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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

CAMPBELL TOWN HOSPITAL.

REPORT FOR 1867.

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REPORT of the Trustees of the CAMPBELL TOWN HOSPITAL for the Year 1867-68.

THE Trustees and Treasurer, in submitting their Balance Sheet and Annual Report to the subscribers, are happy to state that the Institution maintains its character for efficiency and usefulness. The number of cases treated during the current year has been 54; the number of deaths 4.

Dr. Valentine has been, as usual, most attentive to the Patients; and the Master and Matron have left nothing undone to promote the comfort of the inmates, and the general salubrity of the buildings.

It is a matter of regret to the Trustees that the expenses of the Hospital are still so great, as compared with the cost of each Patient in larger institutions; but having enjoined on the Master and Matron all possible economy in the household management, they are unable to effect any further retrenchment, as it has not hitherto been deemed desirable to supply the Patients with any but the best quality of provisions, or to limit the quantity consumed by any dietary scale.

The Treasurer is sorry to announce that the subscriptions are again on the decline. The favourable balance of last year has probably caused many persons to neglect forwarding their usual contributions, although the customary reminders have been repeatedly sent. Several gentlemen have kindly assisted the Treasurer in canvassing for subscriptions, and one lady has also, in a manner worthy of imitation, volunteered her assistance.

A number of subscribers having suggested that a portrait of the late William Race Allison should be presented to the Hospital, in recognition of the eminent services rendered to the Institution by the deceased gentleman, a subscription has been made, and a portrait is now being painted by an artist of ability, which the Trustees have every reason to expect will be worthy of the object in view.

The Turkish Baths continue to be of great benefit to the Patients, and the working expenses are in a great part covered by the patronage of the public.

CHARLES H. LEAKE, }
THOS. B. BLYTH, } *Trustees.*
T. H. POWER. }

ANNUAL BALANCE SHEET—JULY 1, 1867, TO JUNE 30, 1868.

THE TREASURER in Account with CAMPBELL TOWN HOSPITAL.

Dr.		Cr.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
To Balance in Commercial Bank, June 30, 1867.....	176 19 5	By Expenditure for the year as per accounts audited up to 30th June, 1868.	
Ditto in Treasurer's hand.....	12 12 6	Quarter ending September 30, 1867 ..	150 1 1
Cash collected during year.....	116 10 0	Quarter ending December 31, 1867....	104 11 2
Ditto for baths.....	40 10 9	Quarter ending March 31, 1868.....	114 5 3
Ditto for tickets.....	9 0 0	Quarter ending June 30, 1868.....	104 2 6
Government Aid.....	200 0 0	Present Balance in Commercial Bank,	
Received from Colonial Government for maintenance of Patients.....	44 7 0	Launceston	91 1 7
Ditto Imperial Government for ditto..	1 14 0	Ditto in Treasurer's hands.....	42 12 1
Patients paid.....	5 0 0		
	<hr/> £606 13 8		<hr/> £606 13 8

Correct,

F. A. PADFIELD, *Auditor.*

T. B. BLYTH, *Treasurer.*

JAMES BARNARD,
GOVERNMENT PRINTER, TASMANIA.