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GENERAL HOSPITAL, LAUNCESTON.

REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1895.

SIR,

I HAVE the honor to lay before you the following Annual Report of the Board of Management of the above-named Hospital for the year 1895.

1. At the beginning of the year the Board of Management took over from the Government the entire control of the Institution, which proceeding has given very satisfactory results, and obviated many vexatious delays in the transaction of minor business connected with the Institution. The Government allowed the Board £5100 and fees collected from patients to carry on the Hospital for one year. The fees amounted to £659 15s. 5d.; of this sum the Board expended £5429 15s. 5d., and so were able to return £330 to the Government.
2. Messrs. G. Collins, J. C. Ferguson, and W. Barnes retired from the Board of Management during the month of December, and were unanimously re-elected.
3. Fifteen Board and fifty-three Committee meetings were held during the year.
4. During the month of June, Dr. Drake, the Surgeon-Superintendent, left for England on fifteen months' leave of absence. Dr. Parker was appointed Surgeon-Superintendent during his absence, and to the position of House Surgeon Dr. C. A. Hogg was elected.
5. The thanks of the Board are due to the Members of the Honorary Consulting Staff for their attendance, when called upon, at the Hospital. Thanks are also due to the Honorary Dental Surgeons for the valuable work they continue to do in their department.
6. Two students have attended the medical practice, and four students the dental.
7. Dr. C. A. Hogg resigned the position of House Surgeon in December.
8. Courses of Lectures have been delivered to the Nurses,—by the Surgeon-Superintendent on Physiology, and by the Lady Superintendent on Nursing.
At the final examination four nurses passed, and thus gained the certificate as "Trained Nurse" in accordance with the Regulations prescribed.
9. The Hospital is indebted to many citizens for acts of kindness towards the patients and staff. During the year several performances were given by private individuals and companies for the entertainment of the patients.
10. The quality of the provisions supplied to the Hospital has, on the whole, been good. A greater variety in the diet scale has been allowed to the nursing staff.
11. The number of cases of typhoid fever treated in the Hospital during the year was one hundred (100), as compared with forty-six (46) in the year 1894. This accounts for the larger quantity of alcohol used during the year 1895.
The number of cases of diphtheria only six (6), as compared with nine (9) in 1894.

12. Improvements and alterations to buildings:—

A new bath-room at Nurses' Home; new slop-sink at south end of Hospital; New W.C. at north end; alteration of hot water pipes and tunnel; new flooring in pantry and passages.

13. The usual detailed information furnished by the Surgeon-Superintendent is embodied in the Report, and is of an interesting character.

14. Comparative Statistics for the years 1894 and 1895:—

Particulars respecting In-patients.

	1894.	1895.
Remaining on 1st January	60	47
Admitted during the year	788	805
Total treated	848	852
 Discharged—		
Cured	207	252
Incurable	15	24
Relieved	496	421
At own request	23	8
Died	60	77
Remaining 31st December	47	70

15. Ages of In-patients:—

Gross number of Patients	848	852
Under 10 years	102	73
10 to 15 years	48	80
15 to 25 years	201	210
25 to 35 years	163	161
35 to 45 years	105	119
45 to 55 years	60	74
55 to 65 years	77	55
65 and upwards	92	80
Unknown	<i>Nil.</i>	<i>Nil.</i>

16. Native Places of In-patients:—

Gross number of Patients	848	852
Australasia :—		
Tasmania	540	556
Victoria	28	39
New South Wales	6	6
South Australia	2	3
Queensland	1	3
New Zealand	8	6
West Australia	<i>Nil.</i>	
England and Wales	142	146
Ireland	60	39
Scotland	35	28
British Dominions	4	4
Foreign	22	22
Unknown	<i>Nil.</i>	<i>Nil.</i>

17. Monthly Return of Admissions, Discharges, and Deaths:—

	<i>Admissions.</i>		<i>Discharges.</i>		<i>Deaths.</i>	
	1895.	1894.	1895.	1894.	1895.	1894.
January	82	107	48	80	6	7
February	61	68	60	62	4	8
March	104	63	81	68	5	4
April	68	58	86	58	8	6
May	57	69	52	61	6	3
June	52	55	51	64	6	5
July	74	68	74	63	5	2
August	56	65	43	48	13	5
September	59	72	46	73	7	5
October	61	50	50	64	6	5
November	63	64	54	44	3	6
December	68	49	60	56	8	4
	805	788	705	741	77	60

18. Table showing whether Patients came from Town or from Country :—

	1894.	1895.
Town	443	401
Country	405	404

19. General particulars ;—

Number of In-patients treated	848	852
Ditto ditto	60	77
Ditto Out-patients treated	956	1084
Diets issued to staff	14,904	14,965
Diets issued to patients.....	23,685	24,501
Daily average of In-patients	70	69
Average number of days in hospital each patient.	29.96	29.8

20. Visits paid to other Government Establishments :—

To the Penal Establishments	135	122
To the Invalid Dépôt	160	144

21. Statement showing number of Patients and cost per head of each occupied Bed :—

Average number of Patients	70	69
Average cost of each occupied Bed—		
Upon whole Expenditure.....	£77 16s. 9d.	£78 13s. 10d.
Upon net Expenditure	£65 1s. 3d.	£65 13s. 9d.

22. Return of Fees collected and outstanding :—

Number of Persons who contributed to their maintenance	340	258
Amount of Fees received	£668 19s. 11d.	£645 15s. 10d.
Amount written off in year	£431 8s. 7d.	£152 16s. 8d.
Amount outstanding 31st December	£160 12s. 2d.	£221 8s. 6d.

23. Number of Persons treated with Alcoholic Foods :—

Number of Persons	288	216
Gross Cost	£39 11s. 0d.	£49 5s. 11d.

24. Table showing Cost of principal Items of Diet :—

	1894.	1895.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Bread	124 1 3	116 1 3½
Milk	336 8 9	374 7 10½
Meat	520 12 6	514 10 9½
Potatoes	23 16 3	16 6 3
Butter	90 3 0	90 8 4
Rice	28 16 0	31 4 0
Oatmeal.....	13 13 0	11 11 6
Vegetables.....	35 8 9	35 18 9
Barley	2 15 6	3 3 7½
Eggs	68 1 2	80 9 1
Flour	7 3 0	6 15 6
Fish	65 16 9	70 7 7½
Fowls.....	35 9 6	32 8 10
Tea.....	29 10 7	56 2 4
Sugar.....	61 4 7½	49 3 8
Tobacco.....	0 2 9	—
Champagne	2 5 0	2 2 0
Wine	20 6 0	27 2 0
Gin	0 1 6	—
Rum	—	1 2 6
Whisky.....	0 14 0	1 6 11
Brandy.....	8 19 3	13 2 9
Ale.....	2 19 6	2 19 6
Porter	4 5 9	1 10 3
Aerated Waters	23 0 0	30 0 0

25. Information concerning the year 1895 only:—

Abstract of Salaries.

<i>Office.</i>	<i>Salary.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
	£ s. d.	
Surgeon-Superintendent	342 0 0	With quarters, fuel, light, and water.
House Surgeon	200 0 0	With quarters, rations, fuel, light, and water.
Dispenser and Assistant House Steward	100 0 0	Ditto.
House Steward	145 0 0	With commission on collection of fees.
Lady Superintendent	138 0 0	With quarters, rations, fuel, light, and water.
Secretary to Board.....	60 0 0	
Wardsman	60 0 0	With quarters, rations, fuel, light, and water.
Messenger	36 10 0	Ditto.
Cleaner	35 0 0	Ditto.
Dispensary Servant and Yardman	12 0 0	Ditto.
Cook and Assistant Cook	100 0 0	Ditto.
Gatekeeper	50 0 0	Ditto.
Nurses	550 0 0	Ditto.
House and Wardmaids	150 0 0	Ditto.
Laundress and two Assistants	100 0 0	Ditto.
Gardener	52 0 0	Ditto.
Two Attendants, Reception House	75 0 0	Ditto.
Housekeeper, Nurses' Home	25 0 0	Ditto.

26. Cases of Continued Fever of a Typhoid type treated:—

	1894.	1895.		1894.	1895.
Remaining on 1st Jan.	5	—	August	—	1
<i>Admitted during—</i>			September	1	3
January	18	10	October	—	—
February	9	15	November	—	6
March	8	24	December	3	10
April	5	15	Total number treated...	46	100
May	2	8	Died	2	7
June	—	5			
July	—	3			

27. Cases of Diphtheria treated:—

	1894.	1895.		1894.	1895.
Remaining on 1st Jan.	Nil.	Nil.	September	2	—
January	—	1	October	1	—
February	1	2	November	—	—
March	—	—	December	—	—
April	1	—	Total number treated ...	9	6
May	—	—	Died	2	2
June	—	—			
July	4	1			
August	—	2			

28. Table showing whence Contagious Diseases were admitted during the year:—

<i>District.</i>	<i>Continued Fever.</i>	<i>Diphtheria.</i>	<i>Scarlet Fever.</i>	<i>Measles.</i>
Launceston	47	1	—	—
Inveresk	13	2	—	—
Invermay	15	3	—	—
Deloraine	1	—	—	—
Hobart	1	—	—	—
Lilydale	1	—	—	—
Perth	1	—	—	—
Exton	2	—	—	—
Scottsdale	1	—	—	—
St. Mary's	1	—	—	—
Turner's Marsh	1	—	—	—
Westbury	1	—	—	—
Wyena	1	—	—	—
Lefroy	4	—	—	—
Franklin Village	1	—	—	—
Pateena	1	—	—	—
Sidmouth	1	—	—	—
Dunorlan	1	—	—	—
Carrick	1	—	—	—
Blessington	1	—	—	—
Chudleigh	1	—	—	—
Cressy	1	—	—	—
Pattersonia	2	—	—	—

29. Information given as a basis of comparison with other Hospitals :—

Population of the town and districts benefited? About 56,000 inhabitants.

This is the only institution available to the inhabitants north of Oatlands, saving the Cottage Hospitals of Campbell Town, Waratah, Latrobe, and Beaconsfield.

The character of the Hospital? General, save that lying-in cases are not admitted.

Established thirty-one (31) years.

Present building erected as a Hospital.

Original cost, £12,000; extensions and improvements have cost about £26,000 in addition.

Number of beds? 122.

Cubic space of wards? 171,459 cubic feet.

The whole of the annual maintenance is contributed by the Government, saving what is contributed by patients who pay fees.

Cost of construction was defrayed by the Government.

Small income from invested funds.

Control of the Institution is under a Board of Management.

Number of its members is thirteen. Appointments thereto are subject to the approval of the Governor in Council.

Control in money matters is exercised by the Board of Management.

B.

Total number of in-patients treated during the year? 852.

Number of out-patients attending at Hospital? 1084.

Number of attendances? 7239.

Number attended at their own homes? Nil.

Number of women attended in confinement at their own homes? Nil.

Any enquiry officer respecting out-patients? No.

Number of nurses? 18.

Number of servants? Males, 7; females, 13.

C.

Contract price of milk? 3d. per quart.

Contract price of bread? 8s. per 100 lbs.

Contract price of water? 1s. per 1000 gallons up to 200,000; above that quantity, 9d.

Contract price of meat? Sirloin, 3½d. lb.; rump, 2d.; chuck rib, 1½d.; mutton, 2½d. per lb.

Contract price of coal? 15s. 6d. per ton.

Contract price of wood? Gum, dry, in billets, 9s. 6d. per ton; she-oak in log, 12s. 9d. per ton; ditto in billets, 12s. 9d. per ton.

30. Expenditure for the year, arranged under various heads:—

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Salaries and Allowances	2118 14 9	
Provisions	1615 9 7	
Alcoholic Foods (Medical Comforts)	73 0 3	
Clothing, Bedding, Stores	201 16 9	
Fuel, Light, and Water	491 16 10	
Funeral Expenses	36 4 6	
Stationery and Advertising	28 7 1	
Medicines, Instruments, &c.....	403 13 6	
Incidental Expenses	57 0 1	
Repairs to Buildings.....	295 4 0	
Furniture and Grounds.....	3 9 0	
Uniforms for Nurses and Servants	72 13 1	
Commission on Collection of Fees	32 6 0	
 Gross Expenditure		 5429 15 5
Attendance and Medicines, Invalid Dépôt.....	60 0 0	
Ditto, Penal Establishments.....	10 0 0	
Estimated cost of treating out-patients, at 2s. 6d.....	135 10 0	
Medicines and Sundries supplied to Contagious Diseases Hospital	5 0 0	
Ditto, Industrial School	2 10 0	
Ditto, Private Practitioners' patients	10 0 0	
Fees from Patients	659 15 5	
Paid to Treasury from Sale of Fat, &c.	14 9 7	
 Net Expenditure		 897 5 0
		 £4532 10 5

Attached are Returns of all Cases treated at the Hospital during the year.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

The Hon. the Chief Secretary.

GEO. COLLINS, Chairman Board of Management.

SURGICAL Operations performed during the Year 1895.

OPERATIONS.	SEX.		AGE.						RESULT.			
	M.	F.	-5	-15	-30	-50	-70	+70	Cured.	Re-lieved.	Unre-lieved.	Died.
<i>For Removal of Tumours—</i>												
Ganglion, Tubercular .....	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1		
Epithelioma of Lip	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	2			
Epithelioma of Tongue .....	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	1			
Epithelioma of Cheek	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1			
Cancer of Breast .....	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	1			
Nævus.....	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1			
Wart of Arm.....	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1			
Hygroma	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
<i>Amputations—</i>												
Shoulder	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1			
Toes	2	1	...	1	1	1	...	...	3			
Fingers .....	...	3	...	1	...	1	1	...	3			
<i>Respiratory System—</i>												
Rouge's Operation .....	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1		
Curetting Nose .....	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1			
Removal Post Nasal Growths	1	2	...	2	1	...	...	...	3			
Tracheotomy	1	2	1	1	1	...	...	...	1			
Empyema	2	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	2			2
<i>Lymphatic System—</i>												
Excision of Glands of Neck .....	...	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	2		
<i>Digestive Organs—</i>												
Hernia (Radical Cure).....	3	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	3			
Obstruction of Intestine	1	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	1			
Hæmorrhoids.....	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	1			
Fistula in Ano .....	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1			
Excision of Tonsils	2	2	1	2	1	...	...	...	4			
Hare Lip	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	2			
<i>Genito Urinary—</i>												
Lithotomy (Median)	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1			
Ovariotomy .....	...	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Curetting Uterus .....	...	14	...	...	6	8	...	...	7	5	1	1
Circumcision	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	1			
Vaginal Fistula.....	...	2	...	...	1	1	...	...	2			
Fibroid of Uterus .....	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1			
Urethral Caruncle .....	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1			
<i>Bones and Joints—</i>												
Linear Osteotomy.....	1	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	1		
Sequestrotomy	7	1	...	5	3	...	...	...	5	3		
Excision of Knee	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Ununited Fracture	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
Erasion of Ankle	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1			
<i>Tendons—</i>												
Tenotomy	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1		
Suturing Tendons	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1		
<i>Eye—</i>												
Iridectomy	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1		
Excision of Eye	2	1	...	1	2	...	...	...	3			
Cataract	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1			
Entropion	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1			
<i>Incisions—</i>												
Exploratory.....	1	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	—	—
Abscess	15	5	2	6	8	4	...	...	17	2	...	1
Abdominal Section .....	...	2	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	...
Periosteum .....	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1			
Foreign Bodies	3	2	2	...	3	...	...	...	5			
<i>Integumentary</i>	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	2			
<i>Miscellaneous—</i>												
Hydatids of—												
Liver	1	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
Lung.....	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
TOTAL	63	57	13	25	47	33	2	...	83	23	2	10

IN-PATIENTS.

PARTICULARS of Death during Year 1895.

NO.	SEX.	AGE.	MONTH.	CAUSE OF DEATH.
1	M.	24	January	Hydatid of Brain.
2	M.	36	ditto	Phthisis.
3	M.	27	ditto	Typhoid Fever.
4	M.	22	ditto	Phthisis.
5	M.	47	ditto	Heart Disease.
6	M.	69	ditto	Heart Disease.
7	F.	27	February	Typhoid Fever.
8	F.	76	ditto	Cancer of Liver.
9	F.	44	ditto	Heart Disease.
10	F.	80	ditto	Gall Stones—Exhaustion.
11	M.	12	March	Typhoid Fever.
12	M.	66	ditto	Heart Disease.
13	M.	82	ditto	Senility—Exhaustion.
14	M.	67	ditto	Heart Disease.
15	M.	11	ditto	Diphtheria—Acute Nephritis.
16	M.	36	April	Pneumonia.
17	M.	37	ditto	Appendicitis.
18	F.	21	ditto	Typhoid Fever—Hæmorrhage.
19	F.	32	ditto	Phthisis.
20	M.	62	ditto	Chronic Bright's Disease—Syncope.
21	F.	50	ditto	Cancer of Omentum.
22	M.	75	ditto	Pneumonia.
23	F.	25	ditto	Embolism (Cerebral).
24	M.	5	May	Hydatid of Liver.
25	F.	65	ditto	Chronic Bright's.
26	M.	40	ditto	General Tuberculosis.
27	M.	37	ditto	Hydatid of Liver.
28	M.	58	ditto	Pneumonia.
29	F.	76	ditto	Peritonitis.
30	F.	25	June	Hydatid of Liver—Empyema.
31	F.	19	ditto	General Tuberculosis.
32	M.	63	ditto	Cerebral Hæmorrhage.
33	F.	28	ditto	Ovarian—Cystic Disease.
34	M.	52	ditto	Diabetes Mellitus.
35	M.	75	ditto	Uræmia.
36	M.	62	July	Pneumonia.
37	M.	29	ditto	Typhoid Fever.
38	M.	24	ditto	Shock—Gunshot Wound of Arm.
39	M.	56	ditto	Heart Disease.
40	M.	29	ditto	Phthisis.
41	M.	75	August	Debility.
42	F.	5	ditto	Typhoid Fever.
43	F.	60	ditto	Cerebral Thrombosis.
44	F.	52	ditto	Heart Disease.
45	M.	40	ditto	Cirrhosis of Liver.
46	F.	67	ditto	Heart Disease.
47	F.	26	ditto	Phthisis.
48	M.	6	ditto	Meningitis.
49	F.	44	ditto	Phthisis.
50	F.	24	ditto	Diphtheria.
51	M.	87	ditto	Pneumonia.
52	F.	60	ditto	Heart Disease.
53	M.	77	ditto	Heart Disease.
54	F.	21	September	Acute Tuberculosis.
55	M.	1	ditto	Œdematous Laryngitis.
56	M.	36	ditto	Phthisis.
57	F.	30	ditto	Septicæmia.
58	F.	19	ditto	Ovarian Cystic Disease—Shock.
59	M.	55	ditto	Spinal Meningitis.
60	M.	18	October	Syncope—Tubercular Disease of Kne.
61	F.	31	ditto	Intestinal Obstruction.
62	M.	39	ditto	Addison's Disease.
63	M.	70	ditto	Fractured Ribs—Lacerated Pericardium.
64	M.	76	ditto	Cancer of Bladder.
65	M.	68	ditto	Cerebral Hæmorrhage.
66	M.	34	ditto	Chronic Bright's—Heart Disease.
67	F.	72	November	Heart Disease.
68	F.	22	ditto	Puerperal Mania.
69	F.	22	ditto	Syncope.
70	M.	49	December	Phthisis.
71	M.	75	ditto	Cancer of Peritoneum.
72	M.	63	ditto	Bronchitis.
73	M.	69	ditto	Heart Disease.
74	M.	29	ditto	Typhoid Fever—Pneumonia.
75	F.	37	ditto	Pneumonia—Heart Disease.
76	M.	73	ditto	Pneumonia—Cystitis.
77	F.	56	ditto	Intestinal Obstruction—Cancer.

RETURN of In-door Patients treated during 1895, General Hospital, Launceston.

I. SPECIFIC FEBRILE OR ZYMOTIC DISEASES.	Cases.	Deaths.	V. DEVELOPMENT TAL DISEASES.	Cases.	Deaths.
			1. Premature Birth	—	—
			2. Atelectasis.....	—	—
			3. Cyanosis	—	—
			4. Spina Bifida	—	—
			5. Imperforate Anus	—	—
			6. Cleft Palate, Harelip	1	—
			7. Other Congenital Defects	3	—
			8. Old Age.....	2	2
			9. Lateral Curvature of Spine	—	—
			ORDER 1.—Diseases of the Nervous System.		
			1. Inflammation of the Brain or its Membranes.....	—	—
			2. Apoplexy	6	4
			3. Softening of Brain	—	—
			4. Hemiplegia, Brain Paralysis...	5	—
			5. Paralysis (undefined)	—	—
			6. Insanity (General Paralysis of the Insane)	31	1
			7. Chorea	1	—
			8. Epilepsy	9	—
			9. Convulsions	—	—
			10. Laryngismus Stridulus	—	—
			11. Idiopathic Tetanus	—	—
			12. Paraplegia, Diseases of the Spinal Cord	7	1
			13. Others	15	—
			ORDER 2.—Diseases of the Organs of Special Sense.		
			1. Otitis Otorrhœa	—	—
			2. Epistaxis and Diseases of Nose	5	—
			3. Ophthalmia and Diseases of Eye	10	—
			ORDER 3.—Diseases of the Circulatory System.		
			1. Endocarditis, Valvular Disease	26	12
			2. Pericarditis	—	—
			3. Hypertrophy of Heart	—	—
			4. Angina Pectoris	—	—
			5. Syncope.....	1	—
			6. Aneurism	—	—
			7. Senile Gangrene	—	—
			8. Embolism, Thrombosis	3	—
			9. Phlebitis	2	—
			10. Varicose Veins	4	—
			11. Others	1	—
			ORDER 4.—Diseases of the Respiratory System.		
			1. Laryngitis.....	2	1
			2. Croup	—	—
			3. Others of Larynx and Trachea	—	—
			4. Asthma, Emphysema	4	—
			5. Bronchitis	20	1
			6. Pneumonia	30	7
			6A. Congestion of Lungs	—	—
			7. Pleurisy.....	2	—
			8. Others	2	—
			ORDER 5.—Diseases of the Digestive System.		
			1. Stomatitis	—	—
			2. Dentition	—	—
			3. Sore Throat, Quinsy	33	—
			4. Dyspepsia	26	—
			5. Haematemesis	8	—
			6. Melæna	—	—
			7. Diseases of the Stomach	12	—
			8. Enteritis	4	—
			9. Ulceration of Intestine	1	—
			10. Ileus, Obstruction of Intestine	2	—
			11. Stricture, or Strangulation of Intestine	—	—
			12. Intussusception of Intestine	—	—
			13. Hernia	4	—
			14. Fistula	5	—
			15. Peritonitis	5	—
			16. Ascites	—	—

VI. LOCAL DISEASES.

	Cases.	Deaths.		Cases.	Deaths.
ORDER 5.—continued.			LOCAL DISEASES, continued.		
17. Gallstones	4	1	1. Carbuncle	2	—
18. Cirrhosis of Liver	3	1	2. Phlegmon, Cellulitis	13	—
19. Other Diseases of Liver	5	1	3. Lupus	—	—
20. Others	5	2	4. Ulcer, Bed Sore	23	—
ORDER 6.—Diseases of the Lymphatic System and Ductless Glands.			5. Eczema	10	—
1. Diseases of Lymphatic System	2	—	6. Pemphigus	—	—
2. Diseases of Spleen	—	—	7. Others	5	—
3. Bronchocele	1	—			
4. Addison's Disease	2	1			
5. Graves' Disease	—	—			
ORDER 7.—Diseases of the Urinary System.					
1. Nephritis	4	2	ORDER 1.—Accident or Negligence.	46	1
2. Bright's Disease (Nephritis)	1	1	1. Fractures, Contusions	1	1
3. Uraemia	1	1	2. Gunshot Wounds	—	—
4. Suppression of Urine	—	—	3. Cuts, &c.	25	—
5. Calculus	2	—	4. Burn, Scald	5	—
6. Haematuria	1	—	4A. Sunstroke	—	—
7. Diseases of Bladder and Prostate	22	1	4A. Lightning	—	—
8. Others	2	—	5. Poison	2	—
ORDER 8.—Diseases of Organs of Generation.			5A. Bite of Snake or Insect	—	—
1. Ovarian Disease	5	2	6. Drowning	—	—
2. Diseases of Uterus and Vagina	44	—	7. Suffocation	—	—
3. Disorders of Menstruation	—	—	8. Otherwise	—	—
4. Pelvic Abscess	—	—			
5. Perineal Abscess	—	—	ORDER 2.—Homicide.		
6. Diseases of Testes, Penis, Scrotum, &c.	5	—	1. Murder, Manslaughter	—	—
ORDER 9.—Diseases of Parturition.			2. Justifiable Homicide	—	—
1. Abortion, Miscarriage	—	—			
2. Puerperal Mania	—	—	ORDER 3.—Suicide.		
3. Puerperal Convulsions	—	—	1. Gunshot Wounds	2	—
4. Placenta Prævia, Flooding	—	—	2. Cut, Stab	1	—
5. Phlegmasia Dolens	—	—	3. Poison	—	—
6. Other Accidents of Childbirth..	3	—	4. Drowning	—	—
ORDER 10.—Diseases of the Organs of Locomotion.			5. Hanging	—	—
1. Caries Necrosis	12	—	6. Otherwise	—	—
2. Arthritis, Osteitis, Periostitis	12	—			
3. Others	1	—			
			ORDER 4.—Execution.		
			1. Hanging	—	—
			2. Dropsy	—	—
			3. Debility, Atrophy, Inanition	—	—
			3. Mortification	2	—
			4. Tumor	16	—
			5. Abscess	16	—
			6. Haemorrhage	—	—
			7. Sudden (cause unascertained) ...	—	—
			8. Not specified or ill-defined	4	—
			9. Sinus	—	—
			TOTAL.....	852	77

VIII. ILL-DEFINED AND
NOT SPECIFIED CAUSES.

RETURN of Out-door Patients treated during 1895.

I. SPECIFIC NEBRILE OR ZYMOtic DISEASES.	ORDER 1.— <i>Miasmatic Diseases.</i>	
	1. Small-pox { Vaccinated.....	—
	Unvaccinated	—
	Not stated	—
	2. Chicken-pox.....	3
	3. Measles.....	—
	4. Epidemic Rose Rash.....	—
	5. Scarlet Fever.....	—
	6. Typhus.....	—
	7. Relapsing Fever.....	—
	8. Influenza.....	10
	9. Whooping Cough.....	7
	10. Mumps.....	—
	11. Diphtheria.....	—
	12. Cerebro-spinal Fever.....	—
	13. Simple continued Fever	16
	14. Typhoid, Enteric Fever	3
	15. Others	—
ORDER 2.— <i>Diarrhaal Diseases.</i>		
1. Cholera, Sporadic (Simple).....		
1A. Cholera, Epidemic (Asiatic).....		
2. Diarrhoea.....		
3. Dysentery.....		
ORDER 3.— <i>Malarial Diseases.</i>		
1. Remittent Fever		
2. Intermittent Fever (Ague)		
3. Others		
ORDER 4.— <i>Zoogenous Diseases.</i>		
1. Hydrophobia		
2. Glanders		
3. Splenic Fever.....		
4. Cow-pox and other effects of Vaccination		
ORDER 5.— <i>Venereal Diseases.</i>		
1. Syphilis		
2. Gonorrhœa, Stricture of Urethra		
ORDER 6.— <i>Septic Diseases.</i>		
1. Phagedæna		
2. Erysipelas		
3. Pyæmia, Septicæmia		
4. Puerperal Fever		
III. DIETIC II. PARASITIC DISEASES.	1. Thrush.....	1
	2. Others from Vegetable Parasites.....	12
	3. Hydatids	—
IV. CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES.	4. Others from Animal Parasites	4
	1. Starvation	5
	2. Scurvy	—
V. DEVELOPMENTAL DISEASES.	3. Intemperance { Chronic Alcoholism ...	3
	Delirium Tremens	—
	1. Rheumatic Fever, Rheumatism of Heart	—
	2. Rheumatism	45
	3. Gout	—
	4. Rickets	—
	5. Cancer, Malignant Disease	—
	6. Tabes Mesenterica	—
	7. Tubercular Meningitis, Acute Hydrocephalus	—
	8. Phthisis	35
	9. Other forms of Tuberculosis, Scrofula, &c.	—
	10. Purpura, Hæmorrhagic Diathesis	—
	11. Anaemia, Chlorosis, Leucocythaemia	17
VI. LOCAL DISEASES.	12. Diabetes Mellitus	—
	13. Others	—
	1. Premature Birth	—
	2. Atelectasis	—
	3. Cyanosis	—
	4. Spina Bifida	—
	5. Imperforate Anus	—
	6. Cleft Palate, Harelip	—
	7. Other Congenital Defects	6
	8. Old Age	—
ORDER 1.— <i>Diseases of Nervous System.</i>	9. Lateral Curvature of Spine	2
	10. Others	—
	1. Inflammation of Brain or its Membranes	—
	2. Apoplexy	—
	3. Softening of Brain	—
	4. Hemiplegia, Brain Paralysis	—
	5. Paralysis (undefined)	—
	6. Insanity	4
7. Chorea		
8. Epilepsy		
9. Convulsions		
10. Laryngismus Stridulus		
11. Idiopathic Tetanus		
12. Paraplegia, Diseases of the Spinal Cord		
13. Others		
ORDER 2.— <i>Diseases of the Organs of Special Sense.</i>		
1. Otitis, Otorrhœa		
2. Epistaxis and Diseases of the Nose		
3. Ophthalmia and Diseases of the Eye		
ORDER 3.— <i>Diseases of the Circulatory System.</i>		
1. Endocarditis, Valvular Disease		
2. Pericarditis		
3. Hypertrophy of Heart		
4. Angina Pectoris		
5. Syncope		
6. Aneurism		
7. Senile Gangrene		
8. Embolism, Thrombosis		
10. Varicose Veins		
11. Others		
ORDER 4.— <i>Diseases of the Respiratory System.</i>		
1. Laryngitis		
2. Croup		
3. Others of Larynx and Trachea		
4. Asthma, Emphysema		
5. Bronchitis		
6. Pneumonia		
6A. Congestion of Lungs		
7. Pleurisy		
8. Others		
ORDER 5.— <i>Diseases of the Digestive System.</i>		
1. Stomatitis		
2. Dentition		
3. Sore Throat, Quinsy		
4. Dyspepsia		
5. Haematemesis		
6. Melæna		
7. Diseases of the Stomach		
8. Enteritis		
9. Ulceration of Intestine		
10. Ileus, Obstruction of Intestine		
11. Stricture or Strangulation of Intestine		
12. Intussusception of Intestine		
13. Hernia		
14. Fistula		
15. Peritonitis		
16. Ascites		
17. Gallstones		
18. Cirrhosis of Liver		
19. Other Diseases of Liver		
20. Others		
ORDER 6.— <i>Diseases of the Lymphatic System and Ductless Glands.</i>		
1. Diseases of the Lymphatic System		
2. Diseases of the Spleen		
3. Bronchocele		
4. Addison's Disease		
5. Others		
ORDER 7.— <i>Diseases of the Urinary System.</i>		
1. Nephritis		
2. Bright's Disease (Nephritis)		
3. Uræmia		
4. Suppression of Urine		
5. Calculus		
6. Hæmaturia		
7. Disease of the Bladder and Prostate		
8. Others		

VI. LOCAL DISEASES.

ORDER 8.— <i>Diseases of the Organs of Generation.</i>	
1. Ovarian Disease	—
2. Diseases of the Uterus and Vagina	33
3. Disorders of Menstruation	11
4. Pelvic Abscess	—
5. Perineal Abscess	—
6. Diseases of Testes, Penis, Scrotum, &c.	6

ORDER 9.— <i>Diseases of Parturition.</i>	
1. Abortion, Miscarriage	—
2. Puerperal Mania	—
3. Puerperal Convulsions.....	—
4. Placenta Praevia, Flooding	—
5. Phlegmasia Dolens	—
6. Other Accidents of Childbirth	—
7. Others	—

ORDER 10.— <i>Diseases of Organs of Locomotion.</i>	
1. Caries Necrosis	—
2. Arthritis, Osteitis, Periostitis	17
3. Others	—

ORDER 11.— <i>Diseases of the Integumentary System.</i>	
1. Carbuncle	1
2. Phlegmon, Cellulitis.....	21
3. Lupus	—
4. Ulcer, Bedsores	7
5. Eczema	40
6. Pemphigus	—
7. Others	26

ORDER 1.— <i>Accident or Negligence.</i>	
1. Fractures, Contusions	48
2. Gunshot Wounds	—
3. Cuts, &c.....	33
4. Burns, Scalds.....	8
4A. Sunstroke	—
4B. Lightning	—
5. Poison.....	2
5A. Bite of Snake or Insect.....	—
6. Drowning	—
7. Suffocation	—
8. Otherwise	—

ORDER 2.— <i>Homicide.</i>	
1. Murder, Manslaughter.....	—
2. Justifiable Homicide.....	—

ORDER 3.— <i>Suicide.</i>	
1. Gunshot Wounds	—
2. Cuts, Stab	—
3. Poison.....	—
4. Drowning	—
5. Hanging	—
6. Otherwise	—

ORDER 4.— <i>Execution.</i>	
1. Hanging	—

VII. VIOLENCE.	
VIII. ILL-DEFINED OR NOT SPECIFIED CAUSES.	

TOTAL	
	1084

REPORT of Cases treated in the Dental Department and School of Dentistry during the Year 1895.

Extractions	717
Fillings (various).....	64
Deformities and Irregularities treated surgically	18
Mechanical appliances supplied	18
Operations under Chloroform.....	44
Advice Cases and Prescribing	106
Miscellaneous Operations, including extirpation of dental pulp, treatment of nerve canals, removal of morbid growths, treatment of alveolar, and antral abscess, &c.	143
TOTAL	1110

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