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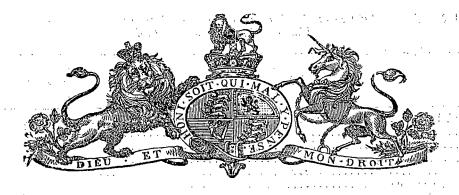
TASMANIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

CAMPBELL TOWN HOSPITAL.

REPORT FOR 1868-69.

Laid upon the Table by Mr. Wilson, and ordered by the Council to be printed, August 24, 1869.



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REPORT of the Trustees of the CAMPBELL TOWN HOSPITAL for the Year 1869.

THE Trustees, in submitting their Annual Report, have much pleasure in stating that the Hospital still maintains its usefulness. There have been treated during the year 55 patients, several being serious cases requiring prompt and skilful treatment: the number of deaths have been 4.

The Portrait of the late W. R. Allison, first promoter of the Institution, mentioned in the last Report as being in preparation, has been received and placed in the Hospital.

The household furniture to the amount of £200 has been insured, and also the buildings. The expenditure for the last year has (owing to a reduction in the price of goods combined with rigid economy) been reduced about £50.

The Medical Officer, Dr. Valentine, has been, as hitherto, assiduous in his care of and attention to the Patients; and the Clergy of the District are constant in their visits, and take the deepest interest in the Patients. The duties of the Master and Matron have been performed in a very satisfactory manner.

In accordance with a resolution passed at the last Annual Meeting, Mr. Hogg was appointed Collector; but although in many cases subscriptious have been most liberal, the whole amount is only just sufficient to entitle the Institution to the grant-in-aid. The Trustees are compelled to appeal to the public for extra assistance, the Hospital being so much out of repair as to require immediate attention.

The roof is in such a state that water comes through the ceilings of the boards; and for want of spouting the walls are damp and giving way. It is very necessary that this should be rectified at once, not only for the benefit of the Patients, but also for the preservation of the building.

The Turkish Baths are believed to be very beneficial to the Patients and community; nevertheless the Trustees have to announce they still do not pay expenses.

In consequence of the inconvenience of furnishing accounts required by the Government, the Trustees wish that in future the Financial Year may terminate on the 31st December, and Annual Meeting be held in January.

ARTHUR ALLISON, JAMES GIBSON, T. H. POWER,

Trustees.

TABULAR STATEMENT of the Cases treated in the Campbell Town Hospital, for Twelve Months ending 30th June, 1869.

DISEASES.	Cases treated.	Deaths.
Stomach and Bowels. Lungs Liver Eyes Skin Diseases Brain and Nervous System Abscesses and Ulcers Rheumatic Affections Wounds and Injuries Dropsies Heart Diseases Fevers Venereal Affections Other Diseases	1 1 2 1 4 6 12 12 1 1	1 :i :: :: :: ::
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WILLIAM VALENTINE, Surgeon in Charge.

ANNUAL BALANCE SHEET FROM JULY 30, 1868, TO JULY 1, 1869.

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o Balance in Commercial Bank, July 1,	-			i	By Expenditure for the year as per ac-			
1868	91	1	7	1	counts audited to the 30th June,			
Ditto in Treasurer's hand		12			1869 :			
	144	8	6	ŀ	Quarter ending September 30, 1868	129		0
Donation from late H. Grey, Esq	20	0	0		Quarter ending December 31, 1868	108		
Ditto from Campbell Town Dra-				ı	Quarter ending March 31, 1869		2	
matic Club		,0		1	Quarter ending June 30, 1869		19	_
Tickets	Ţ	0	0	1	Postages as per Pass Book		3	
From baths	29	. 1	6	i	Present Balance in Commercial Bank	103		
Aid from Government to 31st De-					Cash in Treasurer's hand	18	12	4
	100	0	0	1				
From Government, maintenance of			_	1				
Patients	96			1	•			
Patients paid	6	0	0	1				
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	538		<u> </u>	1		•	£538	£538 13

ARTHUR ALLISON, Treasurer.

Correct,

F. A. PADFIELD, Auditor.

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