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THE CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL
—
BOSTON, MASS.

FORTY-NINTH
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FOR THE YEAR 1917

THE CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

BOSTON

Extends to children, not over twelve years of age, medical and surgical treatment, without regard to sex, race, creed, or color.

The Out-Patient Department is open to patients as follows:
(Except on Sundays and legal holidays)

MEDICAL	Every morning from 9 to 10.30.
ORTHOPEDIC . .	Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Saturday, from 2 to 4 P.M.
SURGICAL	Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Saturday, from 2 to 4 P.M.
NEUROLOGICAL .	Wednesday and Friday, from 2 to 4 P.M.
THROAT.	Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, from 2 to 3.30 P.M.
SCOLIOSIS	Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, from 2 to 4 P.M. Saturday, 9 to 11 A.M.
GYNECOLOGICAL .	Tuesday and Friday, from 3.30 to 4 P.M.
CLINIC FOR MUSCLE TRAINING IN PARALYTIC CASES.	Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, from 2 to 4 P.M.
STATE CLINIC INFANTILE PARALYSIS.	Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday, 10.30 A.M.

Patients requiring admission to the wards should be referred to the proper division of the Out-Patient Department, but urgent cases can be received at any time by direct application to the Hospital.

CONVALESCENT HOME

WELLESLEY HILLS, MASS.



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Officers of the Children's Hospital, 1918

President

GEORGE P. GARDNER

Vice-President

HENRY A. WHEELER

Treasurer

S. H. WOLCOTT
60 State St., Boston

Secretary

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5 University Hall, Cambridge

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WILLIAM ENDICOTT

Executive Committee

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Counsel for the Corporation

MESSRS. WARREN, GARFIELD, WHITESIDE, and LAMSON
50 State St., Boston

Board of Managers

GEORGE P. GARDNER	December 1, 1885
FREDERICK C. SHATTUCK	December 28, 1887
OLIVER AMES	December 5, 1893
CLARENCE J. BLAKE	December 28, 1894
GORDON ABBOTT	December 28, 1896
HENRY WHEELER	January 11, 1898
WALLACE L. PIERCE	January 15, 1902
ROBERT W. EMMONS, 2D	January 13, 1903
WILLIAM H. SEABURY	January 13, 1903
WILLIAM ENDICOTT	January 12, 1904
EUGENE V. R. THAYER	January 15, 1908
JOHN A. L. BLAKE	December 12, 1911
ALEXANDER WHITESIDE	November 10, 1914
FRANCIS W. HUNNEWELL	April 13, 1915
DUDLEY L. PICKMAN, JR.	April 13, 1915
S. H. WOLCOTT	April 13, 1915
G. v. L. MEYER, JR.	May 20, 1915
PHILIP S. SEARS	January 26, 1916
FRANK W. STEARNS	January 26, 1916

Visiting Committees

JANUARY	MESSRS. THAYER and PIERCE
FEBRUARY	MESSRS. PIERCE and SHATTUCK.
MARCH	MESSRS. SHATTUCK and EMMONS.
APRIL	MESSRS. EMMONS and AMES.
MAY	MESSRS. AMES and SEABURY.
JUNE	MESSRS. SEABURY and C. J. BLAKE.
JULY	MESSRS. C. J. BLAKE and ENDICOTT.
AUGUST	MESSRS. ENDICOTT and J. A. L. BLAKE.
SEPTEMBER	MESSRS. J. A. L. BLAKE and MEYER.
OCTOBER	MESSRS. MEYER and WHEELER.
NOVEMBER	MESSRS. WHEELER and WHITESIDE.
DECEMBER	MESSRS. WHITESIDE and THAYER.

Medical Officers

Consulting Staff

E. H. BRADFORD, M.D.

F. B. MALLORY, M.D.

ABNER POST, M.D.

L. M. S. MINER, M.D., D.M.D.

H. L. MORSE, M.D.

*MAYNARD LADD, M.D.

*F. G. BALCH, M.D.

Active Staff

Visiting Bacteriologist

*HAROLD C. ERNST, M.D.

Visiting Chemist

OTTO FOLIN, M.D.

Visiting Surgeon

*R. W. LOVETT, M.D.

Visiting Physiologist

*WALTER B. CANNON, M.D.

Visiting Physician

JOHN LOVETT MORSE, M.D.

Visiting Pathologist

S. B. WOLBACH, M.D.

Visiting Surgeon

*JAMES S. STONE, M.D.

Surgeon in Diseases of Throat

*D. CROSBY GREENE, M.D.

Visiting Pharmacologist

REID HUNT, M.D.

Roentgenologist

*PERCY BROWN, M.D.

Associate Staff

Medical Department

Assistant Physicians

A. H. WENTWORTH, M.D.

HENRY I. BOWDITCH, M.D.

PHILIP H. SYLVESTER, M.D.

Junior Assistant Physicians

*E. T. WYMAN, M.D.

J. I. GROVER, M.D.

*K. G. PERCY, M.D.

P. W. EMERSON, M.D.

L. W. HILL, M.D.

D. HASSMAN, M.D.

* In active service.

THE CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

Surgical Department

Assistant Surgeons
WILLIAM E. LADD, M.D.
★CHARLES G. MIXTER, M.D.

Junior Assistant Surgeons
★TORR W. HARMER, M.D.
GEORGE D. CUTLER, M.D.

Volunteer Assistant Surgeon
WILLIAM REGGIO, M.D.

Orthopedic Department

Assistant Surgeon
ROBERT SOUTTER, M.D.

Junior Assistant Surgeons
ARTHUR T. LEGG, M.D.
JAMES W. SEVER, M.D.
ALBERT EHRENFRIED, M.D.
HENRY J. FITSZIMMONS, M.D.
★FRANK R. OBER, M.D.

Department of Laryngology and Otology

Surgeon
D. HAROLD WALKER, M.D.

Assistant Surgeon
F. E. GARLAND, M.D.

Assistants
CHANDLER ROBBINS, M.D. E. W. HERMAN, M.D. ★HAROLD G. TOBEY, M.D.

Ophthalmic Surgeon
E. E. JACK, M.D.

Oral Surgeon
FRED. R. BLUMENTHAL, D.M.D.

Neurologist
J. J. THOMAS, M.D.

Anæsthetist
FREEMAN ALLEN, M.D.

Assistant Neurologist
A. W. FAIRBANKS, M.D.

Gynecologist
HENRY T. HUTCHINS, M.D.

House Officers, 1918

Graduate House Physicians

*H. GREEN, M.D.
D. O. WALTHALL, M.D.
W. F. PATRICK, M.D.

Graduate House Surgeons

C. L. STOREY, M.D.
*JOSEPH H. MAGUIRE, M.D.
W. MORSE, M.D.
*B. P. BURPEE, M.D.
NORMAN W. GILLESPIE, M.D.

Present Staff

Superintendent

MISS IDA C. SMITH, R.N.

Business Administrator

MR. SCOTT WHITCHER

Assistant Superintendent

MISS EMILY H. SMITH, R.N.

Superintendent, School of Nursing

MISS ELIZABETH E. SULLIVAN, R.N.

Resident

EDWARD KING, M.D.

House Physicians

H. M. BAKER, M.D.
A. N. GOLDING, M.D.
T. A. FOSTER, M.D.

House Surgeons

C. W. BRESSLER, M.D.
DONALD KING, M.D.
W. W. HANSELL, M.D.

Assistant Anæsthetist

MISS ESTHER STUART, R.N.

Head of Social Service Department

MISS GERTRUDE KNOWLTON

Director of Clinic for Paralytic Cases

MISS PRISCILLA M. REYNOLDS

Director of Physical Therapeutics

MISS JANET B. MERRILL

Director of Scoliosis Department

MISS EDITH KARCHER

Report of the Board of Managers

THE past year has been an unusual one for the Hospital in several ways. The war has called into service many members of the staff, and not a few of the nurses, with the result that those remaining have had to work harder to carry it on. On the other hand, the Hospital has given its facilities freely for the special instruction of army surgeons, of whom a considerable number have been sent here on special assignment.

The Hospital has suffered greatly during the year from the loss of those to whom must be credited much of the success achieved in the past; in the death of Dr. Francis H. Brown, formerly Secretary of the Corporation; in the death of the President of the Corporation, Mr. Francis W. Hunnewell; and in the resignation of Sister Caroline, S.S.M., Superintendent of the Hospital.

The following votes were passed at a meeting of the Board of Managers:

“That in the death of Dr. Francis H. Brown, the Hospital has lost a devoted and valued member of its Consulting Staff, and of the Board of Managers.

“Dr. Brown was the last of the original incorporators of the Hospital, joining its Staff in 1869.

“He was the faithful Secretary of the Board of Managers and the Corporation from 1869 to May 11th, 1915.”

“To accept with deepest regret the resignation of Sister Caroline, S.S.M., as Superintendent of the Children’s Hospital. In accepting this resignation, the Managers desire to express their unbounded gratitude to her and those Sisters of St. Margaret who almost since the beginning of the Hospital have given it their devoted and invaluable aid. It is to the members of that Sisterhood to whom the administration of the Hospital has been intrusted that its success has been largely due, and in recognition of their services, it is proposed by the Managers to place a suitable tablet on the walls of the Hospital.”

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"It is our painful duty to record the death of Francis Welles Hunnewell, a member of this Board since the year 1896, its vice-president from 1897 to 1901, and president from 1901 until his death in September of the present year. Rarely has a charitable institution had a more devoted and generous friend. His gifts to the Hospital have amounted to about the sum of three hundred thousand dollars. These were in various amounts, and at different times as he saw that money was needed, and they came spontaneously and without solicitation.

He was eager that the new Hospital should be complete in his lifetime, and his large contribution to the building fund made this possible. In recognition of his gifts one of the wings was named the Hunnewell Building.

In addition to this financial assistance he was always ready to give to the members of the Board the advantage of his sound business judgment in dealing with questions arising in the course of the Hospital administration. Truly the Hospital and the Board of Managers have lost in him one who was a friend in need."

The Children's Hospital is at this moment facing the serious question of maintenance, on account of the prevailing high prices. It is impossible to materially reduce the cost without causing a resultant loss of efficiency, and the Managers therefore make an urgent appeal for help.

FRANCIS W. HUNNEWELL,
Secretary.

THE BOARD OF MANAGERS

Legacies and Special Donations

Estate of:

Eleanor S. Farley	\$334.36
Mary Lowell Day	3,000.00
William Timlin	2,000.00
Fanny D. Shoemaker	27,806.81
Fanny D. Shoemaker (Securities)	5,839.50
Hattie S. Hathaway	500.00
Marion C. Goodwin	500.00
Polly R. Hollingsworth	2,247.72
Harriet A. Hibbard	50.00
Susan M. D. Bridgman (Securities)	960.00
Sarah F. Turner	2,500.00
Mrs. Frieda B. Cushman	2,000.00
Miss Alice N. and Evelyn R. Sturgis	1,000.00
Total	<hr/> \$48,738.39

Report of the Treasurer

Statement of Income and Expenditures for the Year, 1917

Received from:	<i>Dr.</i>	<i>Cr.</i>
Donations and subscriptions	\$38,631.55	
Interest	47,704.58	
Sales of drugs	2,196.35	
Board of patients	30,671.85	
Sales of surgical appliances	11,571.77	
School of Nursing	6,242.52	
X-Ray Department	1,966.79	
Sundries	1,329.38	
Disbursed for:		
Payments under F. W. Hunnewell Indenture of October 21, 1909		\$1,000.00
Muscle Training Clinic		1,470.56
Interest on securities purchased		305.14
Insurance and repairs		1,817.42
Surgical appliances purchased and repaired		6,999.66
Drugs		5,233.80
Gift to Sisters of St. Margaret		1,500.00
House Expenses:		
Supplies	\$48,496.59	
Heating	13,710.72	
Wages	49,577.57	
Hospital petty cash	285.00	
Printing and stationery	3,119.10	
Annual Report	1,286.95	
Rent of Nurses' Home	875.00	
Water	2,353.13	
X-ray	3,791.20	
Clerks, O. P. D.	5,673.37	
Social Service	1,699.63	
Gas and electricity	5,617.54	
Telephone	1,517.95	
Refrigeration	2,940.48	
School of Nursing	1,838.02	
Laundry	1,168.49	
Pathology	819.35	
Sundries	3,882.58	
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Deficit	26,664.46	
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	\$166,979.25	\$166,979.25

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BOSTON, MASS., February 11, 1918.

We certify that the above statement of Income and Expenditures for the year ending December 31, 1917 is a true exhibit of the accounts and, in our opinion, correctly sets forth the operations for the period stated, as shown by the books.

HARVEY S. CHASE & Co.,
Certified Public Accountants.

Balance Sheet — December 31, 1917

	Dr.	Cr.
Capital		\$1,368,911.65
Cash	\$33,560.90	
Real estate (land and buildings)	843,562.11	
Insurance prepaid	550.82	
Furniture	22,025.17	
George S. Hyde Fund		8,625.88
George S. Hyde Fund Investment	8,755.39	
Elizabeth C. Ware Fund		23,676.08
Elizabeth C. Ware Fund Investment	22,568.51	
Caroline I. Downes Fund		51,314.00
Caroline I. Downes Fund Investment	51,000.00	
Eugene T. Farnham Fund		5,104.00
Amy Peabody Fund		50,000.00
Amy Peabody Fund Investment	50,113.75	
Harriet W. Taber Fund		2,584.48
Harriet W. Taber Fund Investment	2,604.58	
John D. W. Joy Fund		5,000.00
John D. W. Joy Fund Investment	5,000.00	
John Parker Townsend Fund		3,000.00
John Parker Townsend Fund Investment	3,000.00	
Helen G. Coburn Fund		49,900.50
Helen G. Coburn Fund Investment	49,891.25	
Charles H. Draper Fund		23,934.12
Charles H. Draper Fund Investment	23,448.70	
J. C. Melvin, Jr., Fund		5,000.00
J. C. Melvin, Jr., Fund Investment	4,875.00	
Joseph W. Leighton Fund		12,000.00
Joseph W. Leighton Fund Investment	12,000.00	
Mrs. Jerome Jones Fund		9,935.95
Mrs. Jerome Jones Fund Investment	10,079.25	
Jaynes Fund		11,447.00
Jaynes Fund Investment	11,826.58	
Laura A. Brown Fund		9,957.05
Laura A. Brown Fund Investment	9,962.50	
Eliza J. Bell Draper Fund		1,000.00
Eliza J. Bell Draper Fund Investment	981.25	
<i>Carried forward</i>	\$1,165,806.76	\$1,691,390.71

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	<i>Dr.</i>	<i>Cr.</i>
<i>Brought forward</i>	\$1,165,806.76	\$1,691,390.71
Frank Davison Rust Memorial Fund No. 1		6,200.00
Frank Davison Rust Memorial Fund Investment No. 1	5,983.75	
Frank Davison Rust Memorial Fund No. 2.		4,000.00
Frank Davison Rust Memorial Fund Investment No. 2	3,935.00	
Maria Frances Copenhagen and Sarah Winter Copenhagen Fund		5,000.00
Maria Frances Copenhagen and Sarah Winter Copenhagen Fund Investment	4,918.75	
Harriet Otis Cruft Fund		20,000.00
Harriet Otis Cruft Fund Investment	19,327.00	
Maria D. Lockwood Trust Fund		5,109.27
Maria D. Lockwood Trust Fund Investment	4,875.00	
Kate Knowlton Foote Fund		2,245.00
Kate Knowlton Foote Fund Investment	2,245.00	
William Hilton Fund		4,510.74
William Hilton Fund Investment	2,000.00	
Marjorie Forbes Fund		2,300.00
Marjorie Forbes Fund Investment	1,916.89	
Wallace L. Pierce Fund		29,830.59
Wallace L. Pierce Fund Investment	29,830.59	
General Funds Investments	479,917.83	
Restricted Funds		103,000.00
Restricted Funds Investment	102,830.74	
	\$1,823,586.31	\$1,823,586.31

BOSTON, MASS., February 11, 1918.

We certify that the foregoing balance sheet correctly sets forth the financial condition of the Children's Hospital as shown by the books at the close of business December 31, 1917.

HARVEY S. CHASE & CO.,
Certified Public Accountants.

Report of the Medical Staff

For the Year ending December 31, 1917

Hospital

Remaining by last report		114
Admitted:		
Surgical	955	
Medical	702	
Orthopedic	739	
Throat	891	
Total Admitted	<u> </u>	3,287
Treated		3,401
Discharged		3,289
Remaining		112
Hospital Days		43,647
Daily Average		121
Whole Number Treated to January 1, 1918		44,454

Number of Operations

Surgical	864
Orthopedic	428
Throat	<u>1,132</u>
Total Number of Operations	2,424

Out-Patient Department

New cases:	
Medical	3,921
Surgical	1,981
Orthopedic	939
Lateral Curvature	55
Paralytic Cases	56
Infantile Cases	296
Nerve	378
Throat	1,570
Gynecological	<u>46</u>
Total number of new cases treated	9,242

Whole Number of Visits:

Medical	15,871
Surgical	6,338

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Whole Number of Visits—*Continued*

Orthopedic	6,911
Lateral Curvature	3,455
Paralytic Cases	5,411
Infantile Cases	3,805
Nerve	871
Throat	2,619
Gynecological	156
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Total Number of Visits	45,437

Social Service Department

New Cases	868
Whole Number of Visits	2,118

Medical Department

IN the last report it was stated that there was but little opportunity for further growth in the number of patients treated in the Medical Wards until the department had a greater number of beds at its disposal. Nevertheless, with no increase in the number of beds, nearly fifteen per cent more patients were treated in the wards by the Medical Department last year than in 1916. In order to do this, however, and to keep beds available for acute and urgent cases, it was necessary to discharge many of the children suffering from subacute and chronic diseases sooner than was advisable. The conditions at the Convalescent Home are unfortunately at present such that it is impossible to transfer to it children ill with chronic conditions requiring special diet and care. It does not, therefore, relieve the medical wards in the same way that it does the surgical and orthopedic. It is to be hoped that in the future, conditions will be so changed there, that it will be of the same value to the medical service of the hospital that it is to the others.

Investigations as to the etiology and treatment of chorea and the chemistry of nephritis have been carried on during the year. The study of the relation of protein sensitization to asthma, eczema, and other conditions has also been continued. The patients in the medical wards are now, as in the past, being as well taken care of and as carefully studied as is possible in a hospital not provided with a resident laboratory staff and a complete modern laboratory and scientific equipment. As a matter of fact, it is probable that the patients suffer but little from the lack of these facilities. The hospital is, however, on this account, not doing what it might do to advance the knowledge of children and their diseases and to train students and physicians. It does not do the kind of work which it should and cannot do it until these defects are remedied.

The admirable organization of the out-patient staff has been considerably interfered with by the loss of men as the

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result of the war, four of the physicians having already gone. Those that are left have done more than double duty, however, and the clinic has not suffered. The number of new patients coming to the Medical Out-patient Department during the year diminished a little, presumably because of the restriction of immigration due to the war. The number of visits made by the patients increased, however, showing that they were thoroughly satisfied with their treatment. The total number of new patients treated was 3,921 and the number of visits made by the patients was 15,871. One day in September there were 186 patients. If more of the out-patient physicians leave to enter the medical service of the army, as seems probable, it will become increasingly difficult to give the out-patients the treatment which they deserve, especially as it is probable that the number of patients will increase because of the poverty which is likely to be caused by the war. It is hoped that this need can be met, when it arises, by calling in old alumni to help, each one giving as much time as he can spare. The out-patient physicians have been much helped during the past year by a corps of young women who have worked voluntarily in the clinic. Their assistance will be of even more value, indeed, absolutely necessary, during the coming year.

Special investigations are being carried on in the Out-Patient Department in relation to enuresis, pyelitis and congenital syphilis. The class for little girls suffering from valvular heart disease has been continued, and a new one is to be started.

The close connection between the Medical Department of the Children's Hospital and the Department of Pediatrics of the Harvard Medical School has continued, all but two or three of the youngest members of the staff being members of the Pediatric Department of the Medical School. A section of the fourth class of the Harvard Medical School spends every morning in the Medical Out-Patient Department and assists the out-patient physicians in the care of the patients. This same section spends one afternoon a week in the wards under one of the older physicians. A section of the third class spends two mornings a week in the wards under the oversight and instruction of one of the physicians, while in the latter part of the year several sections of the second class come to the hospital each week for instruction.

The number of graduate students coming to the Children's Hospital to study Pediatrics dropped off very materially soon

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT

after war was declared and it is not likely that many will come until the war is over. Thus far it has been possible to secure satisfactory house officers, in spite of the war. As the demands for physicians for the army increase, it is going to become more and more difficult to get them and consequently more and more difficult to take proper care of the patients.

The association of the clinical staff with the members of the visiting staff representing the laboratory branches, which is closer in this than in almost any other hospital, has continued to be of the greatest advantage to the clinical staff and to the work of the hospital. This association has been even closer in the past year than previously and bids fair to continue to benefit in the future, as it has in the past, the scientific work of the hospital.

Medical Diseases Treated in the Out-Patient Department

Congenital Malformations

Atresia of vagina	1	
Cleft palate	3	
Hare lip	1	
Spina bifida	1	
Tongue tie	4	
	10	

Diseases of the Newborn

Pulmonary atelectasis	1	
Icterus neonatorum	1	
Pemphigus neonatorum	1	
Sclerema neonatorum	1	
Prematurity	4	
Umbilical papilloma	1	
	9	

Diseases of Nutrition

Inanition	291	
Rachitis	148	
Scorbutus	45	
	484	

Diseases of Nose, Throat, Larynx and Trachea

Epistaxis	19
Deviated septum	3
Adenoids	119
Nasopharyngitis	572

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Diseases of Nose, Throat, Larynx and Trachea — *Continued*

Retropharyngeal abscess	6
Peritonsillar abscess	3
Pharyngeal cyst	1
Chronic hypertrophy of tonsils and adenoids	273
" " " tonsils	184
Tonsillitis	246
Laryngitis	21
Frontal sinusitis	2
Tracheitis	2
Tracheal stenosis	1

1,452

Diseases of the Digestive Tract

Difficult dentition	50
Carious teeth	124
Pyorrhea alveolaris	5
Stomatitis	76
Geographic tongue	2
Regulation of feeding	742
Pyloric spasm	16
Pyloric stenosis	14
Gastroptosis	2
Nervous vomiting	2
Recurrent vomiting	5
Visceral transposition	1
Indigestion, general	387
" overfeeding	17
" fat	42
" carbohydrate	96
" protein	6
" with fermentation	115
Infectious diarrhea	31
Appendicitis	16
Foreign body in gastro-intestinal tract	1
Constipation	200
Prolapse of rectum	4
Fissure in ano	6
Recto-vaginal fistula	1
Hemorrhoids	1
Rectal polyp	1
Intestinal parasites	58
Infectious jaundice	17
Peritonitis, general	1
Retroperitoneal adenitis	2
Umbilical hernia	37
Inguinal "	34

2,112

Diseases of Bronchi, Lungs, and Pleura

Asthma	44
Bronchitis	340

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Pneumonia, lobar	51
“ broncho-	16
Abscess of lung	1
Gangrene of lung.	1
Pleurisy, dry	2
“ serous	5
“ purulent	24
Thickened pleura	1
Tracheobronchial adenitis	10

495

Diseases of the Circulatory System

Congenital heart disease	28
Functional heart disease	8
Acute endocarditis	14
Chronic valvular disease	130
Myocarditis	3
Pericarditis, dry	1
Anemia	35
Acute hemolysis	1

220

Diseases of the Genito-Urinary System

Nephritis, acute	32
“ chronic	38
Perinephritic abscess	1
Sarcoma of kidney	2
Pyelitis	130
Cystitis	7
Vulvovaginitis	22
Balanitis	7
Polyuria	8
Dysuria	2
Hyperacidity of urine	3
Enuresis	152
Oxaluria	4
Bacilluria	1
Phimosis	47
Hydrocele	6
Undescended testicle	3
Malposition of ovary	1
Dysmenorrhea	1

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Specific Infectious Diseases

Typhoid fever	6
Rheumatic “	46
Malaria	5
Influenza	1
Congenital syphilis	87
Septicemia	2
Scarlet fever	4

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Specific Infectious Diseases—*Continued*

Diphtheria, faucial	19
" nasal	14
Measles	23
German measles	8
Whooping cough	108
Mumps	23
Chicken pox	35

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Tuberculosis

Pulmonary	88
Miliary	8
Peritonitis	22
Dactylitis	1
Tuberculosis of mesenteric glands	1
" " kidney	1
" " hip	3

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Diseases of the Nervous System

Amyotonia congenita	2
Backward speech	3
Cerebral injury	1
" syphilis	4
" tumor	6
Chorea	92
Concussion of brain	1
Eclampsia	2
Epilepsy	33
Encephalitis	2
Feeble-mindedness	33
Friedreich's ataxia	1
Habit spasm	15
Headache	5
Hydrocephalus	11
Idiocy, unclassified	5
" amaurotic	2
" Mongolian	15
Meningitis, meningococcus	10
" tuberculosis	11
Microcephalus	8
Migraine	4
Neuralgia	11
Neurasthenia	4
Neurosis	1
Nervous shock	1
Night terrors	9
Paralysis, facial	2
" infantile	20
" obstetrical	8
" post-diphtheritic	10

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT

Paralysis, spastic	12
Reflex convulsions	26
Spasmophilia	29
Syncope	1
Trichotillomania	1

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Diseases of the Skin

Acne	3
Alopecia areata	11
Cellulitis	6
Chilblains	3
Dermatitis	29
" venenata	28
Dyshidrosis	1
Eczema	314
Erysipelas	1
Erythema	8
Favus	1
Folliculitis	1
Frost bite	1
Furunculosis	64
Herpes	7
Ichthyosis	3
Impetigo contagiosa	195
Insect bites	11
Intertrigo	29
Lupus	4
Molluscum contagiosa	1
Naevus	5
Papilloma	1
Paronychia	3
Pediculosis capitis	37
Pemphigus	3
Pityriasis alba	1
" rosea	9
Pompholyx	1
Prickly heat	3
Psoriasis	6
Ringworm	26
Scabies	23
Schorrhea capitis	28
Scrofuloderma	1
Sunburn	1
Urticaria	58
Warts	1
Wen	2

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Diseases of the Bones, Joints, and Muscles

Infectious arthritis	6
Synovitis	1

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Diseases of the Bones, Joints, and Muscles — *Continued*

Epiphysitis	4
Scoliosis	9
Periostitis	1
Torticollis	4
Ganglion	1
Flat foot	15
Bow legs	2
Club foot	2
Sprain of ankle	1
Diastasis recti	1
Sarcoma of jaw	1
Fracture of clavicle	3
" " humerus	2
" " radius and ulna	1
" " ulna	1
Colles' fracture	1

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Diseases of the Ear

Foreign body in ear	1
Otitis media	347
Cerumen	9
Mastoiditis	8
Aural vertigo	1

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Diseases of the Eye

Blepharitis	10
Chalazion	3
Conjunctivitis	40
Congenital cataract	1
Cyst of eyelid	1
Eyestrain	6
Keratitis	3
Strabismus	4
Stricture of tear duct	1
Hordeolum	14
Trauma to eye	1
Tuberculous corneal opacity	1

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Unclassified

Abscesses, unclassified	31
Acid intoxication	6
Anaphylaxis	9
Angioneurotic edema	4
Adenitis, axillary	2
" cervical	98
" inguinal	2
Burns	2
Contusion of hip	2
Cretinism	9

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Delayed development	2	
Delicate child	16	
Diabetes mellitus	4	
Enlarged thymus	2	
Goitre	1	
Hematoma	3	
Masturbation	5	
Obesity	1	
Poisoning, morphia and atropin	1	
" lead	1	
Purpura	5	
Septic wounds	3	
Status lymphaticus	1	
Vaccination	365	
No disease	106	
Maternal apprehension	3	
Eloped	8	
Referred to other departments or hospitals	34	
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Total		8,316
New Cases	3,921	
Secondary Diagnosis	4,395	
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Medical Diseases Treated in the Wards

Congenital Malformations

Spina bifida	2
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Diseases of Nutrition

Inanition	2
Rachitis	8
Chondrodystrophy	1

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Diseases of the Nose, Throat, and Larynx

Epistaxis	2
Adenoids	3
Nasopharyngitis	18
Retropharyngeal abscess	1
Chronic hypertrophy of tonsils and adenoids	9
Chronic hypertrophy of tonsils	1
Tonsillitis	2

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Diseases of the Digestive Tract

Alveolar abscess	1
Difficult dentition	1
Carious teeth	3

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Diseases of the Digestive Tract—*Continued*

Regulation of feeding	20
Foreign body in esophagus	1
Esophageal stricture	1
Recurrent vomiting	2
Indigestion, general	7
“ overfeeding	2
“ fat	5
“ carbohydrate	3
“ with fermentation	1
Infectious diarrhea	15
Appendicitis	6
Intestinal stasis	1
“ band	2
Constipation	6
Tape worm	2
Infectious jaundice	6
Peritonitis, pneumococci	1
Rectal polyp	1

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Diseases of the Bronchi, Lungs, and Pleura

Asthma	41
Bronchitis	35
Pneumonia, dry	74
“ broncho-	5
Lung abscess	2
Pleurisy, dry	4
“ serous	11
“ purulent	11
Thickened pleura	1
Tracheobronchial adenitis	1

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Diseases of the Circulatory System

Congenital heart disease	8
Acute endocarditis	19
Chronic valvular disease	74
Myocarditis	3
Pericarditis, dry	8
“ adhesive	1
“ serous	2
“ purulent	1
Anemia	8
Specific endarteritis	1
Acute hemolysis	1
Cerebral embolism	1
Hemophilia	2

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Diseases of the Genito-Urinary System

Nephritis, acute	18
“ chronic	23

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT

Renal stone	1
Sarcoma of kidney	1
Pyelitis	35
Cystitis	3
Hyperacidity of urine	1
Enuresis	5
Epididymitis, acute	1

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Specific Infectious Diseases

Typhoid fever	8
Rheumatic "	9
Malaria	1
Influenza	1
Congenital syphilis	10
Septicemia	1
Scarlet fever	2
Diphtheria, nasal	1

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Tuberculosis

Pulmonary	13
Miliary	4
Peritonitis	8
Pleurisy	1
Tuberculosis of spine	1
" " hip	1
" " tracheobronchial glands	2

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Diseases of the Nervous System

Chorea	46
Cerebral tumor	7
" thrombosis	1
" cyst	1
Epilepsy	9
Feeble-mindedness	5
Friedreich's ataxia	1
Habit spasm	1
Idiocy, Mongolian	3
Meningitis, meningococcus	17
" pneumococcus	3
" syphilitic	1
" tuberculous	19
Neuritis	2
Neurosis	2
Poliomyeloencephalitis	12
Paralysis, spastic	2
" post-diphtheritic	7
Reflex convulsions	6
Spasmophilia	1
Tumor of cauda equina	1

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Diseases of the Skin

Eczema	9
Dermatitis herpetiformis	1
Impetigo contagiosa	2

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Diseases of the Bones, Joints, and Muscles

Infectious arthritis	2
Osteomyelitis of hip	1
Relaxed sacro-iliac joint	1
Sprengel's deformity	1
Synovitis of knee.	1

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Diseases of the Ear

Otitis media	36
Mastoiditis	1

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Diseases of the Eye

Conjunctivitis	2
Corneal ulcer	1
Hordeolum	1

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Unclassified

Acid intoxication	2
Adenitis, cervical.	1
Diabetes mellitus	8
Masturbation	1
Morphine and atropin poisoning	1
Purpura	7
Toxic edema.	1
No disease	13
Transferred to Surgical Department	2

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Total 843

New Cases 702

Secondary Diagnosis 141

843

Surgical Department

THE Surgical Service has felt the effects of the war considerably. Half of its members are on active duty with the United States Army. The service misses particularly the wise counsel and judgment of its head, Dr. James S. Stone, who left in September, and also feels keenly the absence of Dr. Charles G. Mixter and Dr. Torr W. Harmer, both of whom are overseas.

In spite of the depleted staff, however, the Surgical Department has treated a larger number of both ward and out-door patients than ever before in the history of the hospital. It is gratifying that under these conditions the mortality has been the lowest for any year since moving into the new buildings.

The simplification of the operation of transfusion, with an increase in the knowledge of its therapeutic value, has led to its being used twice as frequently this year than in any previous year, and has resulted in the saving of several lives.

Empyema following pneumonia, a disease found more commonly in children who live in poor hygienic surroundings, has always had a very high mortality. Study of the histories of the fatal cases caused us a year ago to change the method of operating and handling these cases. A marked drop in the mortality resulted, and if this lower death rate continues, we shall consider that a marked advance in treating this disease has been attained. Pyloric stenosis, a condition found in infants which prevents the food from passing out of the stomach, continues to be satisfactorily treated by pylorotomy which has come to replace the more complicated operation of gastroenterostomy formerly practiced for the relief of this condition.

Patients with hare-lip and cleft palate have come to this hospital during the year from not only all the New England States, but also from other states and Canada as well, which shows the gratitude felt for the relief of this disfiguring malformation. Eighty-four such cases were treated during the year. A large number of patients with glandular enlargements, especially in the neck, come to the hospital for the relief which

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surgery affords them. Proximity to the Medical School and coöperation with the laboratory departments are stimulating to the study of these as well as of the other rarer diseases.

The teaching of fourth-year students and of graduate students from the Harvard Medical School continues as in previous years. A chart showing the growth of the surgical department for the last five years and the statistical table follow.

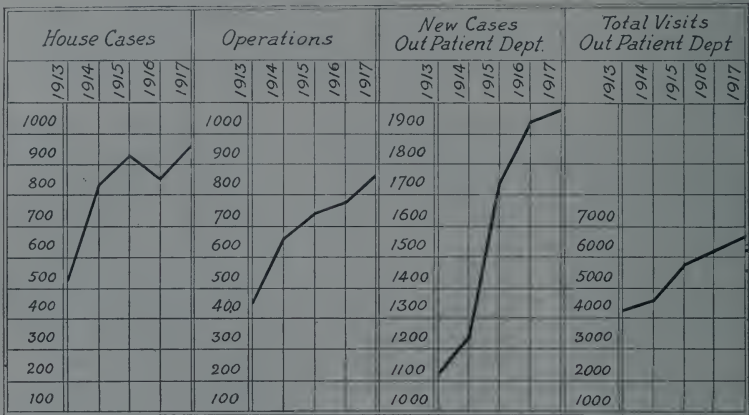


Chart showing growth of the Surgical Department.

SURGICAL DEPARTMENT

Surgical Diseases Treated in the Out-Patient Department

Respiratory System

Empyema	22
Bronchitis	1
Pneumonia, lobar	2
Lung abscess	1
Pleurisy with effusion	1
Deviated septum	2
Nasal polyp	1

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Alimentary System

Stomatitis	2
Cariou teeth	3
Chronic hypertrophy of tonsils	3
Chronic hypertrophy of tonsils and adenoids	11
Tonsillitis	1
Peritonsillar abscess	2
Retropharyngeal abscess	6
Regulation of feeding	1
Pyloric stenosis	3
Indigestion	1
Appendicitis	54
Abdominal abscess	2
Intussusception	2
Foreign body in intestinal tract	5
Constipation	4
Ischiorectal abscess	6
Perirectal abscess	1
Rectal polyp.	2
" fissure	2
Recto-vaginal fistula	1
Prolapse of rectum	16
Fissure in ano	6
Stricture of anus	6
Post-operative pneumococcus peritonitis	1
Tuberculous peritonitis	2
Retroperitoneal abscess	2

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Genito-Urinary System

Nephritis	2
Perinephritic abscess	1
Pyelitis	3
Enuresis	1
Oliguria	1
Vulvovaginitis	1

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Genito-Urinary System — *Continued*

Balanitis	4
Phimosis	217
Preputial adhesions	31
Adhesions of clitoris	4
" " labia minora	1
Hydrocele	38
Undescended testes	14
Orchitis	1
Orchitis, tuberculous	1
Hypertrophy of breast	1
Abscess " "	1
Mastitis	1

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Nervous System

Chorea	1
Petit mal	1
Intercostal neuralgia	1
Defective speech	1
Paralysis, infantile	1
" obstetrical	5
" facial	1
Hydrocephalus	2

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Lymphatic System

Lymphadenitis, axillary	4
" cervical	202
" " with abscess	52
" " " tonsils and adenoids	2
" " " cellulitis	1
" epitrochlear	1
" femoral	1
" " with abscess	1
" iliac	3
" inguinal	19
Lymphangioma of cheek	1

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Skin and Cellular Tissues

Callous	2
Condyloma	1
Contractures from burns	5
Dermatitis	2
Eczema	2
Furunculosis	27
Impetigo contagiosa	4
Ingrowing toe-nail	1
Insect bite	1
Lupus	2
Mole	3
Papilloma of face	1

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Papilloma of lip	2
“ “ tongue	1
“ “ chest	1
“ “ toe	2
Paronychia	9
Warts	6
Sebaceous cyst	5

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Osseous System

Alveolar abscess	12
Ankylosis of jaw	1
Arthritis, rheumatoid	1
Epiphysitis of femur	1
Dactylitis	1
Exostosis of os calcis	1
“ “ radius	1
Necrosis of skull	1
Osteomyelitis of jaw	1
“ “ femur	2
“ “ ankle	1
Tuberculosis of spine	1
“ “ hip	1
“ “ knee	1

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Cardio-Vascular System

Hemophilia	1
Leukemia	1
Telangiectasis	1

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General Injuries

Abrasions	38
Burns of face and mouth	2
“ “ upper extremity	10
“ “ lower “	1
“ “ trunk	3
“ multiple	2
Foreign body in eye	1
“ “ “ ear	1
“ “ “ face	3
“ “ “ hand	2
“ “ “ finger	3
“ “ “ leg	2
“ “ “ foot	6
“ “ “ toe	1
Dog bite	4
Cat bite	1
Concussion of brain	1
Contusions	48
Dactylitis (traumatic)	1

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General Injuries—*Continued*

Dislocation of elbow	3
“ “ thumb	2
Fracture of skull	3
“ “ “ and femur	1
“ “ nose	3
“ “ clavicle	40
“ “ radius	10
“ “ radius and ulna	9
“ “ humerus	27
“ “ ulna	5
“ “ “ with impaction of radius	1
“ “ olecranon	1
“ “ finger	2
“ “ ribs (old)	1
“ and impaction of cervical vertebrae	1
“ of femur	25
“ “ tibia	12
“ “ “ and fibula	2
“ “ fibula	3
“ “ os calcis and crush of foot	1
“ “ toe	1
“ “ metacarpal	1
Colles' fracture	3
Frost bite	2
Hematoma	13
Sprain of neck muscles	1
“ “ shoulder	3
“ “ elbow	2
“ “ wrist	3
“ “ arm	5
“ “ foot	1
“ “ ankle	7

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Muscles, Tendons and Fascia

Atonia of abdominal muscles	1
Ganglion of thumb	1
Prepatellar bursitis	2
Teno-synovitis of wrist	1
“ “ “ knee	1
Tuberculosis of fascia of thigh	1
Weak muscles	1

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Hernia

Inguinal	203
“ “ and umbilical	6
“ “ hydrocele	6
“ “ undescended testes	3
Umbilical	57
“ “ and hydrocele	1
Strangulated	1

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Scrotal	3
Epigastric	1
Ventral	2
Enterocoele	1

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Congenital Malformations

Atresia of anus	3
" " " with fistula	1
" " vagina	1
Branchial cyst	1
Congenital malformation of ear	3
" " " fingers	1
" " " ribs	1
" " " generative organs	1
Cleft palate	13
Contracture of fingers	1
Depressed skull	1
Hare lip	9
" " and cleft palate	18
Hypospadias	16
" simulating hermaphroditism	1
Meningocele	1
Spina bifida	5
" " with hydrocephalus	1
Supernumerary antitragus of ear	1
" thumb	1
Syndactylism	3
Thyroglossal cyst	2
Tongue tie	12
Undeveloped genitalia	1

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Tumors

Hemangiomata and naevi	56
Cephalhematoma	3
Cyst of eyelid	1
Dermoid cyst	1
Fibroma of buttock	1
" molluscum	1
Lipoma of scalp	1
" " arm	1
" " leg	1
Ranula	6.
Sarcoma of neck	1
Tumor of elbow	1
Umbilical polyp	1

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Diseases of the Ear and Eye

Cerumen	2
Mastoiditis	1
Otitis media	7

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Diseases of the Eye and Ear — *Continued*

Conjunctivitis	2
Cyst of lachrymal duct	1
Chalazion	3

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Infections

Abscess of head, face and neck	31
“ “ upper extremity	5
“ “ lower “	12
“ “ trunk	10
“ “ axilla “	1
Multiple abscesses	3
Cellulitis	12
Erysipelas	4
Omphalitis	5
Wounds of head, face, and mouth	50
“ “ trunk	5
“ “ upper extremity	55
“ “ lower “	25

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General Diseases

Rickets	1
Scorbutus	2
Spasm of elbow	1
No disease	13
Apprehension	10
Not examined	10
Transferred to other departments or hospitals	17

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Total	1,981
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SURGICAL DEPARTMENT

Surgical Diseases Treated in the Hospital Wards

Surgical Diseases	Treated	Discharged Well or Relieved	Discharged Unrelieved	Discharged Untreated	Discharged to Other Depts. or Hospitals	Dead	Remaining
Respiratory System							
Empyema	46	32	..	..	I	6	7
“ and pneumonia	3	2	..	..	..	I	..
Pneumonia, lobar	4	I	..	..	I	2	..
“ broncho-	2	..	..	..	..	2	..
Lung abscess	2	..	..	I	..	I	..
Pleurisy, serous	4	2	2	..	..	..	..
Bronchitis	I	I	..	..	..	..	..
Congenital stridor	I	I	..	..	..	..	..
Alimentary System							
Ludwig's angina	I	..	..	..	..	I	..
Chronic hypertrophy of tonsils and adenoids	7	7	..	..	..	..	..
Oesophageal stricture	2	2	..	..	..	..	..
Retropharyngeal abscess	5	5	..	..	..	..	..
Regulation of feeding	4	3	..	..	I	..	..
Indigestion	2	2	..	..	..	..	..
Pyloric stenosis	9	6	..	..	..	3	..
Acute appendicitis	25	23	I	..	..	..	I
“ “ with abscess	23	18	..	..	..	3	2
“ “ peritonitis	3	3	..	..	..	..	..
Chronic appendicitis	33	29	I	2	..	..	I
Appendicitis with inguinal hernia	6	6	..	..	..	..	..
Peritonitis, general	2	I	..	..	..	I	..
“ pneumococcic	I	I	..	..	..	..	..
“ tuberculous	10	8	I	..	..	I	..
“ tuberculous with abdominal fistula	I	..	..	..	..	I	..
Retroperitoneal abscess	2	I	..	..	..	..	I
Intussusception	14	5	..	..	..	9	..
Colitis with broncho pneumonia	I	I	..
Intestinal obstruction	I	I	..
Adhesions with stricture of bowel	I	I

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Surgical Diseases	Treated	Discharged Well or Relieved	Discharged Unrelieved	Discharged Untreated	Discharged to Other Depts. or Hospitals	Dead	Remaining
<i>Alimentary System — Continued</i>							
Ulceration of Intestine	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Constipation	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Ascites	1	..	1	..	..	..	..
Rectal polyp	4	4	..	..	..	..	..
Stricture of rectum	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Recto-vaginal fistula	2	1	1	..	..	..	..
Ischiorectal abscess	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Prolapse of rectum	11	11	..	..	..	..	..
Stricture of anus	2	2	..	..	..	..	..
Fistula in ano	5	5	..	..	..	..	..
<i>Genito-Urinary System</i>							
Nephritis with epididymitis	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Perinephritic abscess	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Acute retention	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Pyelitis	2	2	..	..	..	..	..
Edema of penis	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Adhesions of clitoris	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Phimosis	3	3	..	..	..	..	..
“ and balanitis	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Hydrocele	17	15	..	1	..	..	1
Orchitis	2	2	..	..	..	..	..
Undescended testes	14	10	..	4	..	..	..
<i>Lymphatic System</i>							
Lymphadenitis, axillary	2	1	1	..	..	..	..
“ cervical	52	48	1	2	..	1	..
“ “ with abscess	16	16	..	..	..	..	..
“ “ with abscess . . . . .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
“ and tonsils and adenoids	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
“ cervical with Scarlet Fever	1	..	..	..	1	..	..
“ femoral	4	4	..	..	..	..	..
“ iliac	2	..	1	..	..	..	1
“ inguinal	2	2	..	..	..	..	..
“ mesenteric	2	2	..	..	..	..	..
“ “ with abscess	1	1
Preauricular glands	1	1
Hodgkins disease	3	2	1
Lymphangioma	1	1

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Surgical Diseases	Treated	Discharged Well or Relieved	Discharged Unrelieved	Discharged Untreated	Discharged to Other Depts. or Hospitals	Dead	Remaining
Cardio-Vascular System							
Anemia	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Lymphatic leukemia	1	..	1	..	..	..	..
Hemorrhage of newborn	9	5	..	..	..	4	..
" post-operative	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
" subdural	1	..	..	..	..	1	..
Hemophilia	9	7	..	..	..	2	..
Purpura	4	..	..	..	..	3	1
Skin and Cellular Tissues							
Contractures from burns	3	3	..	..	..	..	..
Furunculosis	2	1	..	..	..	..	1
Lupus	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Papilloma of tongue	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Osseous System							
Alveolar abscess	3	3	..	..	..	..	..
Arthritis	2	1	..	..	1	..	..
Exostosis of os calcis	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Osteomyelitis of skull	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
" " malar bone	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
" " jaw	2	2	..	..	..	..	..
" " spine	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
" " radius	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
" " femur	2	1	..	..	..	1	..
Tuberculosis of knee	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Nervous System							
Obstetrical paralysis	5	4	1	..	..	..	..
Spastic "	2	2	..	..	..	..	..
Hydrocephalus	4	3	1	..	..	..	..
Meningitis, tuberculous	2	..	..	..	..	2	..
Hernia							
Inguinal	194	186	1	5	..	1	1
" with hydrocele	12	11	..	1
" and ectopic testicle	1	1
" " umbilical	2	2

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Surgical Diseases	Treated	Discharged Well or Relieved	Discharged Unrelieved	Discharged Untreated	Discharged to Other Depts. or Hospitals	Dead	Remaining
<i>Hernia — Continued</i>							
Umbilical	15	14	..	1	..	..	..
Hernia in abdominal scar	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Congenital Malformations							
Oxycephalus	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Malformation of ear	2	2	..	..	..	..	..
Thyroglossal duct.	4	4	..	..	..	..	..
Cleft palate	42	33	5	3	..	1	..
Cleft palate and broncho-pneumonia	1	..	..	..	..	1	..
Hare lip	23	21	..	1	..	1	..
Hare lip and cleft palate	18	15	..	2	..	1	..
Hare lip, cleft palate and inguinal hernia	1	..	..	..	..	1	..
Branchial cyst	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Congenital cyst of kidney	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Spina bifida	6	5	..	..	..	1	..
Congenital dislocation of hip	1	..	1	..	..	..	..
“ amputation and absence of fingers.	1	..	1	..	..	..	..
Supernumerary thumb.	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Bifid thumb	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Syndactylism	6	6	..	..	..	..	..
Exstrophy of bladder	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ectopic testicle	2	2	..	..	..	..	..
Hypospadias	14	11	..	2	..	1	..
“ (hermaphrodite)	1	..	..	..	..	1	..
Malposition of rectum	1	..	1	..	..	..	..
“ “ anus	1	..	1	..	..	..	..
Atresia “ “	2	..	..	..	..	2	..
“ “ intestines.	1	..	..	..	..	1	..
Tumors							
Angioma	18	18	..	..	..	..	..
Cephalematoma	4	3	..	1	..	..	..
Cyst of cerebrum	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
“ “ neck	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Sublingual cyst	1	1
Fibroma of thigh	1	1
Haemolympangioma (septic)	1	1	..
Tumor of brain	7	4	..	1	1	1	..

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Surgical Diseases	Treated	Discharged Well or Relieved	Discharged Unrelieved	Discharged Untreated	Discharged to Other Depts. or Hospitals	Dead	Remaining
Tumor of spinal cord	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
“ “ frontal bone	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
“ “ face	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
“ “ arm	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
“ “ kidney	3	1	..	..	..	1	1
Sarcoma of liver	1	..	..	..	..	1	..
“ “ shoulder	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
“ “ femur	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Fibro-chondro-sarcoma of tibia	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Sarcoma	1	..	..	..	..	1	..
General Injuries							
Burns	7	6	..	..	..	..	1
Contusions	3	3	..	..	..	..	..
Foreign body in foot	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Fracture of skull	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
“ “ nose and skull	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
“ “ femur and skull	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
“ “ clavicle	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
“ “ clavicle, tibia and fibula	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
“ “ radius and ulna	2	2	..	..	..	..	..
“ “ humerus	6	6	..	..	..	..	..
“ “ ulna	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
“ “ femur	9	7	..	..	..	..	2
“ “ tibia	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
“ “ tibia and fibula	3	3	..	..	..	..	..
Old dislocation of humerus with circumflex paralysis	1	..	..	..	1	..	..
Hematoma	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Injury to spine	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Lacerated wound of tongue	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
“ “ “ gum	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Severed parotid duct	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Sunburn of back	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Tear of perineum	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Infections							
Abscess of scalp	1	1
Parotid abscess	2	2
Submaxillary abscess	1	1

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Surgical Diseases	Treated	Discharged Well or Relieved	Discharged Unrelieved	Discharged Untreated	Discharged to Other Depts. or Hospitals	Dead	Remaining
<i>Infections — Continued</i>							
Abscess of chest	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
“ “ shoulder	4	4	..	..	..	..	..
Iliac abscess	2	2	..	..	..	..	..
Abscess of buttock	4	4	..	..	..	..	..
“ “ perineum	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Epitrochlear abscess	2	2	..	..	..	..	..
Palmar	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Abscess of thigh	3	3	..	..	..	..	..
“ “ leg	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Popliteal abscess	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Abscess of arm with septicemia	1	..	..	..	..	1	..
Multiple abscesses with septicemia	1	..	..	..	..	1	..
Gangrenous stomatitis with septicemia	1	..	..	..	..	1	..
Multiple abscesses	2	1	..	..	..	1	..
Cellulitis of face	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
“ “ thigh	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Chronic sinus	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Erysipelas	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Gangrene of leg	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Omphalitis with general peritonitis	1	..	..	..	..	1	..
Pyemia	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Wounds of head, face, and mouth	2	2	..	..	..	..	..
“ “ upper extremity	9	9	..	..	..	..	..
“ “ lower “	4	4	..	..	..	..	..
“ “ trunk	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
<i>Muscles, Tendons, and Fascia</i>							
Diastasis of recti	1	..	..	1	..	..	..
Ganglion of popliteal space	2	2	..	..	..	..	..
Tuberculosis of fascia lata	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
<i>Diseases of the Ear</i>							
Chronic mastoiditis	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Otitis media	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
<i>General Diseases</i>							
Typhoid fever	1	..	..	..	1	..	..
Scarlet “	1	..	..	..	1	..	..
No diseases	7	4	..	3	..	..	..

SURGICAL DEPARTMENT

Total Cases Treated	955
Discharged Well or Relieved	796
Discharged Unrelieved	24
Discharged Untreated	32
Discharged to Other Departments of Hospitals	9
Dead	70
Remaining in Hospital	24

Orthopedic Department

THE work of the Orthopedic Department of the Children's Hospital for the last year has been to a certain extent modified from that of previous years by two factors. First, the Children's Hospital has played an important part in the treatment of the children affected with infantile paralysis in the summer of 1916, and second, of late the Hospital has been one of the centers selected for the intensive training of military surgeons in orthopedic surgery.

The clinic of the Harvard Infantile Paralysis Commission has been held at the Children's Hospital since November, 1916, and is now in its second year of usefulness. The work of this clinic is discussed more in detail in another part of the report. It has resulted in bringing to this hospital a large number of cases of infantile paralysis, and the proportion of such cases occurring in ward and out-patient work has been very materially increased. Certain contributions to our knowledge have accrued from this intensive study of the cases, and one of the efforts of the Department has been to make the accumulation of knowledge of the disease one of the features of the clinic. The treatment of the cases has been much more efficient than in former years, and the success of the enterprise as a whole is gratifying so far as the practical results to the patient are concerned.

Courses in muscle training for women who were to take charge of the after-care work of infantile paralysis have been given at the hospital, and graduates of this course are now employed in such distant states as Minnesota and Montana. This has been one factor which will tend to extend the influence and reputation of the Hospital, and the identification of the Hospital with the work on infantile paralysis is sure in the end to be an important addition to its usefulness. On account of the greatly increased burden of work thrown on the Hospital, it has not been possible to follow out the courses for the training of workers in infantile paralysis. This is very much to be regretted because there has been a very great demand for them

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by a large number of applicants from all over the country, but for the last few months the pressure which has existed in the Department has made it impossible to undertake this.

The second factor, the intensive training of military orthopedic surgeons, was taken up at the Hospital the first of October, and over eighty surgeons have already been detailed for a course given in part at the Hospital. The men are detailed to the Massachusetts General Hospital, the Harvard Medical School, and the Children's Hospital, spending part of their day in each institution, and daily instruction is given in the amphitheater of the Hospital. It is interesting that it has been possible to teach military orthopedic surgery on children, but it became evident after starting the course, which at first lasted four, then six, then eight weeks, that it was impossible to teach orthopedic surgery in that time, and all that could be hoped for was to teach the principles of orthopedic surgery. It was intended from the beginning to have the course fundamental in character, but on practical experience it became evident that it must be fundamental to the last degree. Children lend themselves very well to this form of teaching and it has proved possible to teach such principles very satisfactorily on children, principles which the men learn and are then able to apply on a wider scale. The fact that teaching of this character goes on at the Hospital practically every day from two to five has made quite a strain on the resources of the Hospital. The men are detailed to this work by the Surgeon General in Washington, and at the close of the course they are assigned to duty in the camps and elsewhere for practical experience before being sent to the Front. The experiment has been most interesting and helpful in broadening the usefulness and teaching capacity of the Hospital. This has emphasized the fact that the Hospital is in large measure a teaching hospital of the Harvard Medical School. The courses given to the third- and fourth-year students and graduates have proved satisfactory. The teaching to the graduates has fallen off very much, as in all institutions, inasmuch as graduate instruction is not looked for at present on account of the scarcity of medical men and the desire for intensive special training. Military teaching is, of course, graduate teaching, and on a very much larger scale than anything that the Hospital has previously undertaken.

With regard to the routine of the service, both in the outpatient department and in the wards, it has been thoroughly

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satisfactory and the usual standard has been maintained. The year has been less productive in the scientific way than previously, because of war conditions. One member of the staff, Dr. F. R. Ober, has been in active service in France since May, 1917. The Hospital has lost the services of Dr. Augustus Thorndike, who retired from work after having given many years of devoted service to the Hospital. In the last year the Hospital has also lost the services of Miss Sweeny, who was the physical director, and who was of great use to the Hospital. She resigned to take up work of a different character in another city and was succeeded by Miss Janet B. Merrill. Otherwise the Hospital has been able to maintain its personnel in large measure, although the intensive training of the military surgeons has made demands which have meant harder work for everyone on the staff, demands which have been cheerfully and efficiently complied with. The resident and house officers have proved particularly efficient and faithful, have not complained of hardship and overwork, and a word of commendation should be said for the nurses who have taken up an increased burden, induced by the war teaching, with willingness and have been of great use.

What the future holds in store for the Hospital in all its departments cannot be told. The time is one of transition in medicine, the military aspect is becoming very evident, and how the hospitals are to be utilized in the present war is still undetermined. It is hoped that the Children's Hospital will contribute its share in military work, and the fact that fifty per cent of the members of the active staff of the Hospital are now in military service shows a willingness and desire to share in the work of the war.

Lateral Curvature Clinic

THE work in the Scoliosis Clinic, as in the past, is carried on by the senior class of the Sargent School for Physical Education under the supervision of the Director. These students are now having a preliminary course in the theory of lateral curvature which renders their work more efficient. It has been found during the past year that there has been a considerable decrease in the number of new structural cases, possibly due to an earlier discovery of the deformity by the more thorough physical examination in the schools.

Statistics for 1917

New cases	74
Exercise cases	160
Number of removable jackets applied	22
Number of permanent jackets applied	47
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Total number of visits	3,536

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Orthopedic Diseases Treated in the Out-Patient Department

Congenital Malformations

Club foot, equino-varus	53
“ “ calcaneo-valgus	22
“ “ “ varus	1
Tilted os calcis	1
Atrophy of leg	1
Osteogenesis imperfecta	1
Macroductyly	1
Constriction bands of arm	1
Thoracic asymmetry	2
Elevation of scapula	1
Forward scapula	1
Dislocation of hip	21
Short femur and contracted knee	1
Contracture of hip	1
Scoliosis	2
Crumpled toe	1
Deformity of toe	1
Torticollis	12

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Rickets and Its Deformities

Rickets, generalized	104
“ of spine	3
“ with multiple fractures	4
“ bowlegs	128
“ knock-knees	39
“ bowlegs and knock-knees	13
“ coxa vara	1

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Tuberculosis

Tuberculosis of spine	36
“ “ spine and knee	1
“ “ spine and ankle	1
“ “ hip	25
“ “ knee	10
“ “ ankle	8
Multiple tuberculosis	1
“ tuberculous osteitis	1
Tuberculous dactylitis	1

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Deformities and Disabilities of Feet

Pronated foot	82
Weak “	3
Adduction of forefoot	2

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Acute foot strain	7
Valgus	1

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Disabilities Due to Injury or Disease

Old fracture of radius with secondary paralysis	1
“ “ “ humerus with deformity	1
“ “ “ “ “ dislocation of elbow	1
Fracture of humerus	4
Fracture dislocation epiphysis of humerus	1
“ of ulna	1
“ “ femur	3
“ “ tibia	3
Sprain of hip	1
“ “ knee	1
“ “ ankle	2
Sacro-iliac strain	1
Contusion of knee	1
“ “ leg	1
“ “ heel	1
“ “ foot	1
Dislocation of phalanges of thumb	1
“ “ hip, secondary to pneumonia	1
Severed tendon of finger	2
Septic periostitis	1
Periostitis of tibia	1
Syphilitic osteitis	1
Traumatic amputation of left lower leg	1
Torticollis, secondary to cervical adenitis	1
Infective torticollis	1
Subluxation of shoulder	1
Relaxed shoulder (traumatic)	1
Separation epiphysis of tibial tubercle	1
“ “ “ head of femur	1
Epiphysitis of femur	2
“ “ knee	1
“ “ tibia	1
“ “ ankle	1
“ “ os calcis	1
“ “ elbow	1
“ “ wrist and ankle	1

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Osteomyelitis

Osteomyelitis of radius	1
“ “ humerus	2
“ “ scapula	1
“ “ spine	1
“ “ vertebrae	1
“ “ ilium	1

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Osteomyelitis — *Continued*

Osteomyelitis of femur	6
“ “ knee	1
“ “ tibia	5
“ “ ankle	1

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Paralysis

Infantile paralysis	70
Obstetrical “	8
Spastic “	36
Post-diphtheritic paralysis	5
Progressive muscular dystrophy	1
Impaired mentality with paralysis of intention	1

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Synovitis

Synovitis of hip	8
“ “ knee	6
“ “ ankle	2

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Non-Tuberculous Arthritis

Infective arthritis of elbow	2
“ “ “ arm and thigh	1
“ “ “ knee	4
“ “ “ hip	4
“ “ “ spine	1
“ “ “ ankle	1
“ “ “ multiple	1
Infectious arthritis	2
Arthritis of hip secondary to typhoid fever	1
Osteochondral trophopathy	2
Still's disease	1

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Skin and Cellular Tissues

Cellulitis of leg	1
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Brain

Toxic encephalitis	1
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Unclassified

Abscess of elbow	1
Multiple abscesses	1
Backward development	2
Chondroma of toe	1
Coccygodynia	1
Exostosis of tibia	1
Hysteria	1
Intoeing	1

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Prepatellar bursitis	1
Protruding sternum	1
Poor musculature	2
Postural lordosis	1
Relaxed knees	1
Sclerema neonatorum	1
Scoliosis	24
Scorbutus	9
Syphilis of bone	1
Tumor of groin	1
Weak spine	1
Maternal apprehension	1
No disease	26
Eloped	7
Transferred to Other Departments of the Hospital	27
Deferred	6
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Total	939

Orthopedic Diseases Treated in the Wards

Congenital Deformities

Club foot, equino-varus	56
" " calcaneo-valgus	1
Claw foot	2
Absence of fibula	2
" " and digits	1
Malformation of fingers	1
Dislocation of hip	37
Short femur with contracted knee	1
Syndactylism of hands and feet and amniotic bands	1
Amniotic bands	1
Multiple congenital deformities	5
Dislocation of lumbar vertebrae	1
Spina bifida	5
Torticollis	6
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Rickets and its Deformities

Rickets, generalized	15
" of spine	1
" bowlegs	28
" knock-knees	25
" bowlegs and knock-knees	8
" with multiple fractures	1
Coxa vara	5
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Deformities of Feet

Pronated foot	3
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Disabilities Due to Injury or Disease

Fracture of humerus	5
" " femur	8
Epiphysitis of femur	1
" " tibia	1
" " leg	1
" " ankle and wrist	1
" " elbow	1
Severed flexor tendon	1
Syphilitic osteitis	1
Subluxation of shoulder	1
Old dislocation of humerus with circumflex paralysis	1
Dislocation of wrist secondary to osteomyelitis	1
Torticollis secondary to cervical adenitis	1
Sacro-iliac strain	2

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Osteomyelitis

Osteomyelitis of radius	1
" " humerus	3
" " ulna	1
" " femur	26
" " " and ilium	1
" " " " ulna	2
" " " " humerus	1
" " tibia	10
" " " and fibula	1
" " fibula	2
" " astragalus	1
" " metatarsal	2
" " ilium	2
" multiple	2
Tuberculous osteomyelitis of femur	1
" " " tibia	2

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Paralysis

Infantile paralysis	186
Obstetrical "	9
Spastic "	36
Post-diphtheritic paralysis	1
Muscular dystrophy	1
Paralysis of forearm, secondary to fracture of radius	1

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Tuberculosis

Tuberculosis of spine	75
" " ilium	1
" " hip	54
" " hip and knee	1
" " knee	8
" " " and spine	1

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Tuberculosis of ankle	4	
" " metatarsal	1	
" " multiple	1	
Multiple tuberculous osteitis	1	
		147
Synovitis		
Synovitis of ankle		1
Non-Tuberculous Arthritis		
Infective arthritis of elbow	1	
" " hip	13	
" " knee	3	
" " shoulder	1	
Infectious arthritis of hip with dislocation	4	
Arthritis of hip secondary to typhoid fever	1	
		23
Skin and Cellular Tissues		
Cellulitis of back	1	
" " leg	2	
		3
Unclassified		
Abscess of foot	1	
" " back	1	
Appendicitis with abscess	1	
" acute	1	
Burns, multiple	1	
Bone cyst of humerus	1	
Contracture of hips and knees	1	
Exostosis of scapula	1	
Foreign body in knee	1	
Hysterical spine	1	
Myelitis (transverse)	1	
Multiple sclerosis	1	
Osteo-chondro-sarcoma of femur	1	
Sarcoma of femur	1	
Popliteal bursitis	1	
Scoliosis	19	
Scorbutus	2	
Syphilis	1	
Tuberculous meningitis	1	
No disease	3	
		41
Total		739

Harvard Infantile Paralysis Commission

Children's Hospital Clinic

Report for the Year ending November 21, 1917

IN October, 1916, the Harvard Infantile Paralysis Commission was asked by the Massachusetts State Department of Health to take up the problem of the after-care of children left paralyzed by the epidemic of 1916. This it agreed to do.

The Children's Hospital was appointed as the central clinic, and the first official clinic of the Commission was held there November 21, 1916. Every Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday morning since then patients from greater Boston have been examined and treated in this clinic.

As only one third of the 1,472 survivors of the 1916 epidemic live within reach of this central clinic and the coöperating orthopedic clinic at the Massachusetts General Hospital, it was found necessary to send the clinic staff to other cities and towns in the state. The first state clinic was held at Newburyport, December 20, 1916. Since then there have been twenty-five trips to cities outside of greater Boston.¹

To still further carry the hospital treatment to the homes, the Commission has employed six women trained in the after-care of infantile paralysis to visit the homes and instruct parents or relatives in treatment for their children. These women have been able to visit the home of each paralyzed child in the state once in four to six weeks. The Boston Instructive District Nursing Association has trained four of its nurses for the same work in Boston itself, and is loaning them to the Commission for its task of home supervision. Boards of Health and many nursing organizations in the state are aiding the Commission both financially and with nurses.

¹ Beverly, Greenfield, Haverhill, Lawrence, Lowell, Lynn, Malden, Melrose, Newburyport, North Adams, Quincy, Springfield, Worcester.

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This combination of state traveling clinics and home supervision by orthopedic nurses establishes a new relation between the university, the hospital, practicing physicians, and local communities. By this means the expert care of a modern hospital clinic is made accessible to all the people in Massachusetts. Those afflicted are being given the best chance to prevent their becoming permanently crippled, and an economic burden to the state.

The central clinic consists of an orthopedic surgeon, a director of treatments, five women muscle trainers, two women muscle testers, a physician to give electrical treatment, stenographer, clinic secretary, and executive secretary. This force takes care of twenty-five to thirty children a morning. The Avon Home in Cambridge, the Militia of Mercy, the Special Aid Society for American Preparedness, and the Boston Red Cross kindly loan automobiles with attendants to help bring the children regularly to the clinic for treatment three times a week.

A few of the statistics relating to the work up to November 21, 1917, follow:

Statistical Summary for the Year ending November 21, 1917

1. Number of Children's Hospital clinics	155	
Cases entered at these clinics		507
Total attendance	3,899	
2. Number of state clinics	26	
Cases entered at the state clinics		611
Total attendance	956	
3. Total cases examined by Commission at Children's Hospital and state clinics		1,118

Analysis of total cases by years:

Cases paralyzed previous to 1916		402
" " in 1916		670
" " " 1917		46
Total		1,118

Cases from the 1916 epidemic examined at the cooperating clinic at the Massachusetts General Hospital		140
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This work was supported up to July, 1917, in part by the state, and in part by public subscriptions. Since July it has been entirely dependent on the latter. The Children's Hos-

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pital has provided office room, telephone service, and a clinic floor for the purposes of the Commission. All other running expenses have been paid from the Commission's treasury.

The expenditure at present is \$2,000 a month and there is enough money left in the Commission's treasury now to continue the work only for a few more months. \$18,000 is required to support it through 1918. The improvement in the children who have received faithful treatment under the direction of the Commission's trained women is most encouraging, and promises well for the future if the work can be continued.

Department of Physical Therapeutics

THE director of Physical Therapeutics also directs the treatments in the state clinic, and the close connection thus obtained between the orthopedic wards and the infantile paralysis clinic is of great value. All ward cases receive a spring balance muscle test in the clinic as part of their routine physical examination. At present particular attention is being paid to the following-up of post-operative cases; all those living near enough are given careful muscle training at the clinic, as soon as the operating surgeon deems advisable. It is hoped to obtain some interesting results from this work particularly in the case of muscle transplantations.

The demand for women trained in the after-care of infantile paralysis is so great that in the spring of 1917 the Hospital gave three courses for properly qualified women. The former director of physical therapeutics was largely responsible for the success of these courses, and did much of the teaching. Instruction in massage and muscle training was also given to nurses in the training school.

The services of this department are available for treatment of cases in all the wards, and during the past year treatments have been given as follows:

Medical:

Number of cases	17
Number of treatments	215

Orthopedic:

Number of cases	32
Number of treatments	733

Private Ward:

Number of cases	25
Number of treatments	247

Total number of cases	74
Total number of treatments	1,185

The department has been unfortunate in the loss of Miss Miriam T. Sweeny who has been with the Hospital for eight years as director of the scoliosis clinic, and director of this department since its establishment.

Neurological Department

THE work of the Neurological Department has been carried on during the past year with no great changes in method. Thanks to the Board of Managers' assuming the responsibility for the support of our clinic for the treatment of paralytic cases this has been continued with such an increase that the separation of the cases of infantile paralysis into a separate clinic has not influenced our numbers to any appreciable extent. The director of this work for several years, Miss Reynolds, has been able to continue the direction of the clinic, for which we are very grateful, as we appreciate her sacrifices in doing so much for our clinic. In fact, without this special-treatment clinic it would be impossible for us to offer any such variety of cases to our students as we have always been able to do.

The teaching has continued as usual throughout the year, though the departure of some of the staff for medical work in the United States Army, which is expected very soon, will probably make it necessary to curtail the teaching carried on in the department to a considerable extent. The richness and variety of our clinical material has been remarked upon frequently by physicians taking courses, and visitors, and this makes us hope that the curtailing of the teaching in the clinic may be only during the duration of the war.

The changes in the personnel of the staff have been few, the termination of his connection with the hospital of one voluntary assistant being the only difference. Other volunteer assistants by their assuming some of the burdens of a large clinic have greatly lightened the work of the staff, and helped in the proper care of the cases coming for treatment.

NEUROLOGICAL DEPARTMENT

Nerve Cases Treated in the Out-Patient Department

Diseases of the Brain

Cerebral spastic paralysis	34
“ “ “ with imbecility	2
“ “ “ “ epilepsy	1
“ “ “ “ deaf mutism	1
Cerebellar ataxia	3
Cerebral hemorrhage	1
“ syphilis	2
“ concussion	2
“ tumor	2
Cerebellar hypoplasia	2
Encephalitis	1
Hydrocephalus	4
“ with epilepsy	1
Imbecility	75
Moral deficiency	1
Mongolian imbecility	5
Nystagmus	1
Delayed development	2

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Diseases of the Peripheral Nerve

Obstetrical paralysis	26
Peripheral nerve injury	1
“ facial paralysis	1
Traumatic facial paralysis	1
Musculo-spiral paralysis	2
Ulnar paralysis	1
Circumflex paralysis — secondary dislocation of hip	1
Diphtheric paralysis	2
Injury to spinal accessory nerve	1

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Infection of Nervous System

Chorea	32
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Muscular Diseases

Muscular dystrophy	2
Amyotonia congenita	3
Peroneal type muscular dystrophy	1

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Diseases of the Spinal Cord

Anterior poliomyelitis	9
Spina bifida occulta	1

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Functional Nervous Diseases

Epilepsy	40
Cephalalgia	1
Migrain	1
Essential tremor	1
Hysteria	3
Pavor nocturnus	2
Nervous irritability	14
Spasmus nutans	3
Stammering	6
Tic	24
Mental Tic	1
Fear neurosis	1
Sequel of fright	1

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Miscellaneous

Acute hallucination	1
Deaf mute	1
“ “ with facial paralysis — epilepsy	1
Delayed locomotion	1
Enuresis	1
Speech delayed	9
Ankylosis of right shoulder	1
Asthenia	2
Acute indigestion	1
Muscular torticollis	1
T. B. of spine	1
Valgus	1
Acute tonsillitis	1
Adenoids	1
Obesity	1
Arthritis	2
Malnutrition	3
Deferred diagnosis	5

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Congenital Defects

Specific double cataracts — polydactyly	1
Club foot	1

2

Non-Neurological	10
Eloped	12

Total	380
New Cases	378

Special Clinic for Paralytic Cases

THE interest in the clinic increases steadily and it is a great satisfaction to have the coöperation of other departments and outside physicians. The operators are doing excellent work and deserve appreciation for their devotion. The assistant, Miss Trainor, has added care and responsibility owing to the absence of the director.

The obstetrical paralysis cases have been many. The operation for contractions and deformities in the older children gives increasingly better results. The operation for the repair of nerves has been performed oftener and we feel sure that this operation should be done as early as possible. It is our hope that the public and the physicians will help us with both of these types of cases by sending them to us as soon as possible, especially those for the repair of nerves. These cases lose by delay, as the nerves degenerate.

The cerebral spastics have done well and give great opportunity for ingenuity and persistence on the part of the operator. The coördinatory exercises are of great value and there is usually improvement in the mentality as well as in the extremities due to the concentration demanded by these exercises. We were fortunate in getting apparatus of all kinds, through Dr. Fernald at Waverley, especially adapted to this work, and it has been of great help to us and the cases have responded well to the treatment.

We have also had many cases of Tics, in which the coördinatory exercises and re-education have given very good results.

Types of Paralysis Treated, 1917

Obstetrical paralysis	96	Arthritis	1
Anterior poliomyelitis	53	Ankylosis shoulder	2
Cerebral ataxia	1	Peripheral facial	2
Hemiplegias	14	(Residual) lead poison	1
Paraplegias	7	Habit tic	4
Quadriplegias	1	Torticollis	3
Spina bifida	2	Muscular dystrophy	2
Amyotonia	3	Volkman's pressure paralysis	1
Median nerve injury	1	Post diphtheritic hemiplegia	1
Musculo-spiral	2	Post pneumonic paralysis	1

Total number of treatments given in 1917 5,411
 Total number of new cases 56

Throat Department

THE bulk of the work of the Throat Department during the past year, as in previous years, has been related to cases in which the question of operation for tonsils and adenoids is brought up for decision and in which the operations are done if necessary.

In addition to these, which form the largest part of our work, there is a much smaller group which we take care of in the Throat Ward whose treatment requires a longer stay in the Hospital. This group includes cases of stenosis of the larynx, stenosis of the esophagus, tumors and chronic inflammatory lesions in the region of the nose and throat.

The use of the Throat Ward has enabled us to carry out long-continued treatment, which is especially needed in the cases of stenosis above referred to. With very few exceptions, the results of the method of dilating these strictures under direct vision with an esophagoscope have been satisfactory.

The necessity for careful observation of patients after tonsil and adenoid operations is made evident by the occasional occurrence of more or less severe delayed primary or secondary hemorrhage, and the rule of the department is therefore fixed that no cases in which tonsils have been removed shall be allowed to leave until the day after operation.

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Cases Treated in the Throat Out-Patient Department

Abscess lateral pharyngeal	1	Purpura hemorrhagicum	1
“ retropharyngeal	2	Rhinitis, atrophic	2
“ septum	1	“ chronic	14
“ submaxillary	1	Stricture of esophagus	2
Adenitis, cervical	5	Stomatitis	1
Adenoids	238	Thrush	1
Carious teeth	3	Tonsils and adenoids	1,086
Cyst, thyroid	1	Deferred	110
Deviation of septum	17	No diagnosis	4
Diphtheria	1	Referred to other depart-	
Epistaxis	3	ments	23
Foreign body in ear	1	Unclassified	37
“ “ nose	1		<hr style="width: 100px; margin-left: auto; margin-right: 0;"/>
Glands, submaxillary	1		1,570
Hematoma of sterno-mastoid		New cases	1,570
muscle	1	Old “	1,049
Otitis media	9		<hr style="width: 100px; margin-left: auto; margin-right: 0;"/>
Paralysis soft palate	2		2,619
Pharyngitis, acute	1		

Cases Treated in the Throat Wards

Adenoids	2	Papilloma of larynx	1
Branchial cyst	1	Retropharyngeal abscess	2
Cervical adenitis	3	Stricture of esophagus	16
Deviated septum	2	“ “ larynx	10
Foreign body in esophagus	4	Sarcoma of nose	2
“ “ “ larynx	1	Thyroglossal duct	1
Laryngeal polyp	1	Tonsils, hypertrophy of	5
Mastoid	5	Tonsils and adenoids, hyper-	
Mastoiditis	2	trophy of	824
“ with adenoids	1	Tonsils and adenoids, with	
Otitis media	3	cervical adenitis	2
New growth of antrum	1		<hr style="width: 100px; margin-left: auto; margin-right: 0;"/>
Post-aural abscess	2	Total	891

Gynecological Department

DURING the year 42 cases were treated at the Gynecological Out-Patient Department. Of this number 16 cases, or 38 per cent, were diagnosed as gonorrheal vaginitis.

At present there are no beds available in the hospital for the reception and intensive treatment of these cases. They are seen at the bi-weekly out-patient clinic where the diagnosis is made and treatment given. This treatment is continued in the homes by the mother, who is instructed at the clinic, or by the district nurse in case the mother is not able to carry out the treatment. All the cases are followed up for at least a year.

An interesting group of cases of vaginitis, not gonorrheal, is now being studied bacteriologically by Dr. Cleaveland Floyd in the hope of identifying the groups of other bacteria which may cause vaginitis in children.

Through the Social Service we hope soon to be able to follow up every case in its home with the purpose of determining the source of infection and preventing its spread to other members of the family.

Laboratory Departments

SO far as Doctors Cannon, Folin, and Reid Hunt are concerned, there is nothing to report. Dr. Cannon is abroad, and nothing has occurred to enlist the services of either Dr. Folin or Dr. Hunt.

The summary of pathological work is as follows: 29 autopsies have been performed and 179 surgical specimens examined during the year 1917 by Dr. Wolbach.

In the bacteriological work, there have been 173 specimens of pus, 75 smears, 100 swabs, 86 cultures, 29 bloods, and 5 urines, making a total of 467 examinations.

Dr. Cleaveland Floyd, with various assistants, has been carrying out studies on the bacteriology of chorea, and has taken up work on the flora of the nasopharynx in normal children, together with a study of the bacterial flora of vaginitis in children.

Dental Department

THE work of this Department during the past year clearly proves the importance and value of a routine examination of the teeth and their bearing on the child's general health.

Our aim at present is to take care of the mouths of all house patients who have glandular or other disease resulting from, or influenced by, the teeth. This work includes the extraction, treatment, filling, and prophylaxis of the teeth, treatment of alveolar abscesses, stomatitis, necrosis, osteomyelitis and fracture of the maxillary bones.

The Department is now completely equipped, and every type of dental or oral surgical case can be adequately cared for. As yet no provision has been made for cases referred from the out-patient departments, but later these will very probably be taken care of.

Abscessed teeth	247	Teeth extracted	345
Putrescent teeth	89	Necrosis of maxilla	2
Hypertrophied pulps	3	Osteomyelitis of maxilla	3
Pulpitis	14	Fracture of maxilla	1
Teeth treated	83	Gums lanced	7
Teeth filled	68		

Roentgen Department

THIS laboratory has been handicapped during the past year, first through the absence of Major Percy Brown, who is abroad, and second because of the scarcity and increased cost of X-ray and photographic material. Under these trying conditions we are glad to report that we have practically covered expenses for the year.

We have examined roentgenologically 1,132 new cases and 954 old cases, with a total of 3,842 plates taken. In addition we have taken 1,469 photographs and have made several hundred lantern slides.

The lack of special provision for a collection of lantern slides has been keenly felt during the past fall and winter, because of the use to which it might be put in teaching Military Orthopedics as well as for general teaching purposes. We have material for an unparalleled collection. We feel the need particularly of a proper cabinet, with filing facilities and card index, so that the slides may be available at any time.

Charitable Surgical Appliance Shop

THE past year has been one of great activity. The hours of work and the number of appliances made considerably exceed last year, which in turn exceeded the preceding year. This is largely due to the call for orthopedic appliances for the victims of the great 1916 epidemic of infantile paralysis.

Nevertheless, this larger volume of work has not netted larger profit for the following reasons: The scale of prices to patients has not appreciably advanced; the cost of metals, leather, and fittings has risen, likewise wages, and we now employ one more mechanic; furthermore, the shop has been forced frequently to run overtime with correspondingly increased labor charges, in order to get through the work.

The numbers of institutions and of doctors who order appliances from the shop remains the same. Roughly speaking, the orders from hospitals equals those from the offices of physicians.

The shop employs six skilled mechanics, two apprentices, an office boy, and a bookkeeper.

There are many special appliances required for orthopedic and other purposes which are usually obtained with some difficulty by doctors from the surgical appliance stores in Boston and elsewhere. These, we believe, the shop could produce on order satisfactorily and at less cost.

Social Service Department

THE Social Service Department is in the process of reorganization under the direction of Miss Knowlton. Miss Tessier, who for seven years had been in charge, resigned to take another position in the hospital. A committee, representative of the various interests of the hospital, has been appointed to assist in extending the work.

The staff consists of a head worker, a stenographer since October 15, a special worker in the Orthopedic Department since November 15, and a pupil nurse from the Training School.

During the year 1917, 876 children have been sent to the Social Service Department for some kind of care, and 2,118 visits have been made to their homes or to relatives or social agencies in their behalf.

The large number of cases handled by so small a force of workers indicates that the greater proportion of them have been what we might term short-service cases. In this group we include such work as referring patients to District or Child Welfare Nurses; making arrangements for medical care which cannot be given at the Children's Hospital; persuading parents to allow operations or other treatments; securing volunteer automobile service for crippled children; making arrangements for vacations or convalescent care, reporting back to social agencies on patients whom they have sent in, etc. The more intensive work has been done for children suffering from heart disease, bone tuberculosis, syphilis or rickets, where careful and persistent instruction and encouragement of parents are necessary and many readjustments in home conditions must be made.

In the total number of 280 cases referred during the four months, 200 were short service and 80 intensive.

The following are examples of what Social Service can do in given instances of medical social needs.

HARRY, 12 years old, treated in the Out-Patient and wards of the Children's Hospital for five years for tuberculosis of the spine, was referred to Social Service to have his home treatment supervised, as he was not doing well. A visit revealed the fact that the mother had been dead for three years, a 16-year old sister had tried to care for the four younger

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children, including the patient. They had become unruly under her inexperienced hand, she had become discouraged with so much responsibility and no good times or pretty clothes and had gone to work, leaving a sister of 13 to provide for the needs of the younger children between times of going to school. The children were physically neglected and receiving no home training.

Our patient at 12 years had not been able to go to school since he was in the second grade. We were able to transfer him to the Hospital School at Canton for medical care and education. Through efforts of a children's agency, relatives came forward to take the younger children into their homes.

DOMINIC, three and a half years old — diagnosis rickets and chronic intestinal indigestion — was referred for supervision of diet and hygiene. He has been on the Floating Hospital two summers, twice admitted to the Children's Hospital, once to the South Department. He would eat nothing that was good for him and tyrannized over his mother. The family moved to a light, sunny, top-floor tenement. The social worker gave the mother a detailed menu, helped her with the cooking and buying and not least in administering of the food. The child has gained two and three quarters pounds in weight and was beginning to stand alone at the last visit to the clinic. The close supervision of this case has extended over three months.

MARGARET, with a second attack of chorea, could not be admitted to the House because there were no beds available. Referred to Social Service to see that she got rest in bed at home. At home there were only two rooms heated during the severe December weather, five younger children were in the kitchen, school being closed. The only bedroom for Margaret opened from the kitchen, and had no door. Obviously she could not be cared for at home, so admission to the Brookline Heart Hospital was secured, and her care will be supervised when she is discharged that she may not have a recurrence of the trouble.

In November a special worker was assigned to the Orthopedic Department to devote all of her time to orthopedic cases, on account of the chronicity of the cases in this department, together with the many difficulties in handling them satisfactorily at home. The worker has her desk in the clinic waiting room and interviews all the new patients, bringing to the attention of the visiting physician anything in the social situation which may affect the plan of treatment. She then endeavors to make whatever readjustments or plans that are needed for the satisfactory carrying out of the physicians' advice.

The heart class for girls, which has been carried on for the past three years, is about to be transformed into a Camp Fire group. There are sixteen girls in the class, and they meet every week at the hospital to learn quiet occupations such as

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knitting, embroidery, and games, along with health instruction, particularly adapted to their needs. This year we found that most of the girls were above our age limit and that they had rather outgrown the kind of class work which they have been having. Such a fine club spirit has been developed by their association together that we feel most anxious to carry it further. The Camp Fire work is so practical and adaptable to their needs both as to health and social relationship that we hope to organize a permanent group, into which the younger girls of a new heart class may graduate at twelve years.

A most important change has taken place during the year. Hitherto, a pupil nurse from the Training School was assigned to do nursing care at home, in cases where actual nursing was the thing needed by the patient. This plan for nursing care had many disadvantages and has now been dropped. All nursing cases formerly carried by the Children's Hospital nurse have been turned over to local visiting nurses, except a few especially difficult orthopedic cases which require a rather special training in the handling of children on frames, in apparatus, etc. The Social Service reports the doctor's directions to the nurse, informing them of any changes made as the patient returns to the clinic.

The pupil nurse now comes to the Social Service Department for a three months' period to learn as much as possible in that time of the fundamentals and technique of social work, health work, community resources for recreation, relief correctional work, child placing, special education, family upbuilding, in the belief that this will prove of great value if she goes into any of the branches of nursing which require insight into the social aspects of treating or supervising disease.

The Boston School for Social Workers has asked the Social Service Department to take one of the second-year graduate students, specializing in Medical Social Service, for a part of her training experience in medical work, during the second semester. This is the first time this hospital has been asked to assist in this important educational work.

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School of Nursing

THE School of Nursing in completing its twenty-sixth year shows activity and improvement in all of the branches of an extensive and growing educational organization.

In every way the school has maintained the highest possible standard, keeping pace with all advancements in theory and practice; thus meeting the requirements of the state and national nursing organizations and being eligible for registration with the board of Regents in New York.

The world-wide disruption and the entrance of our own country into the war necessarily produced a marked reaction on the school. This reaction was evidenced by the demands on the school to strengthen the curriculum; by the increased demands made on the Staff for graduate nurses to do their part in the nursing service under the Red Cross; and by the need of the immediate realization and coöperation of all graduate and pupil nurses in the school to cover the diminution in their numbers. It is most gratifying to feel that the response to these war needs has been willing and genuine.

The past year has shown also a very definite increase in the number who have applied for entrance into the school. Thirty-eight pupils have been admitted to the school, twenty-two of whom have been accepted, and ten are still probationers. There have been twenty-five applications for post-graduate work and sixteen for attendant work. No regularly organized course has been arranged for post-graduates, but those who are professionally eligible may have the opportunity of working in the wards of the hospital for four months, thereby gaining practical experience in the nursing care of children. In addition to this they may attend all lectures and clinics included in the regular course. Some experience in out-patient work is also given. For the time spent in the hospital a certificate is given.

The enrollment in the school at the present time is sixty-five pupil nurses, ten probationers, three affiliated pupils from

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the Peter Bent Brigham Hospital and two attendants. In May, 1917, thirteen pupils were graduated from the school.

The school offers a course of three years with an additional four months at Simmons College to graduates of recognized high schools or to those persons having an education equivalent to four years at high school. The preliminary course covers a period of six months, two months' probation and four months at Simmons College. Examinations on the work in both of these courses must be satisfactorily passed before the pupil is accepted into the school.

The course at Simmons College continues to be most valuable, permitting of concentration of time, energy, and idea during the four months given to it. The subjects embraced are Anatomy and Physiology, Chemistry, Sanitary Science, Bacteriology, Cooking and Dietetics.

During the following two years experience and training are given in Medical, Surgical, and Orthopedic Nursing; Nose and Throat work, Operating Room assistance, and in the Social Service Department. A knowledge of adult work is obtained at the Massachusetts General Hospital where the pupil spends four months during the third year. Obstetrical training for three months is given at the Manhattan Maternity Hospital in New York City. Both of these affiliations have proven very satisfactory in every way.

The following elective courses are also open to the pupils: four months at the Boston Lying-In Hospital; two months of Public Health work with the Instructive District Nursing Association; and instruction and experience in the administration of anesthetics.

Instruction in Bacteriology at Simmons College is supplemented in the second year by a course of ten lectures planned by Dr. Ernst, and given by him and his assistants. We are indebted also to other doctors on the Staff for lectures in special subjects:

Dr. R. W. Lovett and Dr. Robert Soutter on Orthopedics.

Dr. John Lovett Morse on Contagious Diseases and the Exanthemata.

Dr. James S. Stone on Surgery.

Dr. Edwin Jack on the Eye.

Dr. D. Crosby Greene on the Nose and Throat.

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This past year an affiliation was made whereby the Seniors in the Home Economic Course at Simmons College received their instruction in Home Nursing at the School of Nursing. A course covering twelve periods of two hours each was arranged and given by Miss E. E. Sullivan, Superintendent of the School, assisted by Miss K. A. Smith, Assistant Superintendent.

We still feel that our reference library is wholly inadequate for our needs and we strongly hope that friends of the school will appreciate the necessity of modern and sufficient equipment in such a department.

At the present time in this national and world crisis when every woman is called upon to take her part in the struggle for democracy and freedom we are proud to feel that to the nurse has fallen the honor of representing women in general by her necessary presence in the field, base and reconstruction hospitals, and we are doubly proud to feel that twenty-nine of our graduates are now in Europe in the nursing service, the majority in the service of the Red Cross. To the members of the Staff we owe appreciation of their interest in the school and medical care in cases of illness.

Alumnae Association

THE Children's Hospital Alumnae was founded in the year 1900, and has a membership of 104 nurses, of whom 45 are now in service abroad.

During the past year the Association purchased two \$50.00 (fifty-dollar) liberty bonds and \$50.00 (fifty dollars') worth of wool with which to make sweaters and socks for the soldiers. We have enjoyed during the winter several lectures, mostly relating to the war and experiences in Europe.

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Lodge, Hon. Henry Cabot	10.00	Rantoul, Mrs. Neal	100.00
Loring, Mrs. Augustus P.	50.00	Ratshesky, Abraham C.	50.00
Loring, Mrs. Wm. C.	25.00	Ratshesky, Mrs. I. A.	5.00
Lothrop, Mrs. Thornton K.	200.00	Richardson, Mrs. F. L. W.	10.00
Loving, Mrs. C. T.	50.00	Richmond, J. B.	25.00
Lovett, Mrs. J. D.	25.00	Rives, Dr. William C.	25.00
Lyman, Mrs. Geo. H.	20.00	Rodman, Miss Emma	10.00
		Rosenbaum, Mrs. Louis	1.00
Mason, Mrs. Charles	500.00	Russell, Mrs. Robert S.	50.00
Mason, Miss Ellen F.	50.00		
McKee, Mrs. Wm. Leander	25.00	St. Paul's Sunday School	5.00
Mason, Miss Fannie P.	5.00	Saltonstall, J. L.	50.00
Massachusetts Charitable		Saltonstall, Robert	50.00
Fire Society	100.00	Sanborn, Mrs. Edwin L.	5.00
Means, Charles J.	10.00	Sargent, Mrs. Francis W.	100.00
Melvin, Mrs. James C.	500.00	Sears, H. M.	100.00
Minot, James J. M.D.	10.00	Sears, Mr. and Mrs. Henry	
Minot, Laurence	100.00	F.	400.00
Mitchell, James W.	15.00	Sears, Mrs. J. Montgomery	100.00
Moseley, Mr. and Mrs. F. S.	50.00	Sears, Mrs. Knyvet W.	100.00
Motley, Mrs. E. P.	100.00	Sears, Mrs. Philip S.	50.00
		Sears, Richard	10.00
Nash, Mrs. Nellie M.	5.00	Secretary's Association	145.61
"A Friend"	25.00	Shaw, Mrs. G. H.	25.00
Nourse, Mrs. F. R.	25.00	Shaw, Henry S.	100.00
		Shurtleff, Miss Gertrude H.	2.00
Paine, Mrs. J. G.	100.00	Silsbee, Mrs. George S.	100.00
Paine, R. T., 2nd	100.00	Smith, Miss Ellen V.	100.00
"A Friend"	25.00	Snelling, Anna L.	10.00
Parkman, Henry	50.00	Snelling, R. Paul	50.00
Peabody, Mr. Francis	100.00	Spalding, Miss Mary A.	100.00
Peabody, Mrs. Francis	100.00	Spaulding, John T.	100.00
Peabody, Frank E.	500.00	Spaulding, William S.	100.00
Peabody, George A.	100.00	Sprague, Dr. Francis P.	10.00
Perkins, Mrs. Hamilton	10.00	Spring, Chester S.	10.00
Peters, Mrs. Wm. Y.	25.00	Stevenson, Mrs. R. H.	10.00
Phelan, James J.	25.00	"Charles and George"	50.00
Pickman, Dudley L.	300.00	Stone, Galen L.	500.00
Pickman, Dudley L., Jr.	50.00	Stone, Mrs. Philip S.	1.00
"A Friend"	745.94	Storer, Miss Abby M.	20.00
In celebration of the birth-		Storer, Miss Mary G.	20.00
day of a little girl who		Storey, Moorfield	100.00
does not need presents	200.00	Stratton, Charles E.	5.00
Pope, Bayard F.	2.00	Sullivan, Mrs. Thomas R.	5.00
Porter, Mrs. Alexander S.,		Swan, A. R.	10.00
Jr.	25.00	Swift, George H.	100.00

DONATIONS AND SUBSCRIPTIONS

Tapley, Miss Alice P.	\$200.00	Wentworth, Mrs. C. F.	\$10.00
Thayer, Mrs. Ezra Ripley	10.00	Wharton, Mrs. William F.	10.00
Thayer, Mrs. Nathaniel	100.00	Wheatland, Mrs. S. G.	50.00
Thomas, Mrs. W. B.	50.00	Wheeler, Mrs. A. S.	50.00
Thorndike, Albert	10.00	Wheeler, Henry	100.00
Traiser, Charles H.	15.00	"Anonymous"	10.00
Tuckerman, Mrs. Bayard, Jr.	100.00	Whiteside, Alexander	25.00
Tudor, Mrs. H. D.	10.00	Whitman, Wm.	250.00
Tufts, Bowen	10.00	Whitney, Frank	20.00
Tyler, Mrs. John F.	25.00	Whitney, Mrs. J. C.	10.00
Vaughan, Mrs. Benjamin	10.00	Wightman, George H.	200.00
Vialle, Charles A.	25.00	Wigglesworth, George	25.00
Wadsworth, W. A.	100.00	"S. P. W. "	50.00
Wakefield, Julius R.	50.00	Williams, Mrs. Sydney M.	5.00
Walker, Charles C.	10.00	Wolcott, Mrs. Edith Pres- cott	100.00
Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Wil- liam B.	200.00	Wolcott, Mr. and Mrs. S. Huntington	250.00
Watson, Mrs. Thomas A.	25.00	Woodman, Miss Mary	15.00
Webster, Frank G.	300.00	Woods, Henry D.	500.00
Weeks, W. B. P.	25.00	Young, Mrs. B. L.	10.00
Weld, Mrs. C. G.	100.00	Total	<u>\$36,931.55</u>
Welfare Trustees	100.00		

Subscription Beds

A subscriber of \$100 towards a "Subscription Bed" may for one year, subject to the rules and regulations of the Hospital, nominate one patient at a time to one of such beds.

"Norfolk House Center Bed"	\$100.00	Mrs. Robert Saltonstall	\$100.00
Mr. George P. Gardner	100.00	Mrs. Wilmon W. Blackmar	100.00
Mr. John L. Gardner	100.00	"E. E. D."	100.00
Mrs. L. Cartaret Fenno	100.00	Mrs. C. G. Weld	100.00
Mr. Nathaniel T. Kidder	100.00	Mr. J. A. L. Blake	100.00
Mr. Frank Whitney	100.00	Mrs. J. A. L. Blake	100.00
Mrs. Bayard Warren	100.00		<u>\$1,700.00</u>
Mr. David P. Kimball	100.00		36,931.55
Hon. George von L. Meyer	100.00	Total donations	<u>\$38,631.55</u>
Mrs. Arthur Hunnewell	100.00		
Miss Clara Hemenway	100.00		

List of Memorial Beds

By a vote of the Corporation. — Any person giving to the Corporation, at one time not less than one thousand dollars, has the privilege of affixing a name to a bed in the Hospital, subject to the decision of the Managers in each case. This permission, however, does not carry with it any right or control over the bed named.

Sullivan Amory	Sarah W. Whitman
Robert P. Williams	Dorothy Quincy
James Henry Williams	Rachel Tarbell
George F. Kimball	Livingston Wadsworth
Carrie Elizabeth Tyer, Sun Parlor	Charles Dalton
Hope Clement, Sun Parlor	William Gray
Theresa Pierce	Stephen Wheatland
Sara P. Lowell Blake	Edward Ellery Knowlton
Harriet E. P. Wood	Charles Dickens
Bertha F. Taylor	James V. Melvin, Jr.
Rosamond Freeman	Francis Skinner
Ellen Richards Slater	Sarah W. Whitman (2 beds)
Alice M. C. Matthews	Ellen Maria Pierce
Maria Coppenhagen	Salena Jarvie Fletcher
Sarah Coppenhagen	Mary E. Putnam
Jessie Draper	Louise Julia Tucker
Florence D. Curtis	Sarah Fletcher
Susan Wells Preston	Frances Todd Baldwin
Martha H. Barbour	Sarah E. Thatcher
Abigail Banchor	Louis Bridgman
Ruth Martin	Harriet M. Billings
Dorothy Winthrop	Frank Seaver Billings
Charles A. Chapman	Henry Augustus Turner
Children of Eliza J. Bell Draper	Margery C. Forbes
Gertrude Gouveneur Hunnewell	Francis Welles Hunnewell
Kent Pettingill	

Donations Received at the Hospital, 1917

Flowers and Plants

Penn, The Florist
Mrs. George A. Soul
Margaret Bitters
Mrs. C. N. Gilson
Mr. Luther F. Fleming
Home for Destitute Jewish Children
Mrs. F. W. Tupper
Mrs. C. J. Rueter
Mrs. Louis Harding
Mr. Henry W. Langlan
Mrs. Frank E. McKenney
Miss Grew
All Saints Church, Brookline
I. V. Hewitt
Mrs. Corey
Merchant's Club
Algonquin Club
Mrs. Thomas B. Senia
Mr. Charles E. Parmelee
Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Sanderson
Mr. Herman Hindenlang
Miss McLoon
Mrs. Louis Harding
Mrs. A. Wilder Pollard
Mr. C. S. Phinney
Miss Emma L. Hathaway
Mrs. Baker
Mr. Herbert I. Conant
Mr. J. H. Armstrong
Mr. Frank L. Orcutt
Mrs. E. A. Draper
Miss Jeanie Newman
Mrs. J. G. Curtis
Mr. Wm. R. Allen
Mr. R. W. Emmons, 2d
Mr. Benjamin N. Upham
Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Bartlett
Mr. Caskett
Mr. K. Sherburne
Mr. Chas. M. Spofford
Mr. H. M. S. Aitken
Mrs. G. G. Wheat
Miss H. Flagg
Miss Stadtmiller
Mrs. S. Hirshberg
Mr. Wm. R. Allen
Mrs. Leverett Tuckerman
Avon Baptist S. S. Class
Mrs. H. S. Goddard
Assonet Busy Bee Sunshine Club
Mr. Wm. E. Dow
Lester Ringley
Harold Henderson
Mrs. John M. Dean
Mrs. Katherine A. Saddler
Mrs. Edward Cunningham
Mrs. Alex. Healy
Miss H. S. Corbin
Mrs. Wm. A. Burroughs
Primary Dept. Arlington Heights M.
E. Church
Mrs. Hodgen (in memory of Dr.
Francis H. Brown)
Brookline First Parish S.S.
Miss Jennie Bliss
Mrs. William H. M. Austin
Mrs. C. D. Wheeler
Dr. Macomber
Mrs. Oliver Ames
William Nolen
Mrs. R. G. Fessenden
Dr. Henry R. Stedman
Miss F. E. Frasier
Mr. Harry King
Mrs. J. Fremont Littlefield
Mrs. Lyman
Mr. Lansing
Fabian Reed

THE CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

- Vineyard Haven Grades I and II
 Benny Bacon
 Mrs. Ellen Lewis
 Miss Lillian Lane
 Mr. Ralph E. Parker
 Mr. Harry Cumner
 Mrs. D. E. Butterfield
 Mrs. T. Jefferson Coolidge (many donations)
 Mrs. H. L. Higginson
 Rev. Elmer A. Leslie
 Mrs. Holmes A. Jernegan
 Mr. J. Chester Crandell
 Gertrude Elliott
 Henry Salstonstall
 Mr. W. H. McCready
 Mrs. Bains
 Mrs. G. A. Sherwin
 Miss E. Goodnough
 S. and L. Adams
 Mr. R. W. Emerson
 Mrs. Beale
 Thos. F. Galvin (many donations)
 Mr. J. E. Dow
 Mrs. A. H. Munsell
 1st Unitarian Church, Manchester, Mass.
 Mrs. Samuel H. Wolcott
 Rev. Reuben A. Kidner
 Mr. M. G. Houghton
 Dr. S. K. Patten
 Manchester Flower Mission
 Mrs. G. G. Bacon
 Miss Flora Baker
 Mrs. E. H. Wilson
 Mrs. C. G. Weld
 Mrs. L. C. Fenno
 Mrs. Hurley
 Mr. Marshall
 Mr. L. C. Stearns
 Maria W. Sleeper
 Mrs. E. J. Tuckerman
 Mrs. Carver
 Mrs. Gage
 Mrs. H. R. Hedge
 Gardens of Dreamwold (several donations)
 F. E. Palmer, Inc.
 Robert Talbot and Charlotte Rantoul
 Miss Marion Hill
 Mrs. H. Pemberton, Jr.
 Mrs. Arthur Sill
 S. and L. Adams, Ashland W. C. T. U.
 Mr. Anderson
 Miss Alice Ide
 Boston Cut Flower Co.
 Mrs. F. W. Smith
 Mr. F. M. Newcomb
 Mrs. A. C. Scott
 Mrs. C. W. Dailey, Jr.
 Mr. R. T. Langlan
 Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bliss
 Mrs. Ada Payzant
 A. D. Cook
 Elva M. Corning
 Mr. Frank S. Watson
 A. F. Turner
 Miss M. I. Tessier
 Mrs. Elsie Fenno
 Pauline Lundstrom
 Mr. E. C. Harrington
 Caroline Lowe
 Mrs. J. H. Hunnewell
 Mr. Edw. A. Palmer
 Mr. George D. Philips
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 Mrs. Chas. Purdy
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 Mrs. Eliz. J. Bennet
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 Mrs. M. K. Garhart
 Mrs. H. V. Furbush (in memory of Harold Verne, Jr.)
 Mrs. Fillebrown
 Mr. Michael Lane
 F. E. Rice
 Miss Grace Murphy
 Mrs. G. L. Clarke
 Aunt Flora and Burleigh
 Funeral Ser. Miss Clara Morse
 Mrs. Henry Rowe
 Mr. R. S. Wayland
 Mrs. Fred J. Wood
 Mr. Davis W. Clark, Jr.
 Funeral Ser. Mr. Chas. Burney
 Mr. William L. Murdock
 Miss M. Fenno
 Mr. Cummings

DONATIONS RECEIVED AT THE HOSPITAL

Fruits, Vegetables and Jellies

Bolton Friends Bible School	Mrs. F. B. DeBlois
Mrs. W. M. Goodrich	Miss Laura Slocum
Mrs. Frederick H. Pollard	Mrs. P. D. Ward
Dr. Easton's Bible Class	Church of Disciples—Corner Jersey and Peterborough streets
Mrs. Henry Saltonstall	Mr. Geo. P. Garden
Easton Bible Class—Tremont Temple	Mrs. S. H. Walcott
Mrs. G. G. Bacon	H. Harris & Co.
Miss M. Bertrand	S. S. Pierce Co.
Mr. John E. Kincaid	Mrs. T. K. Lothrop
Mrs. L. C. Fenno	

Ice Cream, Cake and Candy

Bailey's	Mr. D. O'Brien
Page and Shaw	Mrs. A. McIntyre
Mrs. Adolf Leve	Davis Ice Cream Co.
Mrs. Harry Burrell	Unitarian Church—Elliott St., Jamaica Plain
Miss May's School	
Mr. Daniel Janover	

Toys, Games and Dolls

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Gleason	Dr. Cheever
Mrs. C. W. Joel	Mrs. J. H. Parker
Mrs. John E. Thayer	Douglas Wheeler
Mrs. Halstead Lindsley	Dr. Washburn
Mrs. Horace A. Davis	Myra Bresky
E. J. Smith	Mrs. George P. Gardner, Jr.
R. H. White Co.	Virginia Harris
Mrs. Eugene Thayer	Mr. S. Pollak
Miss Betty Bartlett	Miss Eiseman
Mr. James F. Lord	Mrs. A. McIntyre
Mrs. J. W. Wheeler	Mrs. A. H. Hunnewell
Miss Marjorie Lawrence	Mrs. E. J. Burke
Fred Webberson	Mrs. J. Whitehead
Mrs. T. B. Gannett	Mrs. W. A. Fuller
Miss Maude F. Osborne	Miss Jacob
Mrs. Stephen S. Townsend	Mrs. G. Chamberlain
George Gibbs, 3d	Dr. N. Bolotow
Miss Hall's S. S. Class—Weston	Osgood School
First Parish	Miss Pitman
Polly and Benjie Beale	Mrs. A. E. Childs
Mrs. S. P. Blake	Lend A Hand Club, Brookfield, Mass.
Mrs. Wheeler	Gerald Wheelan
Mrs. Lyman	Elementary School, Boston

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P. Ordway	Miss Gertrude Bradler
Mrs. B. Loring Young	Miss Clarke — Woodbury Bookstore
Dedham High St., Sewing Circle	Mrs. H. S. Grew
Theckerman Sale	Mrs. A. Whitney
Mrs. A. W. Preston	Mrs. R. L. Warner
Mrs. E. W. Maxwell, — large doll in memory of Isabelle	Mrs. Fred L. Martin
Miss Frances Marks	Mrs. Leonard Smith
Margaret Shaw	Mrs. Langdon
L. A. Dalz	Ahikam Class, Ruggles Street Baptist Church
Mrs. Elliot	Mrs. Linsett
Ethel Pearson	Mrs. W. McArthur
G. Bigelow	Alfred Peterson
Mrs. John Wilson Cutler	Sunday School Baptist Church, West Somerville
Henry Wheeler, Jr.	John Bresnahan
Mr. Lansing	Ruth L. Hill
Mr. Paul D. Caskey	Mrs. Coggeswell
Master James Parker	Edith M. Briggs
Gen. Charles H. Taylor	Dudley Street Baptist Sunday School Class
Mrs. J. W. Morton	Girls' Club, Congregational Church, Holbrook
Miss Thayer	Grace Murch
Children of the First Baptist Church, Stoneham	Miss B. Chesley
Mrs. Fred Martin	
Mr. Raymond Berkowitz	
M. L. B. Mayer	

Knitted Hoods, Socks, Clothing, Etc.

Miss H. M. Coleman	Miss Lothrop
Mrs. Haughton	Quincy Katherine Crane Club
Miss Louise Minot	Mrs. F. K. Pollard (many donations)
Mrs. Rachel Jackson	Mrs. S. M. Winslow
Mrs. Beale	Mrs. H. Amory
Mrs. Sears	Mrs. Crampton

Money for Children's Pleasure

Thomas Gardner Progressive Club	Miss Katharine Silsbee \$100.00
Dr. Daniel Farrington	Mr. Ethen Allen 1.00
Miss Nina Fletcher (toys for children's Christmas stock- ings)	Mr. Lawrence Shultz 1.00
Mrs. Nelson Curtis, Jr.	Miss Lyman 5.00
Miss Fannie M. Faulkner	Mrs. E. W. Maxwell 7.00
Mrs. H. S. Hall	Miss Hersey's School Assoc. 25.00
	Dr. Ernst 5.00
	Mrs. B. Loring Young 5.00

DONATIONS RECEIVED AT THE HOSPITAL

Books — Periodicals

Miss Whitney	Mrs. John Wright
Mrs. Horace A. Davis	Miss Elizabeth Parker
Mrs. P. Tracy	Mrs. Marion Hughes Wheeler
Augustus P. Thorndike	Mr. Frederic Parker
W. E. Bacon	Miss Ruth Donovan
Mary W. Holmes	Mrs. Edward MacPherson
Mrs. Webster	Miss Mary L. Marshall
Mrs. E. G. MacPherson	Mrs. Schofield
K. O. Young	Mrs. L. C. Bourne
George S. Melcher	Mr. W. H. Slocum
Frances Davis	Mrs. F. P. Royce
Mason Regulator Company	Mrs. F. A. Webster
Pollie Adams Pierce	Mrs. Fairchild
Mrs. Otto Heimann	Mrs. F. H. Pollard
Mrs. A. E. Gill	Dr. Cheever
Mr. E. E. Fay	M. G. Searle
Miss Frances Ehrlich	Nutrition Laboratory
North Weymouth Pilgrim Church	Mrs. Lindsley Loring
Mrs. J. G. Alden	Mrs. Mosher
Mrs. Charles W. Taintor	Mrs. C. E. Pickhardt
Mrs. J. H. Wright	Miss Cordingley
Somerset Club	Mrs. A. E. Gale
Lyle Holt	Margaret Walker
Miss N. P. Carter	Mr. C. Robinson
Miss Ada C. Williamson	Mrs. A. W. Preston
Mrs. F. L. Coolidge	Universalist Publishing House
Miss Elizabeth Travis	E. A. Cutting
Miss Joanna Fay	Mr. Bradley M. Sawyer
Mrs. Coleman J. Joel	F. A. Maxwell
Miss Virginia Harris	Mrs. E. W. Taylor
Mr. E. S. Jackson	Horace Turner & Company
Torrance Parker (many donations)	Mrs. W. P. McKenzie
Mrs. J. H. Parker	Mrs. F. A. Webster
Barbara Mather	H. P. Hood & Son
Miss Elizabeth Brooks	C. B. Thompson
Elizabeth Flinn	S. M. Thompson
Mrs. Carl Dodge	Mr. Steadman Smith
Miss M. Barry	Mrs. Chamberlin
Kenneth Dana	Catherine Adams
L. A. Parker	Girls of First M. E. Church, Winthrop
Miss Thayer (many donations)	

Gifts to Library

Dr. R. W. Lovett	Dr. W. R. MacAusland
Dr. James S. Stone	Dr. Lewis W. Hill
Dr. Astley P. C. Ashurst, Episcopal Hospital, Philadelphia.	Dr. Harold C. Ernst

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Other Donations

Miss Helen Levison, Victrola, Victrola records.
Mr. George P. Gardner, flag, flag pole, Burroughs Adding Machine.
Mr. Otto Fleischner, music box.
Mrs. C. H. Burton, Swiss music box.
Mrs. Hodgen (in memory of Dr. and Mrs. Francis H. Brown), pianola attachment and records.
Miss Appleton (in memory of Mrs. Samuel Appleton), Victor records.
Services of R. T. Adams Co., refinishing reception and examination room, \$23.00.
Ringling Brothers Circus (Mr. Williams, Manager), exhibition on lawn.

Miscellaneous

Mrs. Howson	Mr. E. P. Teele
Mrs. L. D. Baker	Q. A. Shaw
Mrs. Lincoln	Mr. R. S. Bickford
Estate Sally P. Dwight	Mr. R. E. Pettit
Mrs. Geo. W. Lane	Dr. Thorndike
Mrs. G. A. Lovequist	Mr. H. Gleason
Mrs. Francis Rice	Kermit Harlow
Miss A. E. Nourse	Wm. F. Schrafft & Sons
Mrs. James Jackson	Miss Nina Fletcher
G. H. Smith	Geo. Frost Company
Mrs. H. C. Sears	Francis Rosenbaum
Mrs. Warner	Mrs. Edw. Everett Richards
Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Barry	Mrs. A. W. Weld, cornucopias for Christmas
Filene Sons Co.	A. Davis Company
Vose Swain Engraving Company	
Mrs. Leany	

For Christmas, 1917

Mr. and Mrs. Elliot Hubbard, toys, and games for the boys.
Miss Fannie M. Faulkner, 10 pairs of reins and 65 dolls.
Miss Rae M. Russell, toys.
Mrs. R. Amory, Jr., 72 horns.
Mrs. H. S. Hunnewell, drums
Miss A. G. Thayer, dolls.
Mr. and Mrs. J. Murray Forbes, toys, books, and games.
Mrs. G. H. Monks, bags of candy for all children.
Mrs. Nelson Curtis, Jr., boxes of candy for all children.
Many scrap-books, post cards, Christmas cards, and valentines have been received and acknowledged.

Donations to the Children's Hospital

From the Managers of the Convalescent Home

Absorbent cotton	550 lbs.
Adhesive plaster (5-yard rolls)	150 rolls
Bandages (gauze)	270 lbs.
Binding (Convalescent Home)	3 yds.
Binding (stay)	50 gross yds.
Blankets, 68 x 80	33
Buckles	13 gross
Buttons	7 gross
Combs	16 doz.
Cotton cloth (bleached and unbleached)	2,336 yds.
Crinoline	9,024 yds.
Dental plaster	12 bbls.
Elastic, black	1 $\frac{1}{2}$ gross
Felt, white	54 lbs.
Felt, gray	20 yds.
Flannel, wool	39 $\frac{1}{4}$ yds.
Flannel, Canton	179 yds.
Flannel, cotton	50 yds.
Gauze, fine	5,500 yds.
Gauze, unbleached	2,226 yds.
Gauze, coarse	57,500 yds.
Hairpins	1 pkg.
Mosquito netting	20 pcs.
Nightdresses	6 doz.
Piqué, white, 27-inch	40 yds.
Ribbon	6 spools
Rubber sheeting	98 yds.
Safety pins	75 gross
Seersucker	92 $\frac{3}{4}$ yds.
Sheet wadding	11 bales
Shoes	3 prs.
Spreads, 63 x 90	100
Spreads, 61 x 79	292
Stockinette	188 yds.
Stockings	7 doz.
Thread	44 doz.
Turkey-red embroidery cotton	$\frac{1}{2}$ gross
Twill, peppercil	351 yds.

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Twill, Laconia		104 $\frac{3}{4}$ yds.
Undervests		52 $\frac{3}{4}$ doz.
Webbing, elastic		108 yds.
Webbing, non-elastic (unbleached)		2,232 yds.
Yarn		12 boxes
Aprons	5	Spreads, adult, 2 x 90 96
Bibs	500	Spreads, children's, 61 x 79 192
Blouse waists	36	Towels, barbers' 48
Diapers	983	Towels, bath 206
Dresses	20	Towels, children's $\frac{1}{2}$ -yd. 220
Face-cloths	1,224	Towels, children's 1-yd. 210
Gowns, babies'	200	Towels, dish 449
Gowns, night-	600	Towels, dressing 220
Pillowcases	700	Towels, face 218
Tablecloths	94	Trousers 48
Table napkins	72	Wrappers 50
Red Jackets	200	Trousers on December 4 24
Sheets, adult	98	Sweaters 48
Sheets, babies'	48	Thanksgiving dinner to all in Hospital.
Sheets, children's	200	Christmas dinner to all in Hospital.
Sheets, draw	470	Christmas trees and toys for all wards.
Shirts, flannel	509	

The Convalescent Home of the Children's Hospital

Wellesley Hills

THE Managers of the Convalescent Home of the Children's Hospital present to the public their Thirty-third Annual Report. The Institution which was originally known as the Ladies' Aid Association began its existence forty-eight years ago, the year of the incorporation of the Children's Hospital, its object being to aid the new hospital by providing all its supplies of bandages, bed and table-linen, and clothing, besides ready-made articles, such as blankets, boots, coats, hats, etc. The hospital managers and staff were most appreciative of this help, but it soon became evident that their work could not be successfully carried on without some place where the patients could be sent to recuperate before being returned to their homes, which were, as a rule, in the poorer parts of the city, and where only inadequate food and care could be the portion of the delicate children — the result being that many died of weakness or were soon brought back to the hospital in a chronic state of sickness and suffering. The ladies, therefore, decided to hire a small house where the out-going patients could be received and cared for until well enough to go back to their own people.

In this way in 1874 the first Convalescent Home was started in a small house in Wellesley Village. One of the Sisters of St. Margaret was appointed superintendent, with one or two trained nurses and a small staff of domestic servants to help her. The first house was soon outgrown and a larger one was bought on Wellesley Avenue, with accommodations for fifteen patients, and in 1884 the association was incorporated under its present name of the Convalescent Home of the Children's Hospital. Again ever-increasing demands made a larger house a necessity, and in 1892 a large brick home was built on a tract of land of about thirty acres on Forest Street, Wellesley Hills, where the present building now is. All this time the home, from motives of economy, was kept open only during the summer months,

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from May until October. In 1894, however, twenty years after the first home was started, at the earnest solicitation of the doctors and surgeons, it was kept open all the year round, and has not been closed since.

In January, 1903, the first real misfortune occurred, as the building was burned to the ground. The fire happened in the daytime, and mercifully not one of the helpless children was injured, all being safely carried into the house occupied by the superintendent of the grounds. The managers at once looked about for a suitable house for temporary purposes as it was decided to rebuild as soon as possible, and convenient quarters were procured and hired on Seaver Street, and while there, the shack system which has since been so much used was inaugurated. In the meantime the managers had been making heroic efforts to raise funds, and finally, in 1905, the present building was completed on the site of the former one, with accommodations for ninety patients.

The beds are equally divided between the surgical and medical cases, and a nominal charge is made for the care of each patient, but no case is refused if the parent or guardian declares himself unable to pay.

In accordance with an amendment to the By-Laws, both a treasurer and an assistant-treasurer were elected at the annual meeting, but the treasurer, Mr. Roger Amory, having become a captain in the United States Aviation Corps, was obliged to resign, and Mr. Horatio G. Curtis was elected to fill his place. Our new manager was elected to fill a vacancy on the board, otherwise few changes have occurred in the running of the home. The services of another man on the place were found imperative, many repairs have been necessary, and a new asphalt floor in a wash-room, new shingles in roofs of shacks, and sixty new tubes in a boiler at a cost of \$675 were other expensive necessities.

A steady rise in wages in all departments has added materially to the annual expenses, and it was only after long and careful deliberation that it was finally decided to build a garage and to substitute a Ford motor-ambulance and service-car in place of the rickety barn and the two old horses. Notwithstanding the expense incidental to these changes, it is believed that they are essential to the efficient handling and transporting of the patients, and the numberless daily errands inseparable from the running of a big institution, and although the

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ambulance has not yet been regularly installed, the garage has been built, and great hopes are entertained for the future.

Dentistry has been added to the surgical and medical treatment of the children, with important results.

Miss Davidson continues at her post of head nurse and house-keeper, and her zeal and interest are unflagging. The new kindergarten teacher is doing excellent work.

In June, the managers notified the directors of the Children's Hospital that they would be unable in the future to provide supplies for the Nurses' Home, but that they would continue as hitherto to provide all the hospital supplies.

The managers, with many volunteer helpers, meet once a week during the winter to cut out and make ready the thousands of articles which are given out annually in February to charitable institutions and to private individuals, through whom they are distributed to poor women to be made up for hospital and home use.

An important change has taken place in the management of the Children's Hospital, as the Sisters of St. Margaret who have always been at its head, exercising also a general supervision of the Convalescent Home, have resigned, and Miss Ida C. Smith, for many years in charge of the Out-Patient Department, and later assistant superintendent, has become superintendent. It was voted that the secretary write to Sister Caroline and express the deep sense of regret with which the managers received the news of the resignation of the Sisters of St. Margaret from the superintendence of hospital and home, also expressing the profound gratitude of the managers and their appreciation of the long years of unremitting care and devotion given so freely and without thought of reward.

Five hundred dollars endows a Memorial, and donations to the Permanent Fund and annual subscriptions are earnestly solicited.

The need of help has never been greater and the misery which follows in the wake of war is quick to reach the innocent. Let us not forget those in our midst at the same time that we maintain our effort to alleviate the suffering of the helpless in foreign lands.

MARY B. HUNNEWELL,
Secretary.

DECEMBER, 1917.

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Extract from the By-Laws. — The Corporation shall be composed of all persons who have been members of the Board of Managers of the Ladies' Aid Association of the Children's Hospital; or who have been or may be members of the Board of Managers of the Corporation; and of such other persons, if any, who have contributed, or may hereafter contribute, not less than one hundred dollars at any one time to the funds of said Association or of this Corporation; and who may be elected members thereof by the votes of not less than two-thirds of the whole Board of Managers.

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Memorial Beds

A gift of \$500 endows a Memorial Bed. Twenty-five such gifts have been received, and brass tablets engraved with the names have been placed in the Home. The names are given below.

In loving memory of —

Sarah Parker Linzee
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The Convalescent Home

Extract from the By-Laws. — The name of this Corporation shall be "The Convalescent Home." Its objects are to aid in the carrying on of the Children's Hospital in Boston, as well as to carry on and manage the Children's Convalescent Home at Wellesley Hills, and to care for, relieve, and nurse such children — patients from that Hospital — as may be sent to this Home.

Subscriptions for 1917

Abbott, Mrs. Gordon	\$5.00	Coolidge, Mrs. Algernon	\$25.00
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Alford, Mrs. O. H.	15.00	Cummings, Mrs. C. A.	10.00
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Bartlett, Mrs. Nelson S., Jr.	20.00	Cutler, Mrs. E. G.	10.00
Baylies, Mrs. Walter C.	5.00	Cutler, Miss Anna W.	10.00
Beal, Mrs. Boylston A.	15.00	Cutter, Miss Elizabeth F.	10.00
Beal, Mrs. James H.	10.00	"C. S. S."	25.00
Blake, Mrs. Arthur W.	10.00	Dabney, Mrs. Walter	5.00
Blake, Mrs. J. A. L.	10.00	Dalton, Mrs. Charles H.	25.00
Blake, Mrs. Francis	10.00	Davis, A. McF.	20.00
Blake, Mrs. George B.	25.00	Davis, Mrs. Joseph E.	5.00
Blake, Mrs. S. Parkman	10.00	Davis, Livingston	10.00
Blanchard, Mrs. S. H.	10.00	Dexter, Miss Rose L.	10.00
Brandegge, Mrs. E. D.	10.00	Emmons, Mrs. R. W., 2d	25.00
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Brooks, Mrs. N. B. Kneass	10.00	Endicott, William	50.00
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Codman, Mrs. James M.	10.00	Frothingham, Rev. Paul R.	10.00

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Hunnewell, Mrs. James F.	25.00	Pitman, Mrs. Harold A.	5.00
Hunnewell, Miss Gertrude	10.00	Plympton, Miss Mary L.	3.00
Hunnewell, Miss Mary	10.00	Pratt, Mrs. Daniel Sharp	2.00
Hunnewell, Walter.	25.00	Pratt, Waldo E.	25.00
Hunnewell, Mrs. Walter, Jr.	10.00	Richardson, Mrs. E. C.	5.00
In Memory of		Rivers, Miss Mary.	5.00
"Little Stanley"	2.00	Robbins, Chandler, Jr.	5.00
James, Mrs. Ellerton	10.00	Robbins, Joseph Foster.	5.00
James, George Abbot	10.00	Robbins, Miss Laura	5.00
Jaques, Miss Helen L.	10.00	Rodman, Mrs. William B., Jr.	5.00
Jenks, Miss Mary F.	2.00	Rogers, Mrs. J. C.	25.00
Jennings, Miss Julia F.	3.00	Russell, Miss Mary A. P.	5.00
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Johnson, Mrs. Wolcott H.	10.00	Sargent, Mrs. Charles S.	5.00
Joy, Mrs. Charles H.	10.00	Sargent, Mrs. Francis W.	25.00
Kidder, Mrs. H. P.	10.00	Sargent, Mrs. Winthrop	50.00
Kimball, Mrs. David P.	25.00	Sawyer, Miss Mary C.	10.00
Kimball, Miss Hannah H.	10.00	Schouler, James	5.00
King, Mrs. Henry P.	25.00	Sears, Miss Annie L.	5.00
Lavalle, Mrs. John	5.00	Sears, Herbert M.	25.00
Larkin, Miss Elizabeth M.	5.00	Sears, Mrs. K. W.	25.00
Leamy, Mrs. John B.	2.00	Sears, Philip S.	10.00
Lawrence, Mrs. John.	10.00	Shaw, Mrs. G. H.	20.00
Lee, Mrs. Joseph L.	10.00	Shaw, Mrs. R. G.	25.00
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Linzee, Miss Elizabeth	5.00	Snelling, Mrs. R. P.	5.00
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Weld, Walter W.	2.50		
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Baker, Herbert Kingsbury	5.00	"E. L. T."	2.00
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Lothrop, Miss Mary B.	50.00	Storey, Moorfield	10.00
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Mifflin, Mrs. G. H.	10.00	Stratton, Charles E.	5.00
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Peabody, Mrs. Francis	50.00	Williams, Mrs. Moses	10.00
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Shaw, Francis	10.00	Whitney, Miss Alice F.	5.00
Shaw, Mrs. George R.	20.00	Whitney, Frank	20.00
Smith, Mrs. Robert D.	10.00	Young, Mrs. B. L.	35.00
Sprague, Mrs. Isaac C.	40.00	Young, Miss Fanny	100.00
Sprague, Mrs. S. E.	25.00		
			\$4,738.37

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L. V. Miles	15.00	W. H. Lincoln	10.00
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Mrs. Edward B. Bayley	10.00	Mrs. B. L. Young	100.00
Mrs. S. B. R. Crosby	10.00		
Mrs. Myles Standish	3.00		\$826.00

List of Donations to Convalescent Home for 1917

January

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| Mrs. Frank Everett Peabody, two Balaclava helmets. | Mrs. Charles Utley, carnations. |
| Mrs. Sears, ice-cream and cake for all children. | Miss M. B. Lothrop, jelly. |
| Miss Little, Wellesley, flowers. | Mrs. Wendell, doll-houses to cut out. |
| | Mrs. Scott, toys. |
| | Mrs. Geo. P. Gardner, candy. |

February

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| Mrs. Joseph A. Davis, flowers. | Miss Elizabeth Davis, three dolls. |
| Harper W. Poulson, Christmas cards, etc. | |

March

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| Miss S. M. Kittredge, Haverhill, pictures and post cards. | Mrs. Sidney M. Williams, toys. |
| Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Bartlett, toys. | The Hopewell family, Wellesley, flowers. |
| Miss Chadbourne, underwear for children. | Mrs. E. Chandler, Wellesley Hills, one child's kimona. |
| Mrs. John B. Paine, one barrel apples. | Miss Linzee, candy. |
| | Mrs. F. L. Coolidge, two books. |

April

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| Mrs. Charles J. Hubbard, \$5 for Easter candy, etc. | Mrs. P. H. Gibson, flowers. |
| Mr. Shepherson, Wellesley Hills, one grand piano. | Ladies of Wellesley Hills Congregational Church, 27 aprons, 30 slip-covers. |
| Mr. Lawrence Dwight, five Della Robbia plaques. | Mrs. C. A. Cummings, one large set of Piglock construction blocks for the boys. |
| Mrs. Philip S. Sears, toys, etc. | |
| Mr. W. W. Diehl, moved piano gratis. | |

May

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| The Junior Auxiliary of Unitarian Church, Wellesley Hills, 49 May-baskets and 6 pictures. | Mrs. A. M. Orsie, scrap-book. |
| Wellesley Grocery Company, one oak barrell for tub-plants. | Ladies' Aid of Unitarian Church, Wellesley Hills, 46 pairs socks. |
| Miss M. G. Hunt, books and post cards. | Misses Coster and Reed, toys. |
| Mrs. Hall, clothing and toys. | Master Gordon Gallan, toy. |
| Mrs. Bassett, Wellesley Hills, toys. | Miss Florence Pinkerton, toys and books. |
| | Mrs. Joseph H. Blake, magazines and hair ribbons. |

June

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| Master Sandy Forbes, Charles River Village, toys. | Young Ladies of Norumbega Cottage, Wellesley College, toys. |
| | Mrs. Richardson, toys and clothing. |

THE CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

July

- Mr. W. E. Glover, 12 pounds salmon. Mrs. Wm. Ramsay, flowers.
Mr. Frank Hunnewell, six boxes straw- Miss Niles, sweet peas.
berries, toys.

August

- Miss Louisa Hunnewell, green vege- Mrs. Slack and Mrs. Fletcher, fruit
tables. Mrs. S. R. David, one case oranges
Mr. Walter Hunnewell, corn. one case peaches.
Miss Sybil Crehore, scrap-book. Mrs. Henry S. Hunnewell, melons.

September

- Mrs. David, one box peaches. Mrs. Shepherd Brooks, 22 hoods.
Miss Edith Babson, books. Mrs. F. W. Sargent, hair ribbons.

October

- Mrs. Hayden, one box picture cards. to the Home as back payment for
Mrs. A. Winsor Wild, electric potato board of children who had been
parer. receiving free treatment and in
Mrs. Curtis, magazines. whom he was interested.
Mrs. Blake, magazines. "H", Cambridge, Noah's Ark and
Mr. Charles A. Dean, \$500. A gift picture cards.

November

- Mrs. S. S. Bartlett, Wellesley Hills, Mrs. Speare, carnations.
one barrel apples. Miss Kittredge, post cards.
Mrs. H. G. Curtis, recent numbers Mrs. Henry S. Hunnewell, automo-
of "Punch" and "Country Life." bile curtains.
Mrs. Brooks, post cards.

December

- Mrs. F. W. Sargent, toys. Mrs. N. B. K. Brooks, toys for all of
The A. M. Davis Company, Christmas the children.
cards. Pupils of Miss Ellis' School, Newton
Mrs. Keyes, toys. Centre, toys and tree.
Massachusetts Division International Alice Phillip's School Kindergarten,
Sunshine Society, post cards. tree.
Mrs. Curtis, hair ribbons. St. Andrew's Church Sunday School,
Mrs. Phillips, apples. toys for all.
Miss Margaret Littlehale, dolls for all L. W. Riddle, books.
children. Miss Elizabeth Hewins, oranges and
Cheerful Letter Branch, Second apples.
Church, Salem, cards. Mrs. W. W. McLeod, Christmas
Mrs. H. G. Curtis, magazines and wreaths.
chocolates, also ice-cream for all in Mr. West, candy.
the Home on Christmas day. Miss Elizabeth Perkins, toys.
Vose Swain Engraving Company, Mr. DeFazio, Christmas wreaths.
large quantity pretty blotters

THE CONVALESCENT HOME OF THE CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL IN ACCOUNT WITH ROGER AMORY, *Treasurer*, SUCCEEDED
 BY HORATIO G. CURTIS, FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 15, 1917

DISBURSEMENTS		RECEIPTS	
For		Cash received from	
Printing, stationery, etc.	\$96.50	Former Treasurer	\$14,319.11
Subscription to 38 shares of American Telephone and Telegraph Co.	3,692.10	Dressings, etc.	2,916.92
Return of amount borrowed in 1916	5,000.00	Board of patients	3,040.82
Insurance	116.46	Annual subscriptions	3,438.00
Amount turned over to the Assistant- Treasurer	46,029.86	Donations	5,238.37
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	\$54,934.92	Bequest of Eliza E. Bradford	5,000.00
Balance on deposit at interest	8,101.32	Bonds paid at maturity	10,000.00
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	\$63,036.24	For Permanent Fund	826.00
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BOSTON, February 2, 1918.

H. G. CURTIS, *Treasurer*.

THE CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

THE CONVALESCENT HOME OF THE CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL IN ACCOUNT WITH ANNIE N. CURTIS, Assistant-Treasurer.

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FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 15, 1917

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To Cash paid for expenses at the Children's Hospital:		
" Clothing, household linen, etc.	\$2,427.20	
" Doctors' supplies	4,617.10	
" Christmas dinner	68.40	
" Thanksgiving dinner	71.40	
	\$7,184.10	
" Expenses at Convalescent Home:		
Provisions, groceries, milk, etc.	9,422.83	
Wages	11,427.51	
Fuel	4,681.73	
Furniture, kitchen utensils, etc.	288.44	
Electric service	357.16	
Medicines, etc.	257.39	
Stationery, stamps, advertising, printing, etc.	325.36	
Water rates	480.13	
Stable account and carriage hire	605.32	
Telephone	115.70	
Clothing, household linen, etc.	568.12	
Doctors' supplies	82.88	
Repairs and improvements	1,650.59	
Kindergarten teacher and materials	302.36	
Christmas expenses	71.20	
Express	8.25	
Rent of site	25.00	
Care of grounds	37.30	
Sundries	450.59	
Automobile and expenses thereon	1,171.38	
Building and equipping garage	1,659.30	
	34,397.63	
Balance at interest in bank	4,448.04	
	\$46,020.86	\$46,020.86

ANNIE N. CURTIS, Assistant-Treasurer.

I have found this correct and properly vouched.

OLGA E. MONKS.

Forms of Bequest

I give, devise, and bequeath to THE CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, in the City of Boston, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, incorporated in the year 1869, the sum of

I give, devise, and bequeath to THE CONVALESCENT HOME OF THE CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, in the City of Boston, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, which was incorporated in the year 1884, the sum of

