correct. £750
21st January, 1888. JOHN TAYLOR.

T. H. POWER, Hon. Treasurer.