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ORDER OF THE COURT.

CONSOLIDATING THE TWO INSTITUTIONS.

At a Special Term of the Supreme Court
of the State of New York (Part II),
held at the Court House in the City and
County of New York on the 2nd day of
March, 1910.

Present: Hon. M. WARLEY PLATZEK, *Justice.*

IN THE MATTER

OF

The Consolidation of the Nursery and
Child's Hospital and the New York
Infant Asylum into one corpora-
tion to be known as the "NEW
YORK NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOS-
PITAL."

Order.

The Nursery and Child's Hospital and the New York
Infant Asylum having duly presented to this Court their
petition dated June 24, 1909, together with an agreement
for consolidation of the said two corporations and certifi-

cate of approval by the members of said corporations, together with the certificate of approval of said consolidation by the State Board of Charities and the approval as to form by Hon. Edward R. O'Malley, Attorney General of the State of New York, and this Court being satisfied that no further notice of presentation of these papers need be given.

Now, on reading and filing the petition for consolidation of said corporations dated June 24, 1909, the agreement for consolidation of said corporations dated June 24, 1909, the supplementary agreement dated November 11, 1909, the several certificates of approval of said corporations dated June 24, 1909, the several statements of all the property, liabilities and the amount and sources of the annual income of the said corporations, the certificate of approval of the State Board of Charities dated November 17, 1909, and the approval as to form by the Hon. Edward R. O'Malley, Attorney General of the State of New York, all of which papers are attached to the petition, and this Court being satisfied that all the provisions of law as provided by Section 7 of the Membership Corporations Law and other statutes applicable thereto have been complied with and being satisfied that the said two corporations should be consolidated on the terms and conditions hereinafter contained, On Motion of William H. Harris, attorney for the petitioners, it is

ORDERED, that upon the entry of this order, as provided by law in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, the said corporations, to wit: the Nursery and

Child's Hospital and the New York Infant Asylum, be and they hereby are consolidated and shall become and do hereby become one corporation by the name of the "New York Nursery and Child's Hospital," upon the following terms and conditions which this Court hereby prescribes, namely:

a. The name of the corporation formed by such consolidation shall be the "New York Nursery and Child's Hospital."

b. The objects and purposes of the consolidated corporation are as follows: The maintenance and care of the children of wet nurses and the daily charge of infants whose parents labor away from home; the maintenance of a home for illegitimate children and a lying-in asylum, and receiving and taking care of foundlings and other infant children of the age of two years and under, which may be entrusted to its charge, and to provide for their support and moral, physical, intellectual and industrial education, and providing such lying-in wards and methods of care and guidance as shall tend to prevent the maternal abandonment of homeless infants and diminish the moral dangers and personal sufferings to which homeless mothers are exposed; procuring the adoption of suitable foster parents for such children as may properly be adopted out; the establishment and maintenance of schools and exercising and enjoying each and every power and privilege now enjoyed by the said corporations, or either of them, as fully as though herein more specifically enumerated and stated.

c. The principal office of said consolidated corporation shall be located in the City, County and State of New York, and its operations are to be principally conducted in said city.

d. The number of Directors of the consolidated corporation shall be thirty, and the names of the persons to be Directors until the first annual meeting are as follows :

Stephen Baker,
G. Morgan Browne,
Gheradi Davis,
Francis B. Griffin,
Henry E. Howland,
Edward de P. Livingston,
Jacob W. Miller,
Irving Paris,
P. Stuyvesant Pillot,
Mary Mildred Sullivan,
Mary M. Kingsand,
Sarah V. Day,
Mary E. Nicol,
Julia C. Oothout,
Virginia P. Adams,

Frederick W. Rhinelanders,
Beverley R. Robinson,
W. Emlen Roosevelt,
Gardner Wetherbee,
Dr. Edward L. Partridge,
Frederick de P. Foster,
George H. Sullivan,
Wm. W. Heaton,
Nicholas F. Palmer,
Hermanie Berwind,
Josephine S. Goodwin,
Ruth Lawrence,
Mary S. Wetherbee,
Angie King Hicks,
Katharine H. Auerbach.

e. The annual meeting of the consolidated corporation shall be held the third Tuesday in November.

f. The consolidated corporation shall consist of not exceeding forty-four members, including the Mayor of the City of New York, President of the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York, the Commissioner of Public Charities of the City of New York and the Police Commissioner of the City of New York for the time being, all of whom shall be *ex-officio* members of said corporation. The other forty members shall consist of the following named per-

sons (and such other persons as the Board of Directors may select to fill vacancies in said membership), namely :

Stephen Baker,
 Clark Bell,
 G. Morgan Browne,
 Gheradi Davis,
 Francis B. Griffin,
 Henry E. Howland,
 Edward de P. Livingston,
 Jacob W. Miller,
 Irving Paris,
 P. Stuvesant Pillot,
 Frederick W. Rhinelanders,
 Beverley R. Robinson,
 W. Emlen Roosevelt,
 Gardner Wetherbee,
 Dr. Edward L. Partridge,
 Frederick de P. Foster,
 George H. Sullivan,
 Wm. W. Heaton,
 Nicholas F. Palmer,
 Mary Mildred Sullivan,

Mary M. Kingsland,
 Sarah V. Day,
 Mary E. Nicol,
 Julia C. Oothout,
 Virginia P. Adams,
 Hermanie Berwind,
 Josephine S. Goodwin,
 Ruth Lawrence,
 Mary S. Wetherbee,
 Angie King Hicks,
 Katharine H. Auerbach,
 Grace L. Benjamin,
 Ella L. Egleston,
 Sarah E. K. Hudson,
 Katherine Bogert Roe,
 Jeannie F. J. Robison,
 Frances Page Burr,
 Mary C. Knower,
 Florence B. Loew.

Members shall meet annually and specially when called and elect a Board of Directors not exceeding thirty in number from the members of the consolidated corporation. At the first annual meeting of the members of the consolidated corporation thirty Directors shall be elected and divided into three classes to serve one, two and three years each respectively, and thereafter the term of office of one class only shall expire each year and the term of their successors shall be as many years as there are classes, but the provision for such division into classes shall be subject to amendment, as provided in the Constitution. No person except the members hereinabove named, or elected as herein provided, shall have any vote at a meeting of the consolidated corporation, and the

right of the *ex-officio* members to vote shall be subject to the provisions of and amendments to the Constitution.

g. The consolidated corporation shall have the Constitution and By-Laws annexed to and made part of said agreement of consolidation. The said Constitution, securing an equal representation of men and women among the members and in the Board of Directors, shall not be changed or amended except as therein provided. During the first three years of the consolidated corporation, however, the Board of Directors may be composed three-fifths of men and two-fifths of women.

h. The Board of Directors shall have the powers given by the Membership Corporations Law and other statutes of the State of New York now or hereafter enacted, the Charters of the present corporations, and those delegated to them by the Constitution and By-Laws, and the power to fill vacancies for unexpired terms in the office of Directors.

i. The lands on Lexington Avenue and 51st Street now in possession of The Nursery and Child's Hospital under leases executed by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York shall at all times be held and used only for the purposes for which the said lessee is now authorized to use the same, but the consolidated corporation shall have all rights with reference thereto which The Nursery and Child's Hospital now has.

j. The time of the Annual Meeting, the number of members and the provisions creating and controlling *ex-*

officio members may be changed by amendment of the Constitution.

Enter:

M. W. P.,
 J. S. C.
 M. J. D.

No. 698.

STATE OF NEW YORK, }
 County of New York, } ss.:

I, WILLIAM F. SCHNEIDER, Clerk of the said County and Clerk of the Supreme Court of said State for said County, DO CERTIFY, That I have compared the preceding with the original Order on file in my office, and that the same is a correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole of such original.—Indorsed, filed and recorded March 2nd, 1910, 3 h. P. M.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my official seal this 2nd day of March, 1910.

WM. F. SCHNEIDER,
 Clerk.

[SEAL.]

NEW YORK SUPREME COURT,
 COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

IN THE MATTER

OF

The Consolidation of the NURSERY
 AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL and the NEW
 YORK INFANT ASYLUM into one cor-
 poration to be known as the "NEW
 YORK NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOS-
 PITAL."

} Petition.

The petition of The Nursery and Child's Hospital and the New York Infant Asylum respectfully shows to this Honorable Court and alleges :

1. Your petitioners are corporations duly organized and existing under the Laws of the State of New York, having been incorporated for kindred purposes, and having for a number of years been engaged in carrying on kindred benevolent work in the City of New York.

2. Your petitioner, the Nursery and Child's Hospital, is a corporation duly organized and existing by filing

of a certificate of organization in the office of the Secretary of State of New York the Second day of May, 1854, under the name "The Nursery for the Children of Poor Women," and by virtue of an Act of the Legislature of the State of New York passed March 6, 1857, changing the name thereof to the "Nursery and Child's Hospital." A copy of said certificate and statute amending the charter is hereto annexed and made a part of this petition. Marked A.

3. The New York Infant Asylum is a corporation duly organized and existing under the Laws of the State of New York and incorporated by Act of the Legislature of the State of New York, known as Chapter 106 of the Laws of 1865, and amended by Chapter 263 of the Laws of 1872, and Chapter 90 of the Laws of 1877. A copy of the charter of said petitioner as amended is hereto annexed and made part of this petition. Marked B.

4. Ever since their incorporation your petitioners have been engaged in carrying on kindred benevolent work in the City of New York, and after a full examination of the situation and full and free discussion in their respective Boards of Management, are convinced that the purposes and work of said corporations can be most efficiently carried on by a consolidation of the said corporations, thus bringing together a larger number of persons into one harmonious body than either corporation can command for the prosecution of its work. The plan for the proposed consolidation has been submitted to and discussed with the State Board of Charities, and has

the approval of that body as witnessed by its certificate hereunto annexed, and marked H.

5. That your petitioners, pursuant to the directions of their respective Boards of Management, duly made and entered into an Agreement for Consolidation of the two corporations into a new corporation in pursuance of Section 7 of the Membership Corporations Law, which agreement is hereto annexed and made a part of this petition. Marked C. Before the presentation of this petition to this Court the said agreement and this petition were duly approved by three-fourths of the votes lawfully cast at a meeting of each corporation separately and severally called for that purpose, which approval duly verified by the Chairman and Clerk of each of such meetings is annexed to this petition. Marked D and E.

6. The property and liabilities and the amount and sources of the annual income of The Nursery and Child's Hospital is fully and truly set forth in the statement hereto annexed marked F and made a part of this petition, verified by the Treasurer of said corporation.

7. The property and liabilities and the amount and sources of the annual income of the New York Infant Asylum is fully and truly set forth in the statement hereto annexed marked G and made a part of this petition, verified by the Treasurer of said corporation.

Wherefore your petitioners severally pray this Honorable Court that it make an order for the consolidation of the corporations on the terms and conditions set forth

in the said agreement of consolidation, and for such other and further relief as may be proper in the premises.

And your petitioners will ever pray, etc.

Dated this 24th day of June, 1909.

NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL,
By MARY MILDRED SULLIVAN,
First Directress.
JULIA C. OOTHOUT,
Secretary.

[SEAL OF NURSERY
AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL.]

NEW YORK INFANT ASYLUM,
By STEPHEN BAKER,
President.
G. MORGAN BROWNE,
Secretary.

[SEAL OF N. Y.
INFANT ASYLUM.]

WM. H. HARRIS,
Attorney for the Petitioners.

STATE OF NEW YORK, }
 County of New York, } ss. :

On this 24th day of June, 1909, before me personally came Mary Mildred Sullivan and Julia C. Oothout, to me known, who, being by me severally duly sworn, did depose and say, and each for herself says: she resided in the City of New York; that they are respectively the First Directress and Secretary of the NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL, the corporation described in and which executed the above instrument; that she knew the seal of said corporation; that the seal affixed to said instrument was such corporate seal; that it was so affixed by order of the Board of Managers of said corporation, and that they signed their names thereto by like order as First Directress and Secretary, respectively. And the said Mary Mildred Sullivan and Julia C. Oothout, being by me duly and severally sworn, did depose and say that she had read the foregoing petition subscribed by the said corporation, and that the same is true of her own knowledge except as to the matters therein stated to be alleged on information and belief, and as to those matters she believes it to be true.

MARY MILDRED SULLIVAN,
 JULIA C. OOTHOUT.

Sworn to before me this }
 24th day of June, 1909. }

JOHN J. TIERNEY,

Notary Public, Kings Co.

Certif. filed in New York Co., N. Y.

[SEAL OF
 NOTARY.]

STATE OF NEW YORK, }
 County of New York, } ss. :

On this 24th day of June, 1909, before me personally came Stephen Baker and G. Morgan Browne, to me known, who, being by me severally duly sworn, did depose and say, and each for himself says: that he resided in the City of New York, and New Windsor, Orange Co.; that they are respectively the President and Secretary of the NEW YORK INFANT ASYLUM, the corporation described in and which executed the above instrument; that he knew the seal of said corporation; that the seal affixed to said instrument was such corporate seal; that it was so affixed by order of the Board of Managers of said corporation, and that they signed their names thereto by like order as President and Secretary respectively. And the said Stephen Baker and G. Morgan Browne, being by me duly and severally sworn, did depose and say that he had read the foregoing petition subscribed by the said corporation, and that the same is true of his own knowledge except as to the matters therein stated to be alleged on information and belief, and as to those matters he believes it to be true.

STEPHEN BAKER,
 G. MORGAN BROWNE.

Sworn to before me this }
 24th day of June, 1909. }

JOHN J. TIERNEY,
 Notary Public, Kings Co.,
 Certf. filed in New York Co., N. Y.

[SEAL OF
 NOTARY.]

Exhibit A.

CHARTER

OF THE

NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL.

STATE OF NEW YORK, }
 City and County of New York, } ss.:

We, the undersigned, citizens of the State of New York, of full age, being desirous to associate ourselves for a benevolent purpose, do hereby, pursuant to the Statute in such case made and provided, certify, that the name by which the Society or Incorporation hereby to be formed shall be known in law, is

“THE NURSERY FOR THE CHILDREN OF POOR WOMEN.”

That the object and business of the Society is the maintenance and care of the children of wet-nurses, and the daily charge of infants whose parents labor away from home; that the location of the Society is in the city of New York; that the Trustees of said Society are three in number; that the Managers of said Society are thirty in number; that the names of the Managers, for the first year of the existence of this Society, are as follows, viz:

Mrs. Cornelius Dubois,	Mrs. P. S. Van Rensselaer,
Mrs. L. M. Van Buren,	Mrs. John Wurts,
Mrs. T. B. Bronson,	Mrs. S. Henry Remsen,
Mrs. T. A. Emmet,	Mrs. H. Anthon,
Mrs. F. C. Tucker,	Mrs. Oswald Cammann,
Mrs. Colles,	Mrs. T. C. Doremus,
Mrs. J. T. Johnston,	Miss Wendell,
Mrs. Heckscher,	Mrs. Wm. Aspinwall,
Mrs. Gerald Stuyvesant,	Mrs. James Renwick, Jr.,
Mrs. David Austen, Jr.,	Mrs. Isaac Bell, Jr.,
Mrs. H. De Routh,	Mrs. H. Renwick,
Mrs. G. T. Elliot,	Mrs. Frederick Foster,
Mrs. A. Mott,	Mrs. Lewis C. Jones,
Mrs. L. M. Rutherford,	Mrs. Wm. Curtis Noyes,
Mrs. J. C. Peters,	Mrs. Sherman J. Bacon.

And that the names of the Trustees of said Society, for the first year of its existence, are as follows:

MOSES H. GRINNELL,	CORNELIUS DUBOIS,
THEODORE B. BRONSON.	
ANNA R. EMMET,	SUSAN R. STUYVESTANT,
EMILIA ANTHON,	MARGARET S. RUTHERFORD,
MARIA T. BRONSON.	

STATE OF NEW YORK, }
 City and County of New York, } ss.:

I hereby certify that on this nineteenth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, before me came Anna R. Emmet, wife of Thomas A. Emmet; Emilia Anthon, wife of Rev. Henry Anthon; Susan R. Stuyvestant, wife of Gerald Stuyvestant; Margaret S. Rutherford, wife of Lewis M. Rutherford, and Maria T. Bronson, wife of Theodore B. Bronson, all to me personally known to be the same persons who have signed the foregoing instrument, and who have been chosen and appointed as Managers of the Society known and designated as the "Nursery for the Children of Poor Women," in said foregoing instrument mentioned and described, which said Society is to be called and known in law by the name aforesaid, and is to be located in the aforesaid city of New York. The particular business thereof is to be the maintenance and care of the children of wet-nurses, and the daily charge of infants whose parents labor away from home. That the Trustees of said Society are three in number, whose names are Moses H. Grinnell, Cornelius Dubois, and Theodore B. Bronson. That the number of Directors or Managers of said Society for the first year of its existence is thirty; and that the names of five of them are Anna R. Emmet, Emilia Anthon, Susan R. Stuyvestant, Margaret S. Rutherford, and Maria T. Bronson, being the several persons first above named, who severally duly acknowledged to me that they had signed said foregoing instrument and certificate for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.

J. A. STOUTENBURGH,
Commissioner of Deeds.

City and County of New York, ss.:

Theodore B. Bronson, of the City and County of New York, being duly sworn doth depose and say, that on the first day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, he filed a copy of the within instrument, in writing, in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York.

May 2d, 1854.

T. B. BRONSON.

Sworn to before me,
 EDWIN F. COREY,
Commissioner of Deeds.

ENDORSEMENT.

Pursuant to the Statute, I hereby certify my consent to and approbation of the within.

New York, March 20th, 1854.

JAMES J. ROOSEVELT,
Justice of the Supreme Court.

STATE OF NEW YORK, } ss.:
 Secretary's Office, }

ALBANY, May 2d, 1854.

I certify that the certificate of organization of the "Nursery for the Children of Poor Women," has been this day filed in this office.

A. G. JOHNSON,
Dep. Sec. of State.

AN ACT to amend the Charter of the "Nursery for the Children of Poor Women and to enable that Institution to hold real estate:"

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SEC. 1. The name of "The Nursery for the Children of Poor Women," is hereby changed to "The Nursery and Child's Hospital."

SEC. 2. The said "Nursery and Child's Hospital" is hereby authorized and empowered to hold and retain any property, lands, tenements or hereditaments, heretofore or hereafter to be devised, sold or conveyed, leased or granted to them under that name, subject, however, to the conditions and restrictions in any such gift, grant, devise, lease or conveyance contained.

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

STATE OF NEW YORK, } ss.:
 Secretary's Office, }

I have compared the preceding with the original law on file in this office, and do hereby certify that the same is a correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole of said original law.

Given under my hand and seal of Office at }
 the City of Albany, this fourteenth day }
 of March, in the year 1857.

J. T. HEADLEY,
Secretary of State.

Exhibit B.**ACT****Of Incorporation of the New York Infant Asylum.**

The original Act incorporating the NEW YORK INFANT ASYLUM is Chapter 106 of the Laws of 1865. This Act was amended by Chapter 263 of the Laws of 1872, and Chapter 90 of the Laws of 1877. As amended, the Act reads as follows:

SECTION 1. Edward Delafield, M. D., Charles Ely, Earl Douglas, Ebenezer P. Rogers, D. D., Henry E. Montgomery, D. D., Richard F. Carman, Stephen Smith, M. D., John David Wolfe, James F. De Peyster, Willard Parker, M. D., George Jones, Joel Foster, M. D., William C. Prime and their associates and successors, are hereby constituted a body corporate, by the name of the New York Infant Asylum, and by that name shall have and possess all the powers and privileges, and be subject to the provisions and restrictions prescribed and specified in title three, chapter eighteen, part one, of the Revised Statutes, and shall have power to take real and personal estate, by gift, devise, demise, bequest or purchase; but such real estate shall not exceed the yearly value of twenty thousand dollars, nor shall the property or income of such corporation be applied or appropriated to any purpose other than as specified in this act.

§ 2. The objects of said corporation are to receive and take charge of foundlings and other infant children of the age of two years and under, which may be entrusted to their charge as hereinafter specified, and to provide for their support, and moral, physical, intellectual and industrial education; also to provide such lying-in wards and methods of care and guidance as shall tend to prevent the maternal abandonment of homeless infants, and diminish the moral dangers and personal sufferings to which homeless mothers are exposed.

§ 3. The property, business and affairs of the said corporation shall be managed by a board of at least seventeen members, and the persons named in the first section of this act, together with the *ex officio* members hereinafter named, shall constitute the first board of managers. All vacancies which may happen in the board, excepting of *ex officio* members, shall be filled by the board at an election to be held for that purpose, under such regulations as may be prescribed in the by-laws of the corporation. The members constituting the board of managers may at any time be increased by vote of the board at a meeting duly called for the purpose; provided, however, that said board shall not be increased so as to consist of more than thirty members.

The Mayor of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Supervisors of the city and county, the President of the Board

of Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction of said City and County of New York, and the President of the Board of Police, for the time being, shall be *ex officio* managers of said corporation.

§ 4. At all meetings of the managers, five members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of ordinary business, but no purchase, sale or other disposition of real estate, nor appointment or removal of any officer of the corporation, nor election to fill a vacancy in the board, nor any contract involving an expenditure of more than five hundred dollars shall be made, nor shall the number constituting the board of managers be increased, nor any by-law be adopted, amended or repealed without the presence of a majority of the managers.

§ 5. The said corporation shall have the power to procure or elect and maintain, either within the City of New York or in some other suitable and convenient place within the State of New York, and distant not more than thirty miles from the City of New York, a suitable building or buildings for an asylum for such children as may be entrusted to and received by them agreeably to the provisions of this act; and shall have power also to procure or erect and maintain, within the City of New York, a house of reception where such children may be first received and temporarily accommodated. Whenever any child shall be received by the said corporation in such house of reception, under the provisions of section eight of this act, it shall not be lawful for said corporation, within the period of thirty days next succeeding, to place such child in their asylum; but such child shall remain in said house of reception for said period of thirty days, unless sooner discharged and removed agreeably to the provisions of this act.

§ 6. The said corporation may receive and take under care and management

(1) Children of the age of two years, or under, found in the City of New York abandoned or deserted, as hereinafter specified.

(2) Children of like age, born out of wedlock, who, by consent in writing of the mother, may be entrusted to said corporation.

(3) Children of like age, whose father or whose mother is dead, and whose surviving parent is, for any cause, unable to maintain them, and who, by consent in writing of such surviving parent, may be entrusted to said corporation.

(4) Children of like age, whose parents are, from any cause, unable to maintain them, and who, by consent in writing of the father, or, in case the father should have been legally declared an habitual drunkard or a lunatic, or shall be imprisoned on conviction of crime, or shall have been legally declared to have abandoned his family, then, by the consent in writing of the mother, may be entrusted to said corporation.

(5) Children of like age, having no parent living, and who, by consent in writing of their guardian, or nearest relative of full age, may be entrusted to said corporation.

(6) Children of like age, who may be transferred and entrusted to said corporation by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction of the City and County of New York.

§ 7. Children entrusted to said corporation by the voluntary act of their parents, guardians or nearest relations, as hereinbefore provided, shall be deemed to be in the lawful charge and custody of said corporation. Such entrusting shall be made and evidenced by an instrument in writing, in form substantially as follows, viz.: I, A. B. (father, mother, guardian or nearest relative, as the case may be), of a (male or female, as the case may be) infant child; aged _____, named _____ (or not named, as the case may be), born at _____, do hereby surrender and entrust to the New York Infant Asylum, for the period of _____ years, the entire management and control of such child, and do hereby assign to and invest said corporation with the same powers and control over said child as those of which I am possessed.

§ 8. Whenever any child of the age of two years, or under, shall be found on any street, avenue, highway, lane, alley, public place, dock, pier, vacant lot or yard, or in any vacant or uninhabited room, house, tenement, shed or building of any kind, in the City of New York, abandoned or deserted, it shall be lawful for any policeman or other person so finding such child to take, or cause the same to be taken, to the house of reception that may be provided by said corporation in the City of New York, and place such child in the custody of such corporation, thereupon making and subscribing, in a register to be kept for that purpose in said house of reception by said corporation, an entry in writing describing such child as nearly as may be, and setting forth with particularity the time and place, when and where, with the name and residence of the person by whom such child was so found, abandoned or deserted.

§ 9. The said corporation shall immediately thereupon cause a notice, substantially in the following form, with the blanks properly filled and subscribed by the superintendent of the said house of reception, to be furnished to the Metropolitan Police Commissioners, who shall cause the same to be posted in each of the police station houses in said city, viz.:

NOTICE.—This is to certify that a child of about the age of _____, hair _____, eyes _____, color _____, was on the _____ day of _____, 18 _____, found in the City of New York abandoned and deserted, and has been placed in the custody of the New York Infant Asylum, and, unless reclaimed, according to law, within thirty days, such child will remain in the charge and custody of said corporation.

Dated _____, 18 _____, _____ Superintendent.

§ 10. If, within said period of thirty days after such notice shall have been so posted, any person so claiming to be the parent or lawful guardian of such child shall make oath thereof before some magistrate of the City of New York, such magistrate shall thereupon issue a summons to said corporation to appear before him, at

a time and place to be specified, not less than two, nor more than four, days from the service thereof, to attend the hearing of said claim, for such child, and with said summons shall be served a copy of the affidavit so made before said magistrate. Upon the hearing, if the claimant shall establish by competent testimony, to the satisfaction of the magistrate, that such claimant is the parent or lawful guardian of such child, such magistrate shall thereupon make an order for the delivery of such child to such claimant. And the said claimant may thereupon remove the said child from the custody of the said corporation; provided, however, that if it shall satisfactorily appear to such magistrate that such claimant from habitual drunkenness, or other vicious or depraved habits or mode of life, or from indigency or lunacy, or other cause, is an unfit or improper person to have the care and custody of such child, he shall thereupon dismiss the said claim, and remand such child to the care and custody of said corporation. And in case upon the hearing the claimant shall fail to establish by competent testimony, to the satisfaction of the magistrate, that such claimant is the parent or lawful guardian of such child, then such magistrate shall thereupon dismiss the claim, and remand the child to the care and custody of said corporation.

§ 11. In case no such claim shall be made within the said period of thirty days, or, being made within that period, shall be dismissed by the magistrate, then such child shall remain and be deemed to be in the lawful care and custody of the said corporation, if a female, until the age of eighteen years, and if a male until the age of twenty-one years, unless sooner discharged by said corporation, as hereinafter provided.

§ 12. If at any time within three years after any child so found abandoned or deserted as aforesaid shall have been entrusted to the custody of said corporation, as above provided, it shall appear to the satisfaction of the Board of Managers, or any Justice of the Supreme Court or County Judge, that such child was for any cause wrongfully or improvidently so entrusted, the said Board shall thereupon, upon application of the parents or guardians of said child, discharge the said child, and restore it to such parents or guardian, and in case at any time after such abandoned or deserted child shall have been entrusted to said corporation it shall appear to the Board of Managers, having due regard to the welfare of such child and the purpose of said corporation, expedient or proper to discharge such child, the said Board of Managers, may, in their discretion, thereupon discharge such child, and restore it to its parents, guardian or other protector on such reasonable terms and conditions as the said Board may deem right and proper.

§ 13. Whenever any child, being in the custody of the said corporation, shall, by the commission of any crime, or by confirmed evil habits, have become so degraded or debased as, in the opinion of the Board of Managers, to be an improper subject for the care and management of said corporation, the said corporation shall have the power to deliver such child into the custody of some

magistrate or other competent authority of the City and County of New York to be disposed of in due course of law.

§ 14. The said corporation shall have the power, when the children in their care shall respectively attain a proper age, to procure the adoption of suitable foster-parents of such children as may properly be so adopted out, to place them at suitable employments and cause them to be instructed in suitable branches of knowledge, and at discretion to bind out or indenture such children, when of suitable ages, as clerks, apprentices or servants, to some profession, trade or employment, for such time or period as they may deem proper, not exceeding, however, in the case of girls, to the age of eighteen, and in the case of boys, to the age of twenty-one years; provided, however, that in the case of children voluntarily entrusted to said corporation by their parents, guardians or nearest relatives, as hereinbefore provided, the said corporation shall not bind out or indenture any such child for a period beyond the time for which such children have been entrusted to said corporation.

§ 15. No person to whom any child shall have been bound to service under the provisions of this act, or his executors, administrators or assigns, shall assign or transfer the indenture or contract of service to any other person, nor let or hire out for any period the services of such child, without the consent in writing of said corporation; and upon granting any such consent the said corporation may prescribe and impose any terms and conditions they may deem reasonable and proper; and every such assignment, when duly made with consent as aforesaid, shall have the effect to transfer to and vest in the assignee all the rights of the original master; and such assignee shall be subject to all the duties and obligations of such original master.

§ 16. In case of the death of any master to whom any child shall have been bound to service under the provisions of this act, or in case of the death of the assignee of any such master, then such death shall have the effect to cancel and annul the indenture or contract of service; and thereupon the said corporation shall resume the charge and management of such child, and have the same power and authority with regard to it as the indenture or contract of service was made.

§ 17. Any indenture or contract of service by which any child shall have been bound out under the provisions of this act, may, by the mutual consent of the master or the assignee and the said corporation, be cancelled and annulled upon such terms and conditions as may be mutually agreed upon, and thereupon the said corporation shall resume the charge and management of such child, and have the same power and authority with regard to it as before the indenture or contract of service was made.

§ 18. If any master or assignee shall be guilty of any cruelty or misuse towards any child so bound out to service under the provisions of this act, or shall refuse or neglect to furnish and provide proper food and clothing to such child, or shall commit any

other breach or violation of the terms of the indenture or contract of service under which such child is held, such child or any person in its behalf, may make complaint thereof to the Board of Managers of the said corporation or to a Justice of the Supreme Court, or to some Justice of the Peace of the county where such child is held to service, or to the mayor, recorder or an alderman, or any other magistrate of any city where such child is so held to service, who shall thereupon summon the said master or assignee to appear before them or him, and shall examine into, hear and determine such complaint; and if, upon such hearing, the said complaint shall appear to be well founded, they or he shall, by certificate in writing, discharge such child from the obligation of service, and restore such child to the charge and custody of said corporation, and with the like power as before the said indenture of contract of service was made; and the said master or assignee shall also be liable to the said corporation, in a civil action, for the breach of the agreement.

§ 19. The Board of Managers of the said corporation shall be the guardian of every child bound out or held for service under the provisions of this act, and shall see that the terms of the contract be faithfully performed by the master or assignee, and that such child is properly treated. And they shall inquire into the treatment of such child and redress any grievance in manner prescribed by law.

§ 20. Every master or assignee to whom any child shall be bound or held to service under the provisions of this act, shall, at least once in every six months during such term of service, report in writing to the Board of Managers of the said corporation, the conduct or behavior of such child, and whether such child is living under the care of the person to whom such child was originally bound, and if not, where and with whom such child is living. And all indentures and contracts of service made under this act shall in terms provide for such report being made.

§ 21. All damages that may be recovered and received by said corporation of any master or assignee for the breach or violation of the indenture or contract of service by which any child shall be bound out under the provisions of this act, after deducting therefrom the necessary expenses of recovering and collecting the same, shall be held by the said corporation, in trust for, and paid over to said child; if a female, at the age of eighteen years, and if a male, at the age of twenty-one years; provided, however, that if such child shall die before attaining such age, the said damages shall revert and belong to the said corporation.

§ 22. In each and every year after this act shall take effect the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of New York shall levy and collect by tax, at the same time and in the same manner as the contingent charges and expenses of the city and county are levied and collected, and pay over to said corporation, a sum of money at the rate of thirty-eight cents per day, in monthly payments, for each and every child received and maintained by said

asylum; and it shall be the duty of the Comptroller of said city to reimburse and pay over the difference between thirty-eight cents per day, and the amount actually received by said asylum from said supervisors since the passage of the amendment dated April eighteenth, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, to the aforesaid act of incorporation of eighteen hundred and sixty-five. It is further provided, that whenever any homeless or needy mother has received care and attendance in the lying-in wards of the New York Infant Asylum, the managers of said asylum shall be entitled to receive, from the county treasurer, as hereinbefore provided, the sum of twenty-five dollars for said care and obstetric attendance, and whenever any mother thus domiciled and attended at the birth of her child, and whenever any other homeless or needy mother with a nursing infant, resides at the asylum, by the request of its officers, and wet-nurses her own infant, the managers of said institution shall be entitled to receive, and shall receive, from the county treasurer, the sum of eighteen dollars per month, and proportionally for any fraction of a month, for each mother so remaining under their charge in said asylum, provided such residence shall exceed the period of two months, to be paid, as hereinbefore provided, in monthly, quarterly, or annual payments, as said managers may request; but the managers of the said institution shall not be entitled to receive the said monthly allowance for a longer period than for one year for any mother so remaining.

§ 23. Whenever any child, properly chargeable upon the fund placed by law at the disposal of the Commissioners of Emigration shall, agreeably to the provisions of this act, be intrusted and supported and maintained by the said corporation, the said corporation shall be entitled to receive from the fund the sums that are respectively designated and determined by the provisions of the twenty-second section of this act, for the infants and children of the two classes of ages in the said section respectively named.

§ 24. Schools may be established and maintained by the said corporation, and shall participate in the distribution of the Common School fund in the same manner and degree as the common schools of the City and County of New York, and the amount so distributed shall be paid to the Board of Managers of said corporation.

§ 25. The Board of Managers of said corporation shall, on or before the fourth Monday in January, in each and every year, make to the Legislature and to the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of New York, a detailed report of the whole number of children received by the said corporation during the year preceding, specifying the age, sex, residence, place of nativity, and also the nationality of parents when it can be ascertained, and whether the parents are living or dead, are temperate or intemperate; and as to all the children in their charge during the preceding year, specifying the time devoted to instruction, the nature and amount of punishment, the cases of disease, the number apprenticed or bound out to service, the number escaped, the number of deaths, the number restored to parents or guardians, or otherwise discharged,

and also such information as they may have received of the conduct of those who have been bound out or apprenticed, as well as the facts generally in relation to the performance of their duties by those at service; also the industrial occupation and pursuits of those at service; also the receipts, expenditures and financial condition of the corporation, and its general operations, with their results.

§ 26. The asylum and house of reception of said corporation shall be subject to visitation and inspection by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of New York, in any reasonable manner that may be directed by said Board of Supervisors; and it shall be the duty of the said Board of Supervisors to cause said asylum and house of reception to be visited and inspected at least twice each year.

§ 27. The Board of Managers of said corporation may receive children in said house of reception, similarly situated, from other counties in this State, upon such terms as may be agreed upon between them and the superintendents of the poor of such counties respectively. The superintendents of the poor in the several counties shall have the same power to send children, under such agreement, to said house of reception, as the said managers have under this act, and all the provisions of this act shall apply to the children of said counties.

§ 28. This act shall take effect immediately.

Exhibit C.

This Agreement, made the twenty-fourth day of June, 1909, between the NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL, party of the first part, and the NEW YORK INFANT ASYLUM, party of the second part, two membership corporations incorporated under the laws of the State of New York for kindred purposes, WITNESSETH :

That the Nursery and Child's Hospital is a corporation duly organized and existing by filing of a certificate of organization in the office of the Secretary of State of New York the Second day of May, 1854, under the name "The Nursery for the Children of Poor Women," and by virtue of an Act of the Legislature of the State of New York passed March 6, 1857, changing the name thereof to the "Nursery and Child's Hospital," and that the object and business of the Society, as stated in the said certificate of incorporation, is the maintenance and care of the children of wet nurses and the daily charge of infants whose parents labor away from home;

That the New York Infant Asylum is a corporation duly organized and existing under the Laws of the State of New York and incorporated by Act of the Legislature of the State of New York, known as Chapter 106 of the Laws of 1865, and amended by Chapter 263 of the Laws of 1872, and Chapter 90 of the Laws of 1877; that the objects of said corporation, as stated in said Acts, are to receive and take charge of foundlings and other infant children of the age of two years and under, which may be entrusted to their charge as hereinafter specified, and to provide for their support and moral, physical, intel-

lectual and industrial education; also to provide such lying-in wards and methods of care and guidance as shall tend to prevent the maternal abandonment of homeless infants, and diminish the moral dangers and personal sufferings to which homeless mothers are exposed.

SECOND.—That the parties, hereto having been incorporated for kindred purposes and having for a number of years been engaged in carrying on kindred benevolent work in the City of New York and believing that the purposes and work of said corporations can be most efficiently carried on by a consolidation of the said parties hereto and in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements herein contained, do hereby agree to merge and consolidate said corporations into a single corporation, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 7 of the Membership Corporations Law of the State of New York, under Article I of Chapter XLIII of the General Laws upon the following terms and conditions:

a. The name of the corporation formed by such consolidation shall be the “New York Nursery and Child’s Hospital.”

b. The objects and purposes of the consolidated corporation are as follows: The maintenance and care of the children of wet nurses and the daily charge of infants whose parents labor away from home; the maintenance of a home for illegitimate children and a lying-in asylum, and receiving and taking charge of foundlings and other infant children of the age of two years and under, which may be entrusted to its charge, and to provide for their support and moral, physical, intellectual

and industrial education, and providing such lying-in wards and methods of care and guidance as shall tend to prevent the maternal abandonment of homeless infants and diminish the moral dangers and personal sufferings to which homeless mothers are exposed; procuring the adoption of suitable foster parents for such children as may properly be adopted out; the establishment and maintenance of schools and exercising and enjoying each and every power and privilege now enjoyed by the parties hereto, or either of them, as fully as though herein more specifically enumerated and stated.

c. The principal office of said consolidated corporation shall be located in the City, County and State of New York, and its operations are to be principally conducted in said city.

d. The number of Directors of the consolidated corporation shall be thirty, and the names of the persons to be Directors until the first annual meeting are as follows:

Stephen Baker,	George H. Sullivan,
G. Morgan Browne,	Wm. W. Heaton,
Gheradi Davis,	Nicholas F. Palmer,
Francis B. Griffin,	Mrs. Algernon Sydney Sullivan,
Henry E. Howland,	Mrs. William M. Kingsland,
Edward de P. Livingston,	Mrs. Henry M. Day,
Jacob W. Miller,	Mrs. Robert Nicol,
Irving Paris,	Mrs. Edward Oothout,
P. Stuyvesant Pillot,	Mrs. Henry Clay Adams,
Frederick W. Rhinelanders,	Mrs. Edward Berwind,
Beverly R. Robinson,	Mrs. James J. Goodwin,
W. Emlen Roosevelt,	Miss Ruth Lawrence,
Gardner Wetherbee,	Mrs. Frank S. Wetherbee,
Dr. Edward L. Partridge,	Mrs. Thomas Hicks,
Frederick de P. Foster,	Mrs. Joseph S. Auerbach.

e. The annual meeting of the consolidated corporation shall be held the third Tuesday in November.

f. The consolidated corporation shall consist of not exceeding forty-four members, including the Mayor of the City of New York, President of the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York, the Commissioner of Public Charities of the City of New York and the Police Commissioner of the City of New York for the time being, all of whom shall be ex-officio members of said corporation. The other forty members shall consist of the following named persons (and such other persons as the Board of Directors may select to fill vacancies in said membership), namely :

Stephen Baker,	Mrs. William M. Kingsland,
Clark Bell,	Mrs. Henry M. Day,
G. Morgan Browne,	Mrs. Robert Nicol,
Gheradi Davis,	Mrs. Edward Oothout,
Francis B. Griffin,	Mrs. Henry Clay Adams,
Henry E. Howland,	Mrs. Edward J. Berwind,
Edward de P. Livingston,	Mrs. James J. Goodwin,
Jacob W. Miller,	Miss Ruth Lawrence,
Irving Paris,	Mrs. Frank S. Wetherbee,
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Frederick W. Rhinelanders,	Mrs. Joseph S. Auerbach,
Beverly R. Robinson,	Mrs. George H. Benjamin,
W. Emlen Roosevelt,	Mrs. William C. Egleston,
Gardner Wetherbee,	Mrs. Charles I. Hudson,
Dr. Edward L. Partridge,	Mrs. Charles F. Roe,
Frederick de P. Foster,	Mrs. William Robison,
George H. Sullivan,	Mrs. Winthrop Burr,
Wm. W. Heaton,	Mrs. Benjamin Knowler,
Nicholas F. Palmer,	Mrs. Wm. Goadby Loew.
Mrs. Algernon Sydney Sullivan,	

Members shall meet annually and specially when called and elect a Board of Directors not exceeding thirty in number from the members of the consolidated corpora-

tion. At the first annual meeting of the members of the consolidated corporation thirty Directors shall be elected and divided into three classes to serve one, two and three years each respectively, and thereafter the term of office of one class only shall expire each year and the term of their successors shall be as many years as there are classes, but the provision for such division into classes shall be subject to amendment, as provided in the Constitution. No person except the members hereinabove named, or elected as herein provided, shall have any vote at a meeting of the consolidated corporation, and the right of the ex-officio members to vote shall be subject to the provisions of and amendments to the Constitution.

g. The consolidated corporation shall have the Constitution and By-Laws hereunto annexed and made part of this agreement. The said Constitution, securing an equal representation of men and women among the members and in the Board of Directors, shall not be changed or amended except as therein provided. During the first three years of the consolidated corporation, however, the Board of Directors may be composed three-fifths of men and two-fifths of women.

h. The Board of Directors shall have the powers given by the Membership Corporations Law and other statutes of the State of New York now or hereafter enacted, the Charters of the present corporations, and those delegated to them by the Constitution and By-Laws, and the power to fill vacancies for unexpired terms in the office of Directors.

i. The lands on Lexington Avenue and 51st Street now in possession of The Nursery and Child's Hospital under leases executed by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, shall at all times be held and used only for the purposes for which the said lessee is now authorized to use the same, but the consolidated corporation shall have all rights with reference thereto which The Nursery and Child's Hospital now has.

j. The time of the Annual Meeting, the number of members and the provisions creating and controlling ex-officio members may be changed by amendment of the Constitution.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the party of the first part has caused its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed and these presents to be signed by its First Directress and Secretary, and the party of the second part has caused its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed and these presents to be signed by its President and Secretary the day and year above written.

NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL,

In presence of: By MARY MILDRED SULLIVAN,
 JOHN J. TIERNEY. First Directress.
 JULIA C. OOTHOUT,

[SEAL OF NURSERY Secretary.
 AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL.]

NEW YORK INFANT ASYLUM,

By STEPHEN BAKER,
 President.

[SEAL OF N. Y. G. MORGAN BROWNE,
 INFANT ASYLUM.] Secretary.

STATE OF NEW YORK, }
 County of New York, } ss.:

On this 24th day of June, 1909, before me personally came Mary Mildred Sullivan and Julia C. Oothout, to me known, who, being by me severally duly sworn, did depose and say and each for herself says: that she resided in the City of New York; that they are respectively the First Directress and Secretary of the NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL, the corporation described in and which executed the above instrument; that she knew the seal of said corporation; that the seal affixed to said instrument was such corporate seal; that it was so affixed by order of the Board of Managers of said corporation and that they signed their names thereto by like order as First Directress and Secretary, respectively.

JOHN J. TIERNEY,

Notary Public, Kings Co.,

Certif. filed in New York Co., N. Y.

[SEAL OF
 NOTARY.]

STATE OF NEW YORK, }
 County of New York, } ss. :

On this 24th day of June, 1909, before me personally came Stephen Baker and G. Morgan Browne, to me known, who, being by me severally duly sworn, did depose and say and each for himself says: that he resided in the City of New York, and New Windsor, Orange Co., N. Y.; that they are respectively the President and Secretary of the NEW YORK INFANT ASYLUM, the corporation described in and which executed the above instrument; that he knew the seal of said corporation; that the seal affixed to said instrument was such corporate seal; that it was so affixed by order of the Board of Managers of said corporation and that they signed their names thereto by like order as President and Secretary, respectively.

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CONSTITUTION
OF THE
NEW YORK NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL.

ARTICLE FIRST.

This Institution shall be perpetual.

ARTICLE SECOND.—*Name.*

The name of the corporation shall be the NEW YORK
NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL.

ARTICLE THIRD.—*Object.*

The purposes and objects of the Institution shall be those purposes and objects set forth or authorized or implied in the Articles of Agreement of Consolidation by which this Institution was created.

ARTICLE FOURTH.—*Organization.*

The Corporation shall consist of Forty regular members and four *ex-officio* members, as provided in the Agreement of Consolidation, each of whom shall have one vote in the management of its affairs, except that *ex-officio* members shall have no vote except in the election of Directors. The regular members shall be members for life unless they resign or are retired for inactivity or other causes provided for in the Constitution or By-Laws. The *ex-officio* members shall be the Mayor,

the Police Commissioner, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the Commissioner of Public Charities of the City of New York for the time being.

Of said number of regular members not more than one-half shall be men and not more than one-half shall be women.

The above-mentioned officers of the Government of the City of New York who are members *ex officio* shall not be considered in the division of the members between men and women.

In the event of vacancies among the members, such vacancies shall be filled by the Board of Directors as soon as conveniently may be done by the election of men or women as may be required to restore and maintain an equal representation of men and women among the members.

In the event of the failure of the Directors to fill the vacancies after reasonable time, the men members may by vote, at a meeting at which a majority of the men members are present, elect men members to fill vacancies among the men; and women members may by vote, at a meeting at which a majority of the women members are present, elect women members to fill vacancies among the women.

A majority of the regular men or women members is the majority here intended.

ARTICLE FIFTH.—*Management.*

The affairs of the Institution shall be managed by a Board of Directors to consist of thirty of the regular members elected by the members at their Annual Meet-

ing and those chosen by the Board of Directors to fill vacancies as provided in the By-Laws.

The Board of Directors shall consist of one-half men and one-half women, except that during the first three years after the first Annual Meeting, eighteen of the thirty directors may be men.

Provision for the detail management of the Institution also defining the organization, duties and powers of the Board of Directors may be set forth in the By-Laws.

Unless and until otherwise provided by the members by the vote of a majority of the members, the By-Laws hereto annexed and those hereafter adopted or amended from time to time by the Directors, shall be the By-Laws of the Institution.

ARTICLE SIXTH.—*Removal of Members.*

If during the period of one year any member shall have neither attended an Annual or Special Meeting of the Members, or a Regular or Special Meeting of the Board of Directors, or of the Executive Committee, or rendered on some other committee or in some other manner service satisfactory to the members, then the members may construe such absence and such lack of satisfactory service as a resignation, or may therefore remove such member from membership in order that the vacancy so created may be filled by some one more actively interested; *provided*, however, that a majority vote of the men members and a majority vote of the women members shall be required for such action. No member shall be removed except by a resolution duly presented

and seconded at a meeting of the members. Action on such resolution shall not be taken until after at least thirty days, and at least ten days' notice shall be given to the member of such proposed action and of the time of the meeting at which the same will be considered. Such notice may be given by mailing the same to the member at his last known post office address or by personal service thereof.

ARTICLE SEVENTH.—*Committees.*

If a majority of the men or a majority of the women properly present at any meeting of the Members or of the Directors or Executive Committee shall make a demand upon the officer or body authorized to appoint a committee, except the Executive Committee, that such committee shall contain an equal number of men and women, the committee to be appointed shall be so constituted.

Said demand may refer to a special committee or may include all committees to be appointed during a definite period not exceeding one year.

ARTICLE EIGHTH.—*Preservation of Equal Representation.*

Every amendment of the By-laws and every resolution, either of which shall affect or disturb the equal division of voting or executive power between the body of men and the body of women in the corporation or upon the Board of Directors, shall be voted upon in the same manner and under the same provisions as those for amending the constitution.

ARTICLE NINTH.—*Auxiliary and Honorary Bodies.*

For the purpose of assisting in the work of the Institution or for the purpose of raising money for the support and endowment, or for increasing public interest in its work, or for other purposes beneficial to the Institution, the Board of Directors is hereby empowered to create, authorize and officially recognize directly or through the executive committee and officers, auxiliary bodies or committees of persons who are not members of the corporation, and they may, under the name "Patron" or some other title, establish a class for the recognition of individual assistance from non-members.

ARTICLE TENTH.—*Amendment.*

This Constitution may be altered or amended by a concurrent affirmative vote of two-thirds of the entire number of the regular men members of the Institution and of two-thirds of the entire number of the regular women members of the Institution expressed at a Regular or Special Meeting. Notice of the proposed amendment must be given in a notice of meeting mailed to each member ten days prior to such meeting.

BY-LAWS
OF THE
NEW YORK NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL.

ARTICLE I.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

Section 1. The property, business and affairs of the corporation shall be managed by a Board of Directors not exceeding thirty (30) in number as provided by the constitution and agreement of consolidation. The first Board of Directors shall consist of those persons who are nominated therefor in the agreement of consolidation and shall hold office until the first annual meeting of the Members of the Corporation. At the first annual meeting of the Members of the Corporation thirty (30) directors shall be elected from the members, and divided into three classes, to serve one, two, and three years each, respectively, and thereafter the term of office of one class only shall expire each year and the term of their successors shall be as many years as there are classes. Thereafter at each annual meeting of the Members of the Corporation, directors shall be elected to fill the offices of the classes whose term of service has expired. In the event of vacancies occurring during any term the Board of Directors may fill such vacancies by selecting persons from the members of the corporation to serve as directors until the expiration of the term in which said vacancy occurred. All directors shall be

chosen from the members of the corporation and shall consist of equal numbers of men and women except that during the first three years after the first annual meeting of the members of the consolidated corporation the Board may be composed of three-fifths men and two-fifths women. At all elections after the first three years men or women shall be chosen, so as to preserve an equal representation. All directors shall hold office until their successors are elected.

Section 2. The Board of Directors shall have the powers given by the General Corporation Law and the Membership Corporations Law and other statutes of the State of New York and the charters of the New York Infant Asylum and the Nursery & Child's Hospital, and the general powers of such officers of a corporation. At all meetings of the Board of Directors nine shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of ordinary business, but no purchase, sale or other disposition of real estate, nor election, or removal of officers of the corporation, nor election to fill a vacancy on the Board of Directors or among the members, nor any contract involving an expenditure of \$5,000 or upwards shall be made, nor any by-laws adopted, amended or repealed, without the presence of a majority of the Directors then in office.

Section 3. The Board of Directors shall hold their annual meeting as soon as practicable in the month of November in each year after the annual meeting of the Members of the Corporation, and thereafter shall hold meetings in January, March and May of each year and

may hold special meetings at any time when called by the recording secretary on the written request of the President or the written request of nine directors.

Section 4. In the event of vacancies occurring among the members of the Corporation, the Board of Directors shall elect persons to fill such vacancies pursuant to the Constitution.

ARTICLE II.

OFFICERS.

Section 1. The officers of the corporation shall consist of the following:

- (1) President
- (2) Vice-President
- (3) Treasurer
- (4) Recording Secretary
- (5) Corresponding Secretary
- (6) General Counsel

who shall hold their respective offices for a period of one year from the date of their election or until the next annual meeting of the Board of Directors, or until their successors are elected, or until their term of office as directors has expired. They shall be chosen by ballot at the annual meeting of the Board of Directors from among the directors. Any vacancy occurring before the annual meeting may be filled at any meeting of the Board of Directors at which a majority of the directors then in office shall be present, and the officers to fill such vacancy shall be chosen by ballot. The officers so chosen shall hold office until the expiration of the term in which the vacancy occurred.

Section 2. The President shall preside at all meetings of the Board of Directors and at all meetings of the members of the corporation, and shall perform such other duties as may be required by the constitution and by-laws. He shall appoint all committees in his discretion except as otherwise provided by the constitution and by-laws or by vote of the Board of Directors or Members. He shall be ex-officio a member of all committees.

Section 3. In the event of a vacancy in the office of president or during his absence or inability to act, his duties and powers shall devolve upon the Vice-President; should the vice-president be unable to act a president *pro tem* shall be chosen by the Board of Directors.

Section 4. The Treasurer shall be charged with the custody of all papers and documents relating to the property of the corporation and of all securities owned by the corporation except as otherwise provided, and all moneys belonging to it. He shall have the custody of the corporate seal, which shall be used only upon the authority of the Board of Directors. He shall keep such accounts with banks and trust companies as the Board of Directors shall direct, and shall deposit therein all moneys immediately upon receiving them. He shall keep such accounts as may be necessary to show the receipts, expenditures and financial condition of the corporation or as may be required by the Board of Directors, or the Executive Committee. He shall pay no money or transfer any securities or property without the authority of the Board of Directors or of the Executive Committee, and he shall make an annual report of

all funds received and disbursements made by him to the members of the corporation at their annual meeting, and shall also make report to the Board of Directors at each meeting thereof and to the Executive Committee at such times and in such form as this Committee shall direct. He shall keep a complete list of names of subscribers and donors and perform such other duties as the Board of Directors may from time to time specially direct.

SECTION 5. The Recording Secretary shall take the minutes of all meetings of the members of the corporation and of the Board of Directors, and shall notify all persons of their appointment as members, directors and officers, or of their appointment on any auxiliary committees, and inform directors of their appointment on committees, and keep a complete list of the names and residences of members and directors, and shall inform members and directors of all meetings of their Boards respectively. At least five days' notice of regular meetings shall be given, but in the case of special meetings twenty-four hours' notice shall be sufficient. Notice of meetings mailed to the last address furnished to the recording secretary by a member or director shall be sufficient. The recording secretary shall perform such other duties as usually pertain to this office or may be imposed upon him by the Board of Directors.

SECTION 6. The Corresponding Secretary shall conduct all of the correspondence of the corporation not necessary to be conducted by other officers, and shall

have charge of the preparation and publication of the annual report.

SECTION 7. The General Counsel shall act as legal adviser of the corporation, but shall not be required to conduct litigation or real estate transactions, but may be authorized to retain paid counsel for such matters by the Executive Committee in their discretion.

SECTION 8. All officers shall serve without compensation.

ARTICLE III.

COMMITTEES.

SECTION 1. At the annual meeting of the Board of Directors in November, the President shall appoint the following standing committees, viz.:

- (1) Executive Committee,
- (2) Finance and Auditing Committee,
- (3) Nominating Committee,
- (4) Committee on Homes for Children,
- (5) House and Inspection Committees,
- (6) Charity Ball Committee.

The President shall have power to appoint the chairmen of all committees and to fill vacancies thereon, and all appointments on committees shall be entirely in the discretion of the President unless otherwise provided by the constitution or by-laws or unless prior to such appointment a resolution be passed by the Board of Directors designating the membership or providing other methods of appointment, or unless a demand for representation on any committee be made by either the men

or women on the Board of Directors according to the provisions of the agreement of consolidation and the constitution.

SECTION 2. The Executive Committee shall consist of nine directors in addition to the President *ex officio*, of whom not less than four shall be men and not less than four shall be women, five of whom shall constitute a quorum. The Executive Committee shall meet at least once monthly at such time and place as it may direct, and meetings may be called at any time by the Chairman or any two members of the Committee. The Executive Committee shall have general charge of the property and business of the corporation, with power to make rules and regulations and audit bills and accounts for payment and approve vouchers and authorize repairs and disbursements, pay rolls and supplies. In no case shall such repairs or disbursements exceed \$5,000 for any one item without the authority of the Board of Directors, but this limitation shall not apply to monthly pay rolls and supplies. The Executive Committee shall also have full power to employ and discharge all employees, house physicians, and members of the house staff, and fix their compensation, and full control of the admission and discharge of inmates and power to suspend employees or house physicians or members of the house staff for delinquency pending investigation, but appointments of house physicians or members of the house staff shall be made only on the recommendation of the Medical Board or the Executive Committee thereof.

No payments of money of the corporation shall be made nor shall any indebtedness be incurred nor any con-

tract be entered into without the authority of the Executive Committee or the Board of Directors, unless otherwise specially provided by the Board of Directors or the constitution or by-laws.

SECTION 3. The Finance and Auditing Committee shall consist of six directors and shall have general supervision over the financial resources of the corporation and devise means for raising funds and shall have access with the Treasurer to the safe deposit box of the corporation and shall examine the Treasurer's accounts at the close of each year prior to the annual meeting, together with the securities, and report upon them to the Board of Directors, and shall have also authority to employ such expert accountants as they may deem necessary to aid in such examination and report.

SECTION 4. The Nominating Committee shall consist of six directors, of whom four shall constitute a quorum. The Nominating Committee shall have power to nominate persons to fill vacancies among the members of the corporation and for election to the Board of Directors, and to fill positions on the Medical Board or under the Medical Board. No person shall be eligible for election as a member or director unless nominated by the Nominating Committee or nominated by a petition in writing signed by at least ten members of the Board of Directors.

SECTION 5. The Committee on Homes for Children shall consist of ten directors, of whom three shall constitute a quorum, and shall have general charge of the adoption of children and placing them out in free or temporary homes, and shall have supervision of them afterwards.

SECTION 6. The House and Inspection Committee shall consist of ten directors whose duty it shall be to examine at least once in each month all buildings of the corporation, and the methods employed for carrying on the work of the corporation, and the conduct of the employees of the corporation, and shall report to the Executive Committee at least once in each month the result of such inspection and their recommendations in connection therewith.

SECTION 7. The Charity Ball Committee shall consist of ten directors and shall have full power to organize, manage and maintain the annual Charity Ball in the name of and for the benefit of the New York Nursery & Child's Hospital. It shall have power to select from its own number a chairman, treasurer and secretary, and other officers and may associate with itself other persons not members of the corporation, and may create and authorize auxiliary committees and bodies to assist it in the management of the ball and in arousing public interest therein as it may deem best.

The Charity Ball Committee shall have power to receive and disburse money in connection with the management of the ball, and may incur indebtedness in connection therewith not in excess of an amount to be fixed by the Board of Directors or the Executive Committee, and shall report to the Board of Directors annually and shall pay over any surplus arising from such ball to the Treasurer.

SECTION 8. Special Committees may be appointed by the President at any time to collect special Christmas funds and gifts, and special Easter funds and gifts, and

to organize and maintain a sewing class, and to raise a Fresh Air Fund, and for such other purposes as shall tend to excite the interest of, and invite assistance from the public, or for any other lawful purpose.

ARTICLE IV.

AUXILIARY BODIES.

SECTION 1. As authorized by the Constitution and for the purpose of obtaining for the expansion, maintenance and administration of the work of the Institution the interested, efficient and organized co-operation of a larger number of persons than can be practically included in the corporate voting membership, the Board of Directors may in such ways as shall increase the efficiency without lessening or confusing the authority of the Board, associate with itself or with its committees persons who are not members of the corporation, and may commit to such non-members any special and subordinate work which is not, by its nature properly the exclusive work of the Board of Directors as the Board of ultimate responsibility. Such non-members shall have no vote in the management of the corporation except in the conduct of the committee upon which they may serve, and they shall have no responsibility except for the faithful and proper performance of such service as they may agree to render. This service shall always be subject to the provisions of the constitution and by-laws and other rules and resolutions of the Board of Directors relating thereto.

SECTION 2. *Associate Managers.* In conformity with the provisions of Section 1 of this Article, the Board of Directors is authorized to establish and organize for its

assistance a body of persons not corporate members under the name "Associate Managers." They shall be elected by the Board of Directors at the Annual Meeting or by the Board or the Executive Committee from time to time during the Corporate year. Their term of office unless otherwise provided in special cases shall expire at the Annual Meeting of the Directors next following their election. They shall consist of men and women who will serve on Inspection Committees, organize and manage Christmas and Easter Fund Committees, Sewing Classes and other auxiliary bodies or who will in any way intimately and actively interest themselves in some branch of the work of the Institution. All managers and members of the Advisory Board of the NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL not named as members of the Consolidated Corporation and the members of the Ladies' Committee of the New York Infant Asylum on June first, 1909, shall be the first Associate Managers. The Associate Managers may visit the Institution from time to time and may attend the annual meeting. They shall receive copies of the annual report and the report of the overseers, and shall annually appoint a committee of not less than three to report to the Directors of the corporation at their annual meeting on the general work and efficiency of the Institution, together with their recommendations for the future conduct of the same.

SECTION 3. *Founders.* All members of the Board of Managers of the Nursery & Child's Hospital and of its advisory Board and all the members of the Board of Managers of the New York Infant Asylum and its Ladies' Committee on the first day of June, 1909, are

and shall be designated as founders. Founders shall have no responsibility as such and shall have no vote. They shall have the privilege of visiting the Institution at any time and of offering advice as to its management in any particular.

FOUNDERS OF THE NEW YORK NURSERY AND CHILD'S
HOSPITAL.

Mrs. Joseph S. Auerbach,	Mrs. Dallas Bache Pratt,
Mrs. Henry Clay Adams,	Mrs. Charles Phelps,
Mrs. Edward J. Berwind,	Mrs. Frank B. Porter,
Mrs. Henry B. Barnes,	Mrs. William Robison,
Mrs. George H. Benjamin,	Mrs. Wm. Hamilton Russell,
Mrs. Oliver Bronson,	Mrs. Charles F. Roe,
Mrs. John M. Bowers,	Mrs. Algernon Sydney Sullivan,
Mrs. Prescott Hall Butler,	Mrs. Earnest F. Schaffer,
Mrs. Winthrop Burr,	Mrs. Lawrence Stoddard,
Mrs. Henry M. Day,	Mrs. Henry W. Taft,
Mrs. Frederick J. DePeyster,	Mrs. Lewis F. Whitin,
Mrs. F. Ashton DePeyster	Miss. Adelaide White,
Mrs. William C. Egleston,	Mrs. Frank S. Wetherbee,
Mrs. James W. Gerard,	Mr. Stephen Baker,
Mrs. James J. Goodwin,	Mr. Clark Bell,
Mrs. Thomas Hicks,	Mr. G. Morgan Browne,
Mrs. Charles I. Hudson,	Mr. Gheradi Davis,
Mrs. John Hays Hammond,	Mr. Arthur DuBois,
Mrs. W. W. Heaton,	Mr. Francis B. Griffin,
Miss Helen D. Hunt,	Mr. W. W. Heaton,
Mrs. Benjamin Knowler,	Mr. Henry E. Howland,
Mrs. Henry S. Kingsley,	Mr. Edward de P. Livingston,
Mrs. William M. Kingsland,	Mr. Jacob W. Miller,
Miss Eleanor Leroy,	Mr. Nicholas Palmer,
Miss Ruth Lawrence	Mr. Irving Paris,
Mrs. Wm. Goadby Loew,	Mr. P. Stuyvesant Pillot,
Mrs. Lewis Cass Ledyard,	Mr. Frederick W. Rhinelandier,
Mrs. George H. Macy,	Mr. Beverley R. Robinson,
Mrs. Henry S. Morton,	Mr. W. Emlen Roosevelt,
Mrs. Charles F. Maclean,	Mr. Louis L. Stanton,
Mrs. Robert Nicol,	Mr. George H. Sullivan,
Mrs. Edward Oothout,	Mr. Gardiner Wetherbee,
Miss C. H. Patterson,	

SECTION 4. *Board of Patrons and Overseers.* For the purpose of multiplying as much as possible the number of persons interested in the success, maintenance and management of the institution and identifying with it persons whose advice, co-operation, influence and endorsements may be of value, the Board of Directors may establish a class of such persons to be known as *Patrons and Overseers* and may from time to time elect persons to be members of such body. The Patrons and Overseers shall each year choose from their Board an Inspection Committee of not less than three, and such Board shall have the privilege of visiting the Institution at any time and shall make a thorough investigation of its management and affairs and offer advice as to the same, and it shall be its duty to make at least one inspection each year of every department of the institution and make a report thereon, to the members of the corporation at their annual meeting. In the event that the Patrons and Overseers have not chosen such committee, within one month after the annual meeting of the members of the corporation the Board of Directors shall appoint such committee from among the Patrons and Overseers. The Patrons and Overseers as such shall have no responsibility for or vote in the management of the corporation.

SECTION 5. *Annual Contributors.* All persons who shall during any current year contribute the sum of \$5 or more to the funds of the corporation shall be known as "Annual Contributors" for that year. All annual contributors of the New York Infant Asylum and the Nursery & Child's Hospital upon the first day of June,

1909, shall be and become Annual Contributors of the New York Nursery & Child's Hospital. Annual Contributors shall have no vote as such.

ARTICLE V.

MEDICAL BOARD.

SECTION 1. The Board of Directors shall appoint annually upon the recommendation of the Nominating Committee the following consulting and attending physicians and obstetricians who shall constitute the Medical Board, and shall hold office for one year or until their successors are appointed, viz.:

- Three or more consulting physicians,
- Three or more consulting obstetricians,
- Three or more attending physicians,
- Three or more attending obstetricians.

SECTION 2. The Board of Directors may also appoint annually upon the recommendation of the Nominating Committee a consulting sanitarian and an attending sanitarian, and a curator and pathologist, and one or more adjunct attending physicians and one or more adjunct attending obstetricians who shall not be members of the Medical Board and who shall hold office for one year or until their successors are appointed.

SECTION 3. The Medical Board shall meet quarterly and shall organize by the election of a chairman and secretary, and shall also select an executive committee which shall meet monthly. The chairman shall preside at all meetings of the Medical Board and in his absence

a chairman *pro tem* shall be elected. The Secretary of the Medical Board shall keep a correct record of all proceedings of the Medical Board. The Medical Board shall report annually to the Board of Directors and monthly to the Executive Committee of the Board of Directors. Vacancies in the Medical Board may be filled at any regular meeting of the Board of Directors on the recommendation of the Nominating Committee.

SECTION 4. There shall be a resident physician in each branch of the Institution and such assistant resident physicians as the Executive Committee of the Board of Directors shall deem necessary. They shall be graduates in medicine and shall be recommended by the Medical Board to the Executive Committee of the Board of Directors and be appointed for such terms as the Executive Committee of the Board of Directors shall prescribe.

ARTICLE VI.

SECURITIES AND RECORDS.

SECTION 1. All bonds, stocks and all invested securities and evidences of value shall be kept in a safe in the vault of a safe deposit company to be taken in the name of the corporation. Access to the safe containing the securities shall only be had by the Treasurer when accompanied by a member of the Finance and Auditing Committee, or in the absence of the Treasurer by two members of the Finance and Auditing Committee. A record shall be made of each visit to the vault in a book provided for that purpose, stating over the signature of the visitors all changes made in the contents of the safe, and,

when no changes are made, the object of the visit. This record shall be submitted to the Board of Directors at its next subsequent meeting. The principal of no stock or bond shall be collected by the Treasurer nor shall any changes be made in the investments of the corporation without authority in writing of the Finance and Auditing Committee or a resolution of the Board of Directors.

SECTION 2. All books, papers and records of the corporation except as otherwise provided by the Executive Committee shall be kept in the office of the Corporation and open to inspection by members and directors subject to such rules as the Executive Committee may prescribe.

ARTICLE VII.

AMENDMENTS.

These By-Laws may be revised or amended at any regular or special meeting of the Board of Directors where a majority of the Board then in office is present, provided however that notice in writing of such proposed amendment shall have been given at a preceding regular or special meeting.

Exhibit D.

CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL

BY THE NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL.

STATE OF NEW YORK, }
 City and County of New York, } ss.:

MARY MILDRED SULLIVAN and JULIA C. OOTHOUT, being severally duly sworn, depose and say and each for herself deposes and says: That a Special Meeting of the NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL was duly held at the Hospital Building, corner of Lexington Avenue and 51st Street, in the City of New York, on the third day of June, 1909, the Special Meeting having been called for the purpose of considering the approval of the foregoing agreement and petition; that a quorum was present at such meeting and that a resolution for the approval of said agreement and petition was duly made, seconded and presented for consideration to said meeting; that the total number of votes cast upon said question was twenty of which nineteen votes were cast in favor of said resolution and one vote was cast against the same; that the number of votes cast in favor of such resolution was more than three-fourths of all the votes lawfully cast at such meeting.

That deponents were respectively Chairman and Clerk of said meeting.

MARY MILDRED SULLIVAN,
 Chairman.

JULIA C. OOTHOUT,
 Clerk.

[SEAL OF NURSERY
 AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL.]

Sworn to before me this }
 24th day of June, 1909. }

JOHN J. TIERNEY,

[SEAL OF
 NOTARY.]

Notary Public, Kings Co.

Certif. filed in New York Co., N. Y.

Exhibit E.

CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL.

BY THE NEW YORK INFANT ASYLUM.

STATE OF NEW YORK,)
 City and County of New York,) ss. :

STEPHEN BAKER and G. MORGAN BROWNE, being severally duly sworn, depose and say and each for himself deposes and says: That a Special Meeting of the NEW YORK INFANT ASYLUM was duly held at the Manhattan Company Bank, No. 40 Wall Street, in the City of New York, on the 17th day of June, 1909, the Special Meeting having been called for the purpose of considering the approval of the foregoing agreement and petition; that a quorum was present at such meeting, and that a resolution for the approval of said agreement and petition was duly made, seconded and presented for consideration to said meeting; that the total number of votes cast upon said question was ten, of which ten votes were cast in favor of said resolution and no vote was cast against the same; that the number of votes cast in favor of such resolution was more than three-fourths of all the votes lawfully cast at such meeting.

That deponents were respectively Chairman and Clerk of said meeting.

STEPHEN BAKER,

Chairman.

G. MORGAN BROWNE,

Clerk.

Sworn to before me this }
 24th day of June, 1909. }

JOHN J. TIERNEY,

[SEAL OF
NOTARY.]

Notary Public, Kings Co.

Certf. filed in New York Co., N. Y.

Exhibit F.

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES
OF THE NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL.

May 1st 1909.

Real Estate in fee, Borough of Manhattan	\$ 70,000
“ “ “ “ Borough of Richmond	50,000
Investment mortgages	180,500
Rail Road Bonds—par value	40,000
Fund held by Trustees	32,911
Cert. of Deposit N. Y. Life & Trust Co.	10,000
Cash in Bank	4,410.75

In addition to the above the Corporation holds under lease from New York City the land on S. E. Cor. of Lex. Ave. & E. 51st St. upon which part of its Hospital Buildings stand. Difficult to appraise.

Total par values less value of the leasehold property \$387,821.75

Liabilities

Accounts payable	\$ 2,885.14
Net assets at par less value of leasehold property	\$384,936.61

INCOME FOR ONE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31ST, 1908.

N. Y. City Comptroller	\$ 4,512.25
Investments	12,410.41
Charity Ball & Special Committee Funds	13,935.33
Donations, Subscriptions, Legacies	10,746.55
House Income	7,973.93
Sale of Hay from Country Branch	75.00

\$49,653.47

MARY E. NICOL.

Treasurer.

STATE OF NEW YORK, }
 County of New York, } ss. :

On this 24th day of June, A. D. 1909, personally appeared before me, a Notary Public in and for the County of New York, MARY E. NICOL, the Treasurer of the above named Corporation who being duly sworn according to law, did depose and say that the foregoing report is true and correct to the best of her knowledge and belief.

MARY E. NICOL.

Sworn to before me the day }
 and year aforesaid. }

JOHN J. TIERNEY,

[SEAL OF
 NOTARY.]

Notary Public, Kings Co.

Certif. filed in New York Co., N. Y.

Exhibit G.

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES
 OF THE
 NEW YORK INFANT ASYLUM.

April 1, 1909.

Assets:

Real Estate & Buildings at 61st St. and Amsterdam Ave., N. Y.	
City	\$265,169.93
Mortgage on Property at Mt. Vernon	80,000.00
Stocks and Bonds.....	54,801.00 ✓
Long Island Property.....	12,610.47
Furniture & Fixtures	2,489.27
Due from Comptroller City of N. Y.	21,274.03
Cash in Banks	16,118.89
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	\$452,463.59

Liabilities:

Mortgage on Long Island		
Property	\$ 3,000.00	
Bills Payable	25,000.00	
Accounts Payable	11,668.79	
Salaries & Labor	1,291.23	\$ 40,960.02
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<i>Net Worth</i>		<u>\$411,503.57</u> ✓

INCOME FOR ONE YEAR—ENDING OCT. 1ST, 1908.

Comptroller City N. Y.....	\$113,715.00	
From Investments	7,996.00	
“ Donations	3,250.00	
“ Pay Patients	5,313.76	\$130,274.76
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		<u>\$130,274.76</u>

FRANCIS B. GRIFFIN.
Treasurer.

STATE OF NEW YORK, }
County of New York, } ss.:

On this 28th day of June, A. D. 1909, personally appeared before me, a Notary Public in and for the County of New York, FRANCIS B. GRIFFIN, the Treasurer of the above named Corporation who being duly sworn according to law, did depose and say that the foregoing report is true and correct to the best of his knowledge and belief.

FRANCIS B. GRIFFIN.

Sworn to before me the day }
and year aforesaid. }

JOHN J. TIERNEY,

[SEAL OF
NOTARY.]

Notary Public, Kings Co.

Certif. filed in New York Co., N. Y.

SUPPLEMENTARY AGREEMENT.

MEMORANDUM OF A SUPPLEMENTARY AGREEMENT made this 11th day of November, 1909, by and between the Nursery and Child's Hospital, party of the first part, and the New York Infant Asylum, party of the second part, two membership corporations existing and incorporated under the laws of the State of New York for kindred purposes.

WHEREAS, in an agreement between the Nursery and Child's Hospital and the New York Infant Asylum, dated June 24th, 1909, whereby both said Institutions agreed to consolidate, it was stated in Paragraph Second that said corporations agreed to consolidate in pursuance of the provisions of Section Seven of the Membership Corporations Law of the State of New York under Article I of Chapter XLIII of the General Laws; and

WHEREAS, during the negotiation for consolidation and the preparation of the agreement, to wit, on the 17th day of February, 1909, said General Law and Chapter 493 of the laws of 1906 amending same were repealed and a new law enacted relating to the same subjects and entitled the Membership Corporations Law—being Chapter 40 of Laws of 1909; and

WHEREAS, Section Seven of Article II of said Chapter 40 of Laws of 1909 contains the same only and all of the same provisions for consolidation as said Section Seven of Article I of Chapter 43 of General Laws above mentioned as amended by Section 1, Chapter 493, of Laws of 1906. Said Sections in the old and in the new law being identical word for word; and

WHEREAS, all of the requirements of said Section Seven, Article II, of Chapter 40, of Laws of 1909, preliminary to the presentation of the petition to the Court have been complied with; and

WHEREAS, in sub-divisions D and F in the list of persons who will be the first directors of the consolidated corporation and in the list of persons who will constitute the first members of the consolidated corporation, certain married women have been designated by the names of their husbands.

Now the above named corporations do hereby amend said agreement by striking out from the last line but one of said "*Second*" paragraph of said agreement the words "Article 1 of Chapter XLIII of the General Laws" and substituting therefor the words "Article II of Chapter Thirty-five of the Consolidated Laws, being Chapter 40 of the Laws of 1909," and hereby further amend said agreement by striking out from said second paragraph in Subdivision D thereof the names of the married women designated therein by the names of their husbands and substituting therefor their own names, so that the list of the names of the same twelve women, including the names of such unmarried women as were on the original list shall now read as follows:

Mary Mildred Sullivan,
 Mary M. Kingsland,
 Sarah V. Day,
 Mary E. Nicol,
 Julia C. Oothout,
 Virginia P. Adams,

Hermanie Berwind,
 Josephine S. Goodwin,
 Ruth Lawrence,
 Mary S. Wetherbee,
 Angie King Hicks,
 Katharine H. Auerbach,

and be further amended as to Subdivision F of the second paragraph by striking out therefrom all of the names of the married women designated by the names of their husbands and substituting therefor their own names, so that the list of the names of the same twenty women including the names of such unmarried women as were on the original list shall now read as follows:

Mary Mildred Sullivan,	Angie King Hicks,
Mary M. Kingsland,	Katharine H. Auerbach,
Sarah V. Day,	Grace L. Benjamin,
Mary E. Nichol,	Ella L. Egleston,
Julia C. Oothout,	Sarah E. K. Hudson,
Virgina P. Adams,	Katherine Bogart Roe,
Hermanie Berwind,	Jeannie F. J. Robison,
Josephine S. Goodwin,	Frances Page Burr,
Ruth Lawrence,	Mary C. Knower,
Mary S. Wetherbee,	Florence B. Loew.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the party of the first part has caused its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed and these presents to be signed by its First Directress and Secretary, and the party of the second part has caused its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed and these presents to be signed by its President and Secretary the day and year above written, the execution hereof having been authorized by resolution of the respective Boards of Managers of the parties hereto.

NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL,

[SEAL.]

By MARY MILDRED SULLIVAN,

First Directress.

JULIA C. OOTHOUT,

Secretary Nursery & Child's Hospital.

NEW YORK INFANT ASYLUM,

[SEAL.]

By STEPHEN BAKER,

President.

BEVERLEY R. ROBINSON,

Secretary.

STATE OF NEW YORK, }
 County of New York, } ss. :

On this 11th day of November, 1909, before me personally came MARY MILDRED SULLIVAN and JULIA C. OOTHOUT, to me known, who, being by me severally duly sworn, did depose and say and each for herself says: that she resided in the City of New York; that they are respectively the First Directress and Secretary of the Nursery and Child's Hospital, the corporation described in and which executed the above instrument; that she knew the seal of said corporation; that the seal affixed to said instrument was such corporate seal; that it was so affixed by order of the Board of Managers of said corporation and that they signed their names thereto by like order as First Directress and Secretary, respectively.

JOHN J. TIERNEY,

[SEAL.]

Notary Public, Kings County,
 Certf. filed in New York Co., N. Y.

STATE OF NEW YORK, }
 County of New York, } ss. :

On this 11th day of November, 1909, before me personally came STEPHEN BAKER and BEVERLEY R. ROBINSON, to me known, who, being by me severally duly sworn, did depose and say and each for himself says: that he resided in the City of New York; that they are respectively the President and Secretary of the New York Infant Asylum, the corporation described in and which executed the above instrument; that he knew the seal of said corporation; that the seal affixed to said instrument was such corporate seal; that it was so affixed by order

of the Board of Managers of said corporation and that they signed their names thereto by like order as President and Secretary, respectively.

JOHN J. TIERNEY,
Notary Public, Kings Co.,
Certf. filed in New York Co., N. Y.

[SEAL.]

No. 708. Form 9.

STATE OF NEW YORK, }
County of New York, } ss.:

I, WILLIAM F. SCHNEIDER, Clerk of the said County and Clerk of the Supreme Court of said State for said County, DO CERTIFY, That I have compared the preceding with the original Petition on file in my office, and that the same is a correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole of such original.

(Endorsed.)—Filed March 2nd, 1910.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my official seal this 3rd day of March, 1910.

(Signed) WM. F. SCHNEIDER, Clerk.

[SEAL OF THE
STATE OF NEW YORK.]

ENDORSEMENT OF
APPROVAL OF THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL
OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

NOVEMBER 12TH, 1909.

Approved as to form

(Signed) EDWARD R. O'MALLEY
Attorney-General.

11/12/09.

CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL

BY

THE STATE BOARD OF CHARITIES

[SEAL.]

No. A 53.

State of New York,
STATE BOARD OF CHARITIES,
The Capitol at Albany.

IN THE MATTER

OF

THE INCORPORATION OF NEW YORK
NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL.

WHEREAS, Application has been made to the State Board of Charities for its approval of the incorporation of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital to be formed by the Consolidation of the Nursery and Child's Hospital and the New York Infant Asylum, and

WHEREAS, On due inquiry and investigation it appears to said Board desirable and proper that such institution shall be so incorporated.

NOW, THEREFORE, In pursuance of and in conformity with the provisions of Chapter 40 of the Laws of the State of New York, enacted February 17, 1909, the said State Board of Charities hereby certifies that it approves of the consolidation of the Nursery and Child's Hospital and the New York Infant Asylum under the corporate

name of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital, the petition for the incorporation of which is hereunto annexed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said Board has this 17th day of November, 1909, caused these Presents to be subscribed by its President and attested by its Secretary and its official seal to be hereunto affixed.

WILLIAM R. STEWART,

President.

[SEAL.]

Attest:

ROBERT W. HILL,

Secretary.

NOVEMBER 1, 1910.

To the Board of Directors of the

NEW YORK NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL :

The New York Nursery and Child's Hospital was formed on March 2, 1910, by a consolidation of the Nursery and Child's Hospital and the New York Infant Asylum, pursuant to an order of the Supreme Court of New York County bearing date that day. The books of the new corporation were opened on March 2, 1910, the date of the consolidation, and were closed on September 30, 1910, at the end of the fiscal year. All items of cash and property of both constituent corporations as nearly as they could be ascertained at the time of consolidation were credited to capital on the books of the new corporation, and all liabilities were charged as such. Items subsequently ascertained were charged up when definitely fixed.

Annexed hereto are tables compiled from the books of the corporation, showing Cash Receipts and Disbursements, Comparative Balance Sheet, Tables of Revenue and Expenses, Analysis of Expenses at each branch of the Institution, and amounts charged to the City of New York for care and support of inmates.

The stocks and bonds are valued at their respective prices on the New York Stock Exchange on the dates given as nearly as it is possible to ascertain them; the bonds and mortgages are taken at their face value; the real estate is taken at the value at which it was carried in the books of the old corporations, when any value was given, and in other cases an arbitrary value has been assumed. It is believed that all these values are reasonable.

Respectfully submitted,

G. MORGAN BROWNE,

Treasurer.

Treasurer's Office,

161 West 61st Street,

New York City.

TABLE I.

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF CASH

FROM MARCH 2, 1910, TO SEPTEMBER 30, 1910.

RECEIPTS.

Cash Received from N. Y. Infant Asylum and Nursery and Child's Hospital.....		\$51,953 30
Interest and Dividends.....	\$9,314 32	
Pay Patients, 61st Street Branch.....	3,028 03	
Pay Patients, Lexington Avenue Branch.....	4,756 41	
Rents of Real Estate.....	1,441 63	
Donations.....	221 00	
City of New York.....	64,628 00	
Legacies.....	1,179 85	
Miscellaneous Revenue.....	164 63	
Proceeds N. Y., N. H. & H. 6% Bonds Sold.....	13,350 00	
Proceeds Canada Southern First Ext. 6% Bonds Sold.....	9,316 25	
Hospital Saturday and Sunday Association.....	4,881 38	
Endowed Beds (Mrs. Walter Graeme Ladd).....	7,500 00	
Staten Island Place (Sale of Material).....	235 00	
	<hr/>	120,016 50
		<hr/> <hr/> \$171,969 80

DISBURSEMENTS.

Notes, N. Y. Infant Asylum.....	\$35,000 00	
House Bills and Pay Roll, N. Y. Infant Asylum.....	19,927 26	
House Bills, Nursery and Child's Hospital.....	2,328 52	
House Expenses and Pay Rolls, 61st Street Branch.....	75,460 87	
House Expenses and Pay Rolls, Lexington Avenue Branch	24,559 84	
General Expenses.....	2,113 12	
Superintendent's Petty Cash, Lexington Avenue Branch...	275 00	
Superintendent's Petty Cash, 61st Street Branch.....	100 00	
Rent of Leasehold.....	1 00	
	<hr/>	\$159,765 61
Cash on Hand September 30, 1910:		
N. Y. Life Insurance & Trust Company.....	\$6,687 55	
Washington Trust Company.....	3,683 63	
Fifth Avenue Bank.....	1,694 72	
East River National Bank.....	138 29	
	<hr/>	12,204 19
		<hr/> <hr/> \$171,969 80

TABLE II.

BALANCE SHEET, MARCH 2, 1910.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
PERMANENT LIABILITIES—		PERMANENT ASSETS—	
Capital.....	\$890,822 07	Real Estate (Schedule "A").....	\$494,678 10
Endowed Beds.....	5,000 00	Bonds and Mortgages (Schedule "B").....	260,500 00
Mortgages Payable (Greenlawn, L. I.)....	3,000 00	Stocks and Bonds (Schedule "C").....	79,299 00
CURRENT LIABILITIES—		W. L. Bull and S. Baker, Trustees of Building Fund.....	38,762 38
Notes Payable.....	35,000 00	Furniture, Fixtures and Utensils, 61st Street.....	1,935 62
Accounts Payable (Schedule "D").....	18,806 79	CURRENT ASSETS—	
Unpaid Inmates, Premium account 61st Street.....	400 21	Cash.....	52,295 36
Suspense a/c Boarding in Homes.....	84 95	City of New York.....	25,358 56
		Coupons for Collection.....	285 00
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			\$953,114 02
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			\$953,114 02

TABLE II—(Continued).

BALANCE SHEET, OCTOBER 1, 1910.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
PERMANENT LIABILITIES—		PERMANENT ASSETS—	
Capital.....	\$890,822 07	Real Estate (Schedule "A").....	\$494,443 10
Operating Loss., \$29,315 98		Bonds and Mortgages (Schedule "B")....	260,500 00
Net Additional Liabilities...	3,368 86	Stocks and Bonds (Schedule "C").....	54,953 13
		W. L. Bull and S. Baker, Trustees Building Fund....	\$38,762 38
Net Depreciation on Securities..	3,063 53	Interest compounded.\$646 54	
		Less excess credit on original certificate. 39 70	606 84
	\$35,748 37		
		Furniture, Fixtures and Utensils, 61st Street.....	\$1,935 62
Endowed Beds...	12,500 00	Less Depreciation 25%.....	483 91
Mortgages Payable (Greenlawn, L. I.)...	3,000 00		1,451 71
		CURRENT ASSETS—	
CURRENT LIABILITIES—		Cash.....	12,204 19
Accounts Payable (Schedule "D").....	16,771 96	City of New York.....	24,949 31
		Julia A. Hunt, Superintendent.....	275 00
		Lucy Ashby Sharp, Superintendent.....	100 00
	\$887,345 66		\$887,345 66

TABLE II—(Continued).

SCHEDULE "A."

REAL ESTATE.	MARCH 2, 1910.	OCTOBER 1, 1910.
Sixty-first Street Land and Buildings.....	\$265,067 63	\$265,067 63
Greenlawn Farm Land and Buildings	12,610 47	12,610 47
Lexington Avenue Leasehold and Buildings.....	100,000 00	100,000 00
Fiftieth Street Land and Buildings	42,000 00	42,000 00
Fifty-first Street Land and Buildings.	25,000 00	25,000 00
Staten Island Place.....	45,000 00	44,765 00
Fiftieth and Fifty-first Street Gores.....	5,000 00	5,000 00
	\$494,678 10	\$494,443 10

TABLE II—(Continued).

SCHEDULE "B."

BONDS AND MORTGAGES.	MARCH 2, 1910.	OCTOBER 1, 1910.
Mt. Vernon Mortgage, Mt. Vernon, N. Y.....	\$80,000 00	\$80,000 00
F. W. Meyer Mortgage, 51 W. 111th St., N. Y. City....	21,500 00	21,500 00
A. B. Havens Mortgage, 168 W. 85th St., N. Y. City..	14,000 00	14,000 00
Rose Levere Mortgage, 1882 Second Ave., N. Y. City..	10,000 00	10,000 00
Harry Graham and Wife Mortgage, 228 E. 102nd St., N. Y. City.....	10,000 00	10,000 00
John Connors Mortgage, 121 Edgecombe Ave., N. Y. City.	14,000 00	14,000 00
Morris Marans Mortgage, 61-63 Hester St., N. Y. City..	40,000 00	40,000 00
Florence Cahen Mortgage, 168 W. 94th St., N. Y. City.	13,000 00	13,000 00
David Pollack Mortgage, 582 Lenox Ave., N. Y. City...	16,000 00	16,000 00
David Pollack Mortgage, 584 Lenox Ave., N. Y. City...	17,000 00	17,000 00
David Pollack Mortgage, 586 Lenox Ave., N. Y. City...	17,000 00	17,000 00
Louise A. Lieb Mortgage, 219 E. 45th St., N. Y. City....	8,000 00	8,000 00
	\$260,500 00	\$260,500 00

TABLE II—(Continued).
SCHEDULE "C."

STOCKS AND BONDS.	MARCH 2, 1910.		OCTOBER 1, 1910.	
	PRICE.	VALUE.	PRICE.	VALUE.
\$4,500 Mobile & Ohio 6s.....	120 $\frac{1}{4}$	\$5,411 25	117 $\frac{1}{2}$	\$5,287 50
\$7,500 Mobile & Ohio 4s.....	89	6,675 00	86 $\frac{1}{2}$	6,487 50
\$2,000 West Shore 4s.....	100	2,000 00	99 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,990 00
\$5,000 Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific 6s.....	111 $\frac{7}{8}$	5,593 75	108 $\frac{1}{4}$	5,412 50
\$6,000 Baltimore & Ohio 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ s.....	92 $\frac{3}{8}$	5,542 50	91 $\frac{1}{4}$	5,475 00
\$10,000 Chicago & Alton 3s.....	74	7,400 00	72	7,200 00
\$10,000 St. Louis & S. F. 4s.....	84 $\frac{1}{4}$	8,425 00	82	8,200 00
75 shares Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul pfd.....	161	12,075 00	147 $\frac{3}{4}$	11,081 25
5 shares Union Pacific pfd.....	101	505 00	91 $\frac{3}{8}$	456 88
5 shares National Bank of Commerce.	195	975 00	201 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,007 50
12 shares Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Com....	145 $\frac{3}{4}$	1,749 00	121 $\frac{1}{4}$	1,455 00
(a) \$10,000 N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. 6s Convertible.....	134 $\frac{3}{4}$	13,475 00	.....	.....
(b) \$9,000 Canada Southern Ry. 6s...	105 $\frac{1}{4}$	9,472 50	.....	.....
.....	.....	\$79,299 00	.....	\$54,053 13

(a) Sold April 21, 1910, at 133 $\frac{3}{8}$; proceeds, less commission, \$13,350.

(b) Sold July 22, 26 and 29, 1910, at 103 $\frac{1}{2}$; proceeds, less commission, \$9,316.25.

TABLE II—(Continued).
SCHEDULE "D."

ACCOUNTS PAYABLE.	MARCH 2, 1910.	OCTOBER 1, 1910.
New York Infant Asylum.....	\$16,683 78	.....
Nursery and Child's Hospital.....	2,123 01	.....
Lexington Avenue Branch New York Nursery and Child's Hospital.....	.....	\$3,435 93
61st Street Branch New York Nursery and Child's Hospital.....	.....	13,311 03
General Accounts..	.....	25 00
.....	\$18,806 79	\$16,771 96

TABLE III.

STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENSES,

MARCH 2, 1910, TO SEPTEMBER 30, 1910.

REVENUE.	EXPENSES.
*Interest and Dividends.....	Lexington Avenue, House Expenses and Pay-rolls.....
\$9,314 32	\$27,995 77
*Rents Receivable.....	61st Street, House Expenses, Payrolls.....
1,441 63	87,737 94
*Legacies.....	General Office Expenses.....
1,179 85	1,354 51
*Donations.....	Legal Expenses.....
221 00	551 47
*Hospital Saturday and Sunday Association..	Taxes.....
4,881 38	59 30
*Pay Patients, Lexington Avenue Branch.....	Rents Payable.....
4,756 41	1 00
*Pay Patients, 61st Street Branch.....	
3,028 03	
*Miscellaneous Revenue.....	
164 63	
City Charges, Lexington Avenue Branch.....	
3,456 70	
City Charges, 61st Street Branch.....	
59,940 06	
<i>Operating Loss</i>	
29,315 98	
\$117,699 99	\$117,699 99

*Amount actually received from March 2, 1910, to September 30, 1910, inclusive.

TABLE III (Continued).—ANALYSIS OF EXPENSES.
LEXINGTON AVENUE BRANCH.

1910.	TOTAL.	FOOD.							MEDICAL.					GENERAL HOUSE EXPENSES.										BOARDING IN HOMES.				
		MEAT AND FISH.	BREAD AND FLOUR.	BUTTER AND EGGS.	OTHER GROCERIES.	FRUIT AND VEGETABLES.	MILK.	ICE.	DRUGS AND MEDICAL SUPPLIES.	WINES AND LIQUORS.	SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS AND REPAIRS.	SALARIES.	HOUSEHOLD GOODS AND UTENSILS.	CLOTHING, BOOTS AND SHOES.	ENGINEER'S SUPPLIES.	HOUSE AND MACHINERY REPAIRS.	FURNITURE AND FIXTURES.	STATIONERY AND PRINTING.	FUEL AND LIGHT.	TELEPHONE.	SALARIES AND WAGES.	MISC. HOUSEHOLD EXPENSE.	SUPT. PETTY CASH.	KINDERGARTEN.	INSURANCE.	LIVERY.		BOARDING OUT PAY ROLL.
March	\$3,678 46	\$385 18	\$120 07	\$221 04	\$252 36	\$189 95	\$368 58	\$38 06	\$115 21		\$385 54	\$67 06	\$46 13		\$171 81			\$342 00	\$7 83	\$827 17	\$32 75	\$36 49	\$8 00					\$63 23
April	5,200 84	354 71	121 92	204 60	262 89	156 10	336 24	45 15	212 56		490 85	13 23	622 75		115 64	\$49 56		1070 11	8 08	839 63	193 24	31 91	8 00					63 67
May	4,683 47	430 95	120 28	199 95	213 74	205 84	355 15	45 00	56 27		361 55	110 43	282 14	\$16 73	338 38	321 20	\$5 52	331 13	8 48	763 69	84 81	30 63	8 00	\$343 40				50 00
June	3,519 97	426 08	97 90	165 61	121 97	171 37	344 37	55 42	103 02		352 00	50 06	134 80		253 17			195 11	10 43	814 75	66 23	35 68	8 00		\$54 00			50 00
July	3,447 96	410 82	139 78	182 96	14 65	155 48	387 85	74 92	137 86		442 44	92 08			250 82	12 50		87 76	8 33	897 59	31 62	47 60						50 00
August	4,039 17	428 59	119 70	181 82	134 06	166 36	366 34	68 85	91 54		535 60	42 37	27 30		636 52	88 65	61 45	102 56	7 83	802 70	76 91	31 69						38 33
September	3,435 93	424 01	121 23	199 03	118 66	145 32	337 86	57 60	119 19		379 17	19 14	12 00		230 35			330 91	8 28	783 80	72 60	16 78						30 00
	\$28,005 80	\$2,860 34	\$840 88	\$1,355 01	\$1,118 33	\$1,190 42	\$2,496 39	\$385 00	\$835 65		\$2,947 15	\$394 37	\$1,125 12	\$16 73	\$2,006 69	\$471 91	\$66 97	\$2,459 58	\$59 16	\$5,729 53	\$558 16	\$230 78	\$32 00	\$343 40	\$137 00			\$345 23
Average monthly expenditures...	\$4,000 83	\$408 62	\$120 13	\$193 57	\$159 76	\$170 06	\$356 63	\$55 00	\$119 38		\$421 02	\$56 34	\$160 73	\$2 39	\$286 67	\$67 42	\$9 57	\$351 37	\$8 45	\$818 50	\$79 74	\$32 97	\$4 57	\$49 06	\$19 57			\$49 32

61ST STREET BRANCH.

1910.	TOTAL.	FOOD.							MEDICAL.					GENERAL HOUSE EXPENSES.										BOARDING IN HOMES.					
		MEAT AND FISH.	BREAD AND FLOUR.	BUTTER AND EGGS.	OTHER GROCERIES.	FRUIT AND VEGETABLES.	MILK.	ICE.	DRUGS AND MEDICAL SUPPLIES.	WINES AND LIQUORS.	SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS AND REPAIRS.	SALARIES.	HOUSEHOLD GOODS AND UTENSILS.	CLOTHING, BOOTS AND SHOES.	ENGINEER'S SUPPLIES.	HOUSE AND MACHINERY REPAIRS.	FURNITURE AND FIXTURES.	STATIONERY AND PRINTING.	FUEL AND LIGHT.	TELEPHONE.	SALARIES AND WAGES.	MISC. HOUSEHOLD EXPENSE.	SUPT. PETTY CASH.	OUTDOOR OBSERVATIONAL DEPT.	INSURANCE.	BOND.	IMPROVEMENTS.	CARFARE AND MISC.	BOARDING OUT PAY ROLL.
March	\$13,670 84	\$554 25	\$139 26	\$206 34	\$457 20	\$114 82	\$297 94	\$59 06	\$477 12		\$605 81	\$105 05	\$1,845 71	\$136 49	\$280 86	\$181 20	\$19 90	\$540 38	\$32 12	\$690 59	\$224 84	\$25 67	\$116 66				\$49 52	\$6,467 05	
April	13,415 11	420 35	125 53	258 71	282 52	138 12	285 60	51 47	740 76		599 00	201 72	970 24	220 24	350 51	379 29	55 22	445 17	66 65	978 15	132 24	104 92	65 08				105 09	6,392 25	
May	11,996 42	365 42	111 98	243 76	180 73	125 47	287 37	59 67	126 79		654 29	61 46	505 88	129 81	568 46	40 00	16 52	380 44	66 04	929 51	81 61	150 83	241 92	\$90 00			69 58	6,174 00	
June	11,634 77	319 52	105 79	221 17	240 47	130 76	260 66	76 30	356 56	\$13 65	736 60		152 76	38 40	1,127 08		27 08	341 02		847 69	39 63	97 79	130 50		\$5 00		70 70	6,293 95	
July	10,829 52	332 96	89 84	199 49	36 15	178 53	282 90	107 40	351 98		657 18	197 95	117 64		252 56	26 25	102 95	180 95	52 97	917 20	114 46	248 45	147 73				67 12	6,163 95	
August	11,483 39	370 99	97 80	266 65	454 72	156 06	196 91	109 11	111 09		822 53	33 71	5 90	123 28	198 49	115 77	153 60	268 05	23 80	1,113 88	175 77	206 61	135 86		\$175 00		69 94	6,093 30	
September	14,805 65	354 45	100 82	274 26	242 07	130 24	370 26	92 75	323 86		810 05	41 64	211 94	44 56	3,847 35	52 20	114 89	275 16	25 05	1,073 86	96 46	144 14	22 78				58 98	6,092 35	
	\$87,835 70	\$2,717 94	\$771 02	\$1,670 38	\$1,893 86	\$1,004 00	\$1,981 64	\$555 76	\$2,488 16	\$13 65	\$108 86	\$4,885 46	\$641 53	\$3,810 07	\$692 78	\$6,625 31	\$794 71	\$490 16	\$2,431 17	\$266 63	\$6,550 88	\$865 01	\$978 41	\$860 53	\$90 00	\$5 00	\$175 00	\$490 93	\$43,976 85
Average monthly expenditures...	\$12,547 96	\$388 28	\$110 15	\$238 63	\$270 55	\$143 43	\$283 09	\$79 39	\$355 45	\$1 95	\$15 55	\$697 92	\$91 65	\$544 30	\$98 97	\$946 47	\$113 53	\$70 02	\$347 31	\$38 09	\$935 84	\$123 57	\$139 77	\$122 93	\$12 86	\$0 71	\$25 00	\$70 13	\$6,282 41

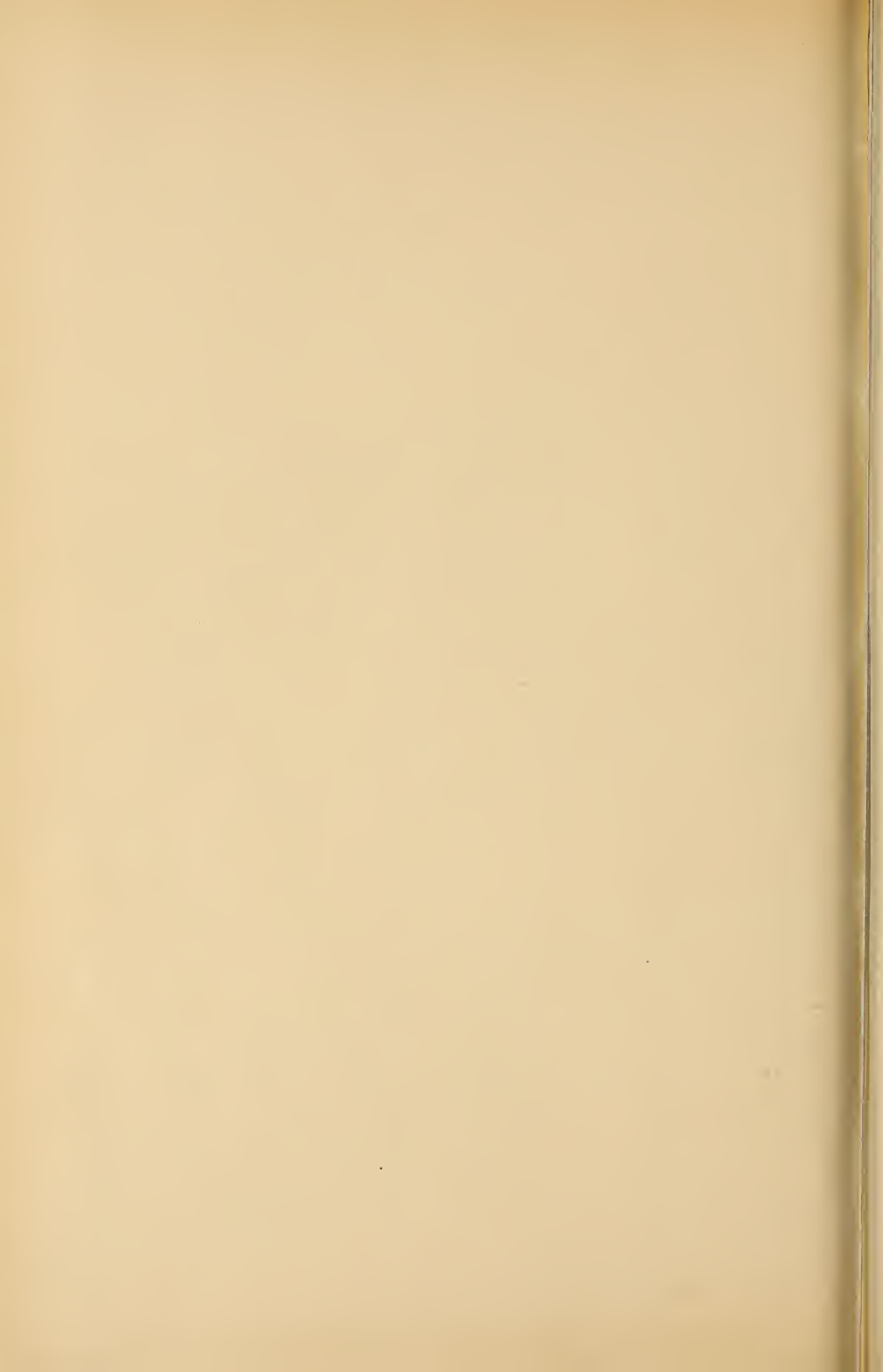
GENERAL EXPENSES.

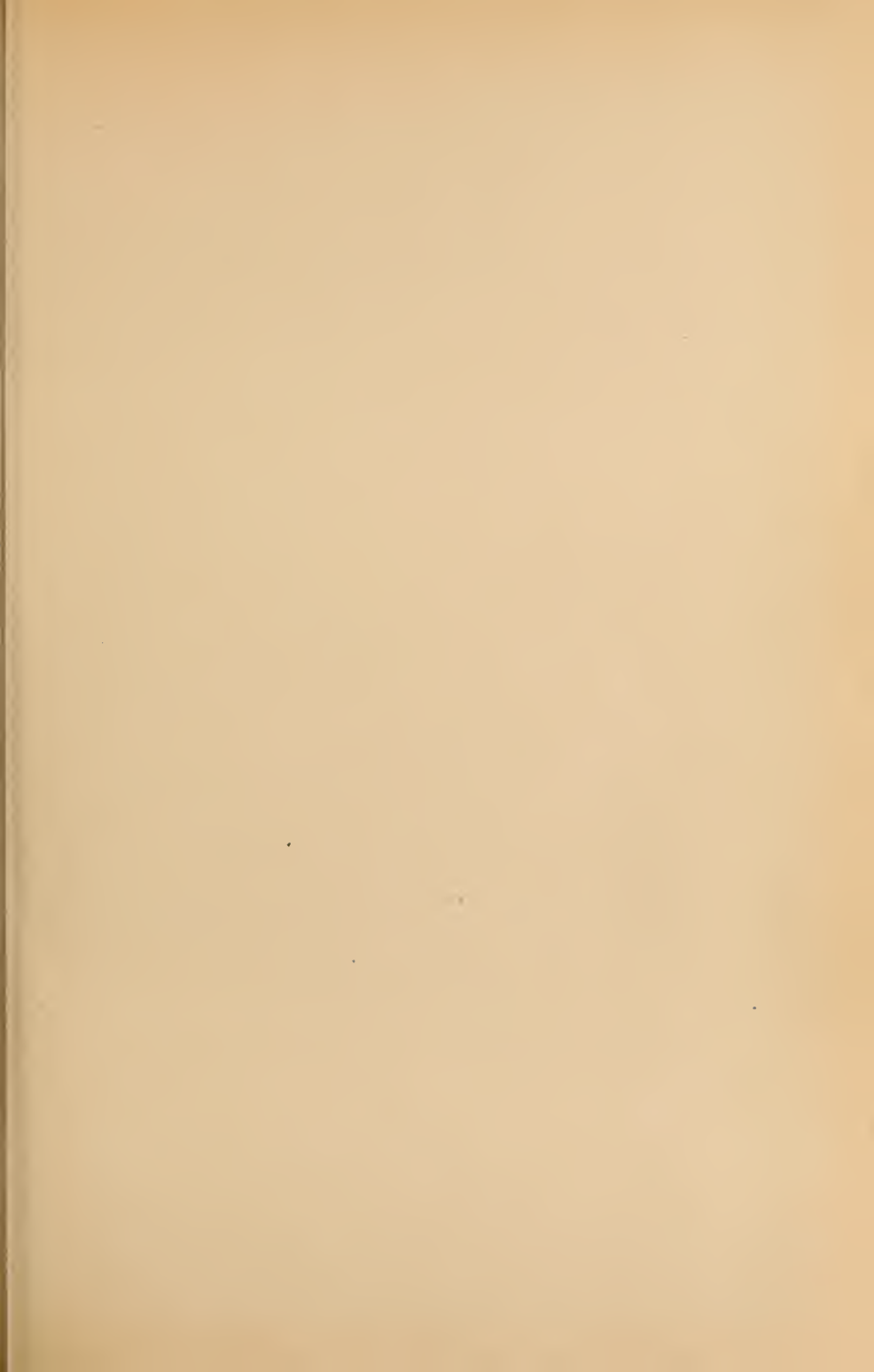
	TOTAL.	TREASURER'S OFFICE SALARIES.	MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSE.	LEGAL.	INSURANCE.
March	\$918 71	\$100 00	\$277 24	\$541 47	
April	308 42	100 00	208 42		
May	131 50	100 00	31 50		
June	111 20	100 00	20		\$11 00
July	234 50	100 00	134 50		
August	136 95	100 00			36 95
September	125 00	100 00	25 00		
	\$1,966 28	\$700 00	\$676 86	\$541 47	\$47 95
Average monthly expenditures...	\$280 90	\$100 00	\$96 69	\$77 35	\$6 85

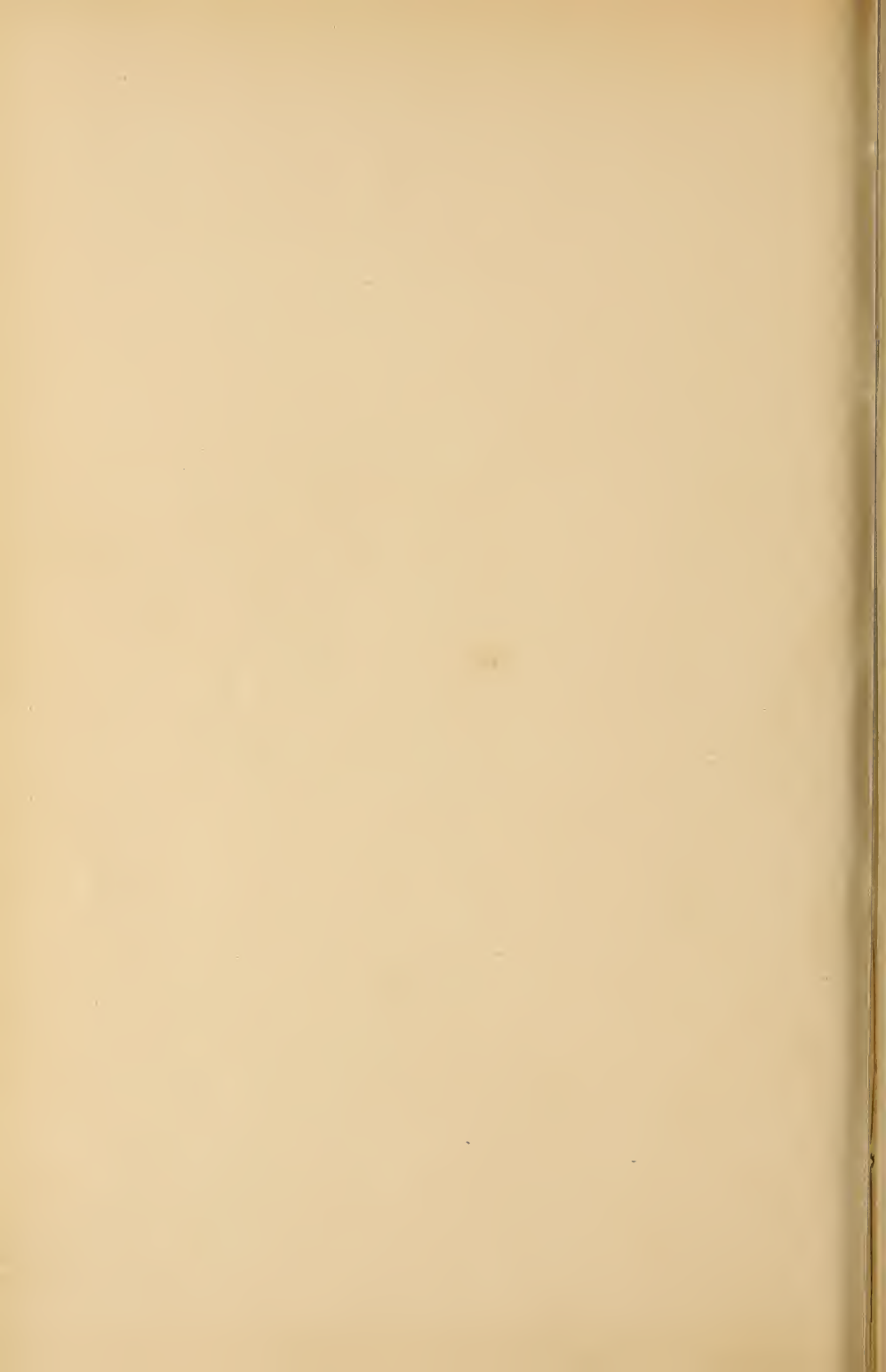
TABLE III—(Continued).

ANALYSIS OF AMOUNTS CHARGED CITY OF NEW YORK.

1910.	LEX. AVE. BRANCH.	61ST ST. BRANCH.
March.....	\$449 94	\$9,659 68
April.....	442 80	9,027 09
May.....	571 36	8,898 99
June.....	513 16	8,382 44
July.....	501 99	8,223 12
August.....	490 29	7,759 22
September.....	487 16	7,989 52
	\$3,456 70	\$59,940 06
Average per Month.....	\$493 81	\$8,562 87







NOVEMBER 1, 1911

To the Board of Directors of the

NEW YORK NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL :

I beg to submit herewith my report for the year from October 1, 1910 to September 30, 1911 with tables compiled from the books of the corporation showing cash receipts and disbursements, comparative balance sheet, tables of revenue and expenses, analysis of expenses, analysis of cost of food per day for each person fed at both branches of the institution and amounts charged to the City of New York for care and support of inmates. The stocks and bonds belonging to the corporation have been revalued as of September 30, 1911 at their respective prices on the New York Stock Exchange as nearly as it was possible to ascertain them and capital account debited and credited accordingly. The bonds and mortgages are taken at their face value, the real estate is taken at the values shown in the report of last year without change, except in the case of the Staten Island property where the amount received from sale of buildings and insurance has been charged off. Legacies and donations have been credited to income. No expenses were capitalized during the year. No money has been borrowed, and no indebtedness incurred except for current expenses. The operating loss amounting to \$30,640.61 and the depreciation of furniture, etc., at 61st Street were written off the capital account after the close of the year.

Respectfully submitted,

G. MORGAN BROWNE,

Treasurer.

Treasurer's Office,

161 West 61st Street,

New York City.

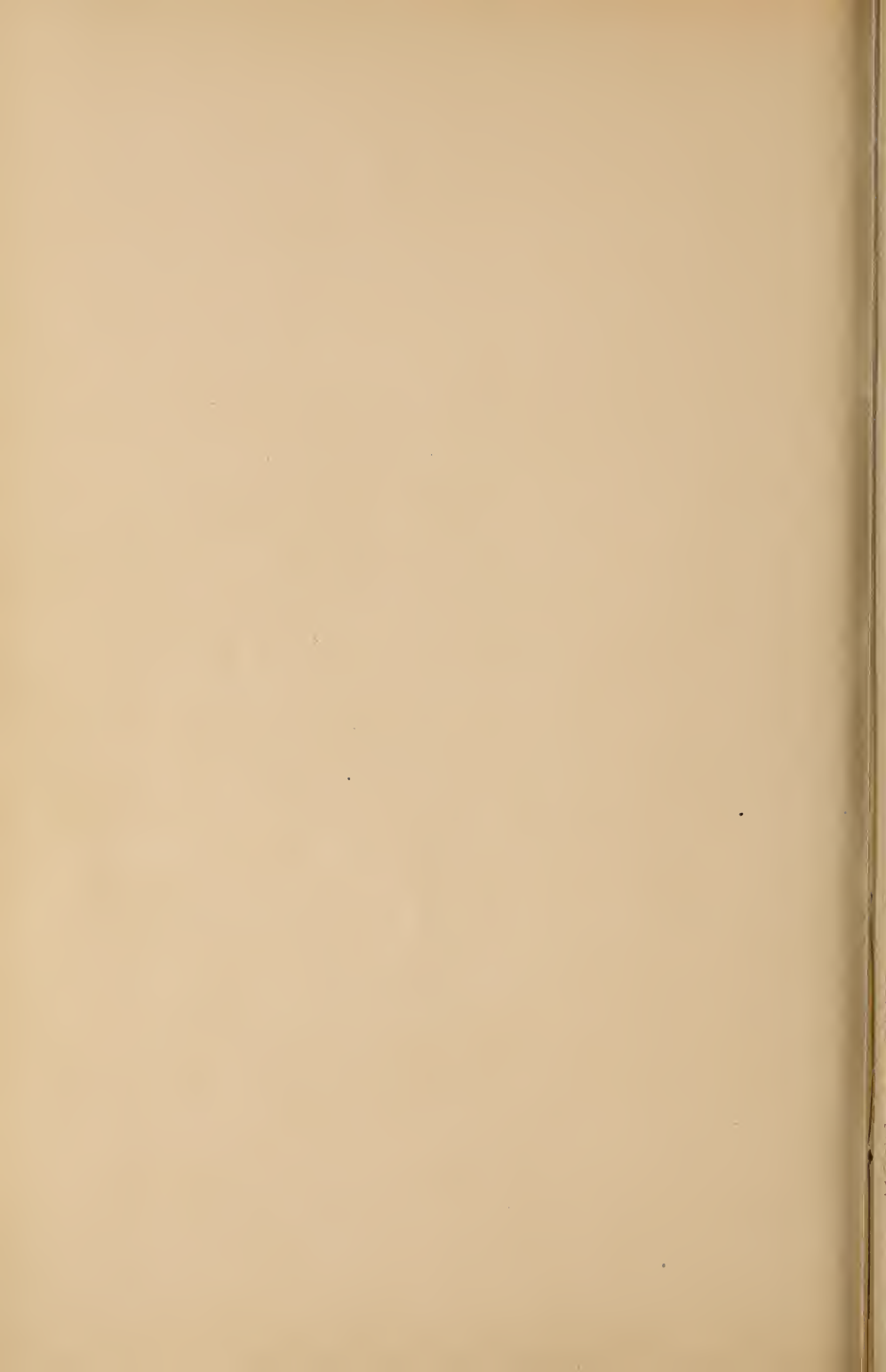


TABLE I.

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS of Cash from Cash Book
from October 1, 1910 to September 30, 1911.

Cash on hand and in Banks October 1, 1910\$12,204 19

RECEIPTS

City of New York	\$99,016 90	
Charity Ball	16,298 12	
Interest and Dividends	16,145 67	
Lexington Avenue, Accident Damages	10,750 00	
Harry Graham and Wife, Mortgage Paid	10,000 00	
Donations	8,120 04	
Pay Patients, Lexington Avenue	7,625 49	
Pay Patients, 61st Street	6,699 55	
Legacies	6,000 00	
Chicago, R. I. & Pacific Reg. 6%, 1917 Bonds sold ...	5,475 00	
Baltimore & Ohio R. R. Co. 1st 3½% Bonds sold	5,400 00	
Hospital Saturday and Sunday Association	4,094 12	
Staten Island Place, buildings sold and insurance	2,945 00	
Rents Receivable	2,788 14	
Westchester County	1,092 00	
Lexington Avenue, Accident Donations	621 75	
Lucy Ashby Sharp, Supt., Amount returned on leaving	265 44	
Christmas Donations	249 56	
61st Street, House Expenses, Refund	213 50	
Miscellaneous Revenue	92 83	
Refund Lewis Mfg Co., due N. Y. Infant Asylum	45 00	
Unpaid Inmates Premium Account	31 36	
Lexington Avenue House Expenses Refund	13 33	
General Expense Refund	11 88	
		203,989 68
		<u>\$216,193 87</u>

DISBURSEMENTS

61st Street, Lexington Ave. and General Accounts		
Payable	\$204,524 32	
Permanent Building Fund, W. L. Bull and Stephen		
Baker, Trustees (Jane F. Wells Legacy)	1,000 00	
Unpaid Inmates Premium Account, paid to Supt. ...	324 50	
H. L. Jardine, Supt. Petty Cash	100 00	
Accounts payable, N. Y. Infant Asylum	20 50	
Advance payments by Pay Patients, paid to Supt. ...	5 00	\$205,974 32

CASH ON HAND SEPTEMBER 30, 1911.

The Fulton Trust Company	\$4,922 93	
The Fifth Avenue Bank	4,268 53	
Corn Exchange Bank	801 70	
N. Y. Life Insurance & Trust Company	226 39	10,219 55
		<u>\$216,193 87</u>

TABLE II.

BALANCE SHEET OCTOBER 1, 1910.

ASSETS.	LIABILITIES.
PERMANENT ASSETS.	PERMANENT LIABILITIES.
Real Estate (Schedule "A")	Capital.....\$855,073 70
Bonds and Mortgages (Schedule "B") ..	Endowed Beds..... 12,500 00
Stocks and Bonds (Schedule "C")	Mortgages Payable (Greenlawn, L. I.).. 3,000 00
W. L. Bull and S. Baker, Trustees	
Building Fund	
Furniture, Fixtures and Utensils,	
61st Street	CURRENT LIABILITIES.
	Accounts Payable..... 16,771 96
CURRENT ASSETS.	
Cash	
City of New York.....	
Julia A. Hunt, Superintendent.....	
Lucy Ashby Sharp, Superintendent	
\$887,345 66	\$887,345 66

TABLE II—(Continued).
BALANCE SHEET OCTOBER 1, 1911.

ASSETS.	LIABILITIES.	
PERMANENT ASSETS.		
Real Estate, Schedule "A".....\$491,498 10	PERMANENT LIABILITIES.	
Bonds and Mortgages, Schedule "B" ... 250,500 00	Capital.....\$855,073 70	
Stocks and Bonds, Schedule "C" 42,236 00	Net Addition to	
W. L. Bull and S. Baker,	Capital..... 1,069 48	\$856,143 18
Trustees, Building Fund...\$39,369 22	Operating Loss ..	\$30,640 61
Int. compounded...\$1,044 98	Net Depreciation	
Jane F. Wells	On Securities... 1,426 04	32,066 65
Legacy..... 1,000 00		\$824,076 53
Furniture, Fixtures and Utensils, 61st Street..... 1,451 71	Endowed Beds.....	12,500 00
Less Depreciation 483 91	Mortgages Payable (Greenlawn, L. I.) ..	3,000 00
CURRENT ASSETS.		
Cash.....		
City of New York.....		
Westchester County.....		
Julia A. Hunt, Superintendent.....		
Helen Louise Jardine, Superintendent..		
<u>\$857,677 87</u>	CURRENT LIABILITIES.	
	Accounts Payable.....	18,101 34
		<u>\$857,677 87</u>

TABLE II—(Continued).
SCHEDULE "A".

REAL ESTATE	MARCH 2, 1910	OCTOBER 1, 1910	OCTOBER 1, 1911
Sixty-first Street Land and Buildings..	\$265,067 63	\$265,067 63	\$265,067 63
Greenlawn Farm Land and Buildings .	12,610 47	12,610 47	12,610 47
Lexington Ave. Leasehold and Buildings	100,000 00	100,000 00	100,000 00
Fiftieth Street Land and Buildings....	42,000 00	42,000 00	42,000 00
Fifty-first Street Land and Buildings..	25,000 00	25,000 00	25,000 00
Staten Island Place.....	45,000 00	44,765 00	41,820 00
Fiftieth and Fifty-first Street Gores....	5,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00
	\$494,678 10	\$494,443 10	\$491,498 10

TABLE II—(Continued).
SCHEDULE "B".

BONDS AND MORTGAGES	MARCH 2, 1910	OCTOBER 1, 1910	OCTOBER 1, 1911
Mt. Vernon Mortgage, Mt. Vernon, N. Y.	\$80,000 00	\$80,000 00	\$80,000 00
F. W. Meyer Mortgage, 51 W. 111th St., N. Y. City	21,500 00	21,500 00	21,500 00
A. B. Havens Mortgage, 163 W. 85th St., N. Y. City	14,000 00	14,000 00	14,000 00 ✓
Rose Levere Mortgage, 1882 Second Ave., N. Y. City	10,000 00	10,000 00	10,000 00
Harry Graham and Wife Mortgage, 228 E. 102d St., N. Y. City	10,000 00	10,000 00	*
John Connors Mortgage, 121 Edgecombe Ave., N. Y. City	14,000 00	14,000 00	14,000 00
Morris Marans Mortgage, 61-63 Hester St., N. Y. City	40,000 00	40,000 00	40,000 00
Florence Cahen Mortgage, 168 W. 94th St., N. Y. City	13,000 00	13,000 00	13,000 00 3-
David Pollack Mortgage, 582 Lenox Ave., N. Y. City	16,000 00	16,000 00	16,000 00
David Pollack Mortgage, 584 Lenox Ave., N. Y. City	17,000 00	17,000 00	17,000 00
David Pollack Mortgage, 586 Lenox Ave., N. Y. City	17,000 00	17,000 00	17,000 00
Louise A. Lieb Mortgage, 219 E. 45th St., N. Y. City	8,000 00	8,000 00	8,000 00
	\$260,500 00	\$260,500 00	\$250,500 00

* Paid March 27, 1911.

TABLE II — (Continued).

SCHEDULE "C."

STOCKS AND BONDS	MARCH 2, 1910		OCTOBER 1, 1910		OCTOBER 1, 1911	
	Price	Value	Price	Value	Price	Value
	\$1,500 Mobile & Ohio 6s.....	120 $\frac{1}{4}$	\$5,411 25	117 $\frac{1}{2}$	\$5,287 50	120	$5,400 00
\$7,500 Mobile & Ohio 4s.....	89	6,675 00	86 $\frac{1}{2}$	6,487 50	86	6,450 00
\$2,000 West Shore 4s.....	100	2,000 00	99 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,990 00	98	1,960 00
(a) \$5,000 Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific 6s.....	111 $\frac{7}{8}$	5,593 75	108 $\frac{1}{4}$	5,412 50	....	.....
(b) \$6,000 Baltimore & Ohio 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ s.....	92 $\frac{3}{8}$	5,542 50	91 $\frac{1}{4}$	5,475 00	....	.....
\$10,000 Chicago & Alton 3s.....	74	7,400 00	72	7,200 00	70	7,000 00
\$10,000 St. Louis & S. F. 4s.....	84 $\frac{1}{4}$	8,425 00	82	8,200 00	77 $\frac{1}{2}$	7,750 00
75 shares Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul pfd.....	161	12,075 00	147 $\frac{3}{8}$	11,081 25	146	10,950 00
5 shares Union Pacific pfd.....	101	505 00	91 $\frac{3}{8}$	456 88	90	450 00
5 shares National Bank of Commerce.....	195	975 00	201 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,007 50	196	980 00
12 shares Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Com.....	145 $\frac{3}{4}$	1,749 00	121 $\frac{1}{4}$	1,455 00	108	1,296 00
(c) \$10,000 N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. 6s Convertible..	134 $\frac{3}{4}$	13,475 00	....	.....	....	.....
(d) \$9,000 Canada Southern Ry. 6s.....	105 $\frac{1}{4}$	9,472 50	....	.....	....	.....
	....	\$79,299 00	....	\$54,053 13	....	\$42,236 00

(a) Sold November 25, 1910 at 105%. (b) Sold September 19, 1911 at 90%. (c) Sold April 21, 1910, at 135%.

(d) Sold July 22, 26 and 29, 1910, at 103%.

TABLE III.

Statement of Revenue and Expenses from October 1, 1910
to September 30, 1911.

REVENUE.

City Charges, 61st Street.....	\$87,272 31
“ “ Lexington Avenue	7,236 72
County Charges	1,117 78
Pay Patients, 61st Street.....	6,699 55
“ “ Lexington Avenue.....	7,625 49
Interest and Dividends.....	16,145 67
Donations.....	8,120 04
Rents Receivable	2,783 14
Miscellaneous Revenue	92 83
Lexington Avenue Accident Donations.....	621 75
Christmas Donations	249 56
Lexington Avenue Accident Damages	10,750 00
Charity Ball	16,298 12
Hospital Saturday and Sunday Association	4,094 12
Unpaid Inmates Premium Account.....	31 36
Legacies.....	6,000 00
<i>Operating Loss</i>	<i>30,640 61</i>
	\$205,779 05

EXPENSES.

61st Street House Expenses	\$140,008 13
Lexington Avenue House Expenses.....	63,207 01
General Expenses.....	2,563 91
	\$205,779 05

GENERAL EXPENSES.

From October 1, 1910, to September 30, 1911.

Treasurer's Office Salaries	\$1,200 00
Stationery and Printing.....	377 75
Miscellaneous.....	272 43
Interest	150 00
Auditing	150 00
Legal.....	123 75
Taxes	116 33
Repairs	89 88
Insurance.....	71 60
Fuel and Light.....	24 00
	\$2,575 79

TABLE III — (Continued).

Analysis of cost of food per day for each person fed at both branches of the Institution from January 1, 1911 to September 30, 1911.

	January 1911	February 1911	March 1911	April 1911	May 1911	June 1911	July 1911	August 1911	September 1911
All persons allowed at three meals per day, except									
(1) Wet nursed babies one meal per day.									
(2) 61st St. District Nurses two meals per day.									
(3) 61st St. Office staff one meal per day.									
(4) 61st St. Custodian one meal per day.									
LEXINGTON AVE. BRANCH.									
Total Expenses for Food.....	\$1,554 51	\$1,290 06	\$1,389 93	\$1,508 04	\$1,446 91	\$1,347 05	\$1,551 99	\$1,458 90	\$1,460 42
Total Meals	21,449	18,714	20,861	20,962	20,974	19,729	19,941	20,100	19,544
No. of days Board (three meals)	7,150	6,238	6,953	6,987	6,991	6,576	6,647	6,700	6,514 $\frac{2}{3}$
Average cost of food per day, per person.....	.2174	.2068	.1999	.2158	.2069	.2018	.2334	.2177	.2241
61ST. STREET BRANCH.									
Total Expenses for Food.....	\$1,452 99	\$1,268 93	\$1,299 27	\$1,265 95	\$1,184 13	\$1,211 85	\$1,440 74	\$1,470 98	\$1,475 86
Total Meals	19,152	16,507	16,513	16,623	15,237	14,474	17,634	16,656	17,320
No. of days Board (three meals)	6,284	5,502	5,504	5,541	5,079	4,825	5,878	5,552	5,773 $\frac{1}{3}$
Average cost of food per day, per person.....	.2275	.2306	.2360	.2284	.2331	.2511	.2451	.2649	.2556

TABLE III (Continued).—ANALYSIS OF EXPENSES AS SHOWN IN EXPENSE BOOK.

LEXINGTON AVENUE BRANCH. EXPENSES FROM OCTOBER 1ST, 1910, TO SEPTEMBER 30TH, 1911.

	FOOD								MEDICAL				GENERAL HOUSE EXPENSES										BOARDING IN HOMES						
	TOTAL	MEAT AND FISH	BREAD AND FLOUR	BUTTER AND EGGS	OTHER GROCERIES	FRUIT AND VEGETABLES	MILK	ICE	DRUGS AND MEDICAL SUPPLIES	WINES AND LIQUORS	SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS AND REPAIRS	SALARIES	HOUSEHOLD GOODS AND UTENSILS	CLOTHING, BOOTS AND SHOES	ENGINEERS SUPPLIES	BOUSE AND MACHINERY REPAIRS	FURNITURE AND FIXTURES	STATIONERY AND PRINTING	FUEL AND LIGHT	TELEPHONE	SALARIES AND WAGES	SUPT. PETTY CASH	KINDERGARTEN	MISC. HOUSEHOLD EXPENSE	INSURANCE	ACCIDENT EXPENSE	LIVERY	BOARDING OUT PAY ROLL	
October... 1910	\$4,285 06	\$479 24	\$115 19	\$174 29	\$159 77	\$145 48	\$349 95	\$48 15	\$98 36	.....	.....	\$729 25	\$53 66	\$480 40	\$25 99	\$103 89	\$22 00	\$ 6 00	\$346 55	.....	\$817 40	\$29 59	\$10 00	\$59 90	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$30 00
November ...	4,375 88	528 63	127 17	185 74	204 64	138 46	398 42	37 80	251 13	.....	\$10 28	419 23	56 63	276 13	.....	178 22	159 32	.....	423 28	\$ 7 83	827 02	38 61	8 00	69 34	.....	.....	.....	.....	30 00
December ...	4,273 71	539 13	133 72	175 20	58 80	138 26	412 24	27 00	181 33	.....	7 06	475 03	22 38	86 85	16 59	64 26	.....	60 20	653 85	7 83	879 57	33 36	6 00	36 50	\$ 80 00	\$ 148 64	.....	.....	30 00
January.....1911	6,991 12	456 59	123 17	125 44	277 20	157 82	383 01	31 28	92 87	.....	3 78	470 00	69 34	415 31	45 00	559 16	9 00	4 01	453 23	10 13	837 80	29 50	8 00	154 17	.....	2,239 51	.....	.....	35 80
February ...	12,175 66	400 52	117 34	136 68	137 17	135 24	334 31	28 80	80 19	.....	2 10	493 66	21 63	52 51	18 55	1,922 58	24 20	.....	485 51	9 43	734 70	45 16	6 00	67 66	.....	6,881 72	.....	.....	40 00
March	4,230 45	410 30	139 21	124 81	116 85	141 91	418 60	38 25	258 43	.....	57 15	443 17	.....	154 16	6 50	453 57	62 00	.....	362 33	8 63	869 59	44 12	8 00	72 87	.....	.....	.....	.....	40 00
April.....	5,856 87	424 41	126 28	152 26	181 36	167 53	408 67	47 53	119 63	.....	2 70	479 15	40 67	144 93	.....	201 56	.....	80 15	1,140 79	7 83	873 18	54 95	8 00	112 67	343 39	688 23	.....	.....	51 00
May.....	4,542 49	457 92	114 31	133 44	129 72	152 85	392 02	66 68	224 32	.....	.....	559 40	93 15	411 85	.....	424 20	103 70	39 50	128 56	9 33	901 70	32 17	10 00	115 33	.....	.....	.....	.....	42 34
June.....	4,474 77	379 07	91 80	128 84	139 14	162 31	376 56	78 33	213 12	.....	2 80	445 80	117 97	34 34	8 17	888 08	14 25	10 05	304 62	10 53	914 90	39 83	8 00	69 26	.....	.....	.....	.....	40 00
July.....	4,063 63	378 51	126 35	162 56	182 40	190 94	421 54	89 69	148 33	.....	20 46	593 00	46 85	190 52	2 53	267 83	.....	4 75	101 76	10 43	948 00	26 72	.....	110 46	.....	.....	.....	.....	40 00
August.....	4,056 27	391 19	118 72	133 20	138 60	181 26	409 65	86 28	184 20	.....	.....	493 48	27 01	.....	.....	715 54	.....	7 75	111 84	12 28	889 95	24 68	.....	62 30	.....	.....	24 00	44 34	
September...	3,894 43	377 15	122 05	150 12	188 93	175 11	380 91	66 15	223 33	.....	12 41	429 99	63 09	195 05	.....	119 54	.....	24 80	268 64	10 69	926 82	41 61	.....	72 37	.....	.....	.....	.....	40 67
	\$63,220 34	\$5,222 66	\$1,455 31	\$1,782 58	\$1,905 58	\$1,887 17	\$4,685 88	\$645 94	\$2,080 24	.....	\$118 74	\$6,031 16	\$612 38	\$2,442 05	\$123 24	\$5,898 43	\$394 47	\$237 21	\$4,780 96	\$104 94	\$10,420 63	\$440 30	\$72 00	\$1,002 83	\$423 39	\$9,958 10	\$30 00	.....	\$464 15
Average.....	\$5,268 36	\$435 22	\$121 28	\$148 55	\$158 80	\$157 26	\$390 49	\$53 83	\$173 35	.....	\$9 89	\$502 60	\$51 03	\$203 50	\$10 27	\$491 54	\$32 87	\$19 77	\$398 41	\$8 74	\$868 39	\$36 69	\$6 00	\$83 57	\$35 28	\$829 84	\$2 50	.....	\$38 68

SIXTY-FIRST STREET BRANCH. EXPENSES FROM OCTOBER 1ST, 1910, TO SEPTEMBER, 30TH, 1911.

	FOOD								MEDICAL				GENERAL HOUSE EXPENSES										BOARDING IN HOMES					
	TOTAL	MEAT AND FISH	BREAD AND FLOUR	BUTTER AND EGGS	OTHER GROCERIES	FRUIT AND VEGETABLES	MILK	ICE	DRUGS AND MEDICAL SUPPLIES	WINES AND LIQUORS	SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS AND REPAIRS	SALARIES	HOUSEHOLD GOODS AND UTENSILS	CLOTHING, BOOTS AND SHOES	ENGINEERS SUPPLIES	BOUSE AND MACHINERY REPAIRS	FURNITURE AND FIXTURES	STATIONERY AND PRINTING	FUEL AND LIGHT	TELEPHONE	SALARIES AND WAGES	SUPT. PETTY CASH	MISC. HOUSEHOLD EXPENSE	INSURANCE	OUTDOOR OBSTETRICAL DEPARTMENT	UNDERTAKER	CARFARE AND MISCELLANEOUS	BOARDING OUT PAY ROLL
October.....1910	\$12,053 28	\$342 37	\$100 24	\$336 95	\$90 20	\$168 71	\$341 52	\$72 57	\$400 59	\$18 97	\$762 70	\$128 64	\$446 95	\$621 51	\$127 70	\$69 97	\$439 11	\$1,061 38	\$102 36	\$88 82	\$27 59	\$8 72	\$73 41	\$6,222 30
November ...	13,103 04	366 58	141 45	305 66	302 72	183 78	343 76	56 87	342 30	3 40	815 66	33 37	504 76	\$42 75	487 19	57 60	6 75	553 44	\$22 15	1,032 00	75 54	242 00	502 76	Av. 0 73	72 60	6,604 95
December ...	12,171 56	386 36	110 70	336 71	259 92	143 90	259 03	49 00	155 52	.....	1 80	1,057 58	75 30	457 56	256 69	124 59	.....	73 68	819 32	23 30	1,034 84	102 44	32 25	99 22	.....	85 50	6,218 35
January.....1911	10,720 69	327 30	97 97	283 24	203 81	122 05	482 22	36 92	391 05	\$4 00	65	698 14	16 25	265 96	91 61	196 00	31 60	592 92	22 90	1,066 05	121 44	132 96	Av. 1 42	79 10	5,456 55
February ...	10,435 59	303 34	113 27	219 13	151 39	4 50	339 44	29 48	219 86	.....	13 05	1,020 77	56 93	271 09	19 55	278 58	61 00	110 40	517 69	26 20	1,077 79	80 82	210 84	.....	.....	84 46	5,226 01
March	10,984 91	313 37	114 53	190 38	215 36	231 49	302 80	39 72	326 32	.....	14 74	931 22	26 48	620 48	111 96	371 76	30 27	169 81	514 98	24 35	1,106 26	114 45	43 09	.....	AUDITING	89 93	5,081 16
April.....	10,275 18	316 61	100 07	186 16	197 73	147 86	276 57	40 95	301 33	.....	54 12	918 80	83 65	222 64	80 83	499 04	37 97	48 95	484 64	22 80	1,144 10	72 83	39 57	.....	\$50 00	95 40	4,852 56
May.....	10,116 96	270 01	93 69	199 66	196 05	88 68	276 65	59 39	166 16	3 75	831 04	57 99	188 01	150 23	887 33	36 90	132 75	310 16	22 35	1,165 99	80 53	105 86	Av. 4 17	RENT	120 49	4,673 29
June.....	10,159 62	258 61	89 28	177 48	222 03	114 33	284 50	65 62	320 92	.....	7 77	1,036 89	25 08	230 00	30 43	860 74	15 25	125 34	234 94	28 32	1,248 91	92 57	83 64	.....	\$60 00	116 92	4,430 05
July.....	12,510 76	332 14	93 57	198 54	238 83	140 35	323 56	113 75	288 49	.....	91 12	981 27	309 06	180 84	30 53	2,733 52	.....	102 35	323 76	37 15	1,189 00	71 82	56 72	.....	60 00	120 41	4,493 98
August.....	13,363 43	361 83	98 78	213 81	267 26	167 75	380 55	91 00	461 81	.....	75 75	948 81	61 66	392 77	38 78	3,112 55	20 80	64 40	898 41	30 00	1,186 72	72 80	278 00	.....	108 00	124 84	4,516 35
September...	14,162 55	397 22	95 78	205 76	236 55	130 33	324 47	85 75	437 49	.....	31 15	1,027 80	88 42	976 43	114 20	3,313 52	57 40	31 05	282 32	27 65	1,307 01	114 88	117 68	.....	84 00	109 84	4,565 85
	\$140,057 57	\$3,975 74	\$1,252 33	\$2,853 48	\$2,572 85	\$1,583 73	\$3,885 07	\$741 02	\$3,811 84	\$4 00	\$316 27	\$11,030 68	\$962 83	\$4,757 49	\$967 56	\$13,486 33	\$444 89	\$967 05	\$5,471 69	\$287 17	\$13,620 05	\$1,102 48	\$1,431 43	\$629 57	\$312 00	\$1,172 90	\$62,341 40
Average.....	\$11,671 46	\$331 31	\$104 36	\$237 79	\$214 40	\$181 98	\$323 76	\$61 75	\$317 65	\$0 33	\$26 36	\$919 22	80 24	\$396 46	\$80 63	\$1,123 86	\$37 07	\$80 59	\$455 97	\$23 93	\$1,135 00	\$91 87	\$119 29	\$52 46	\$26 00	\$97 74	\$5,195 12

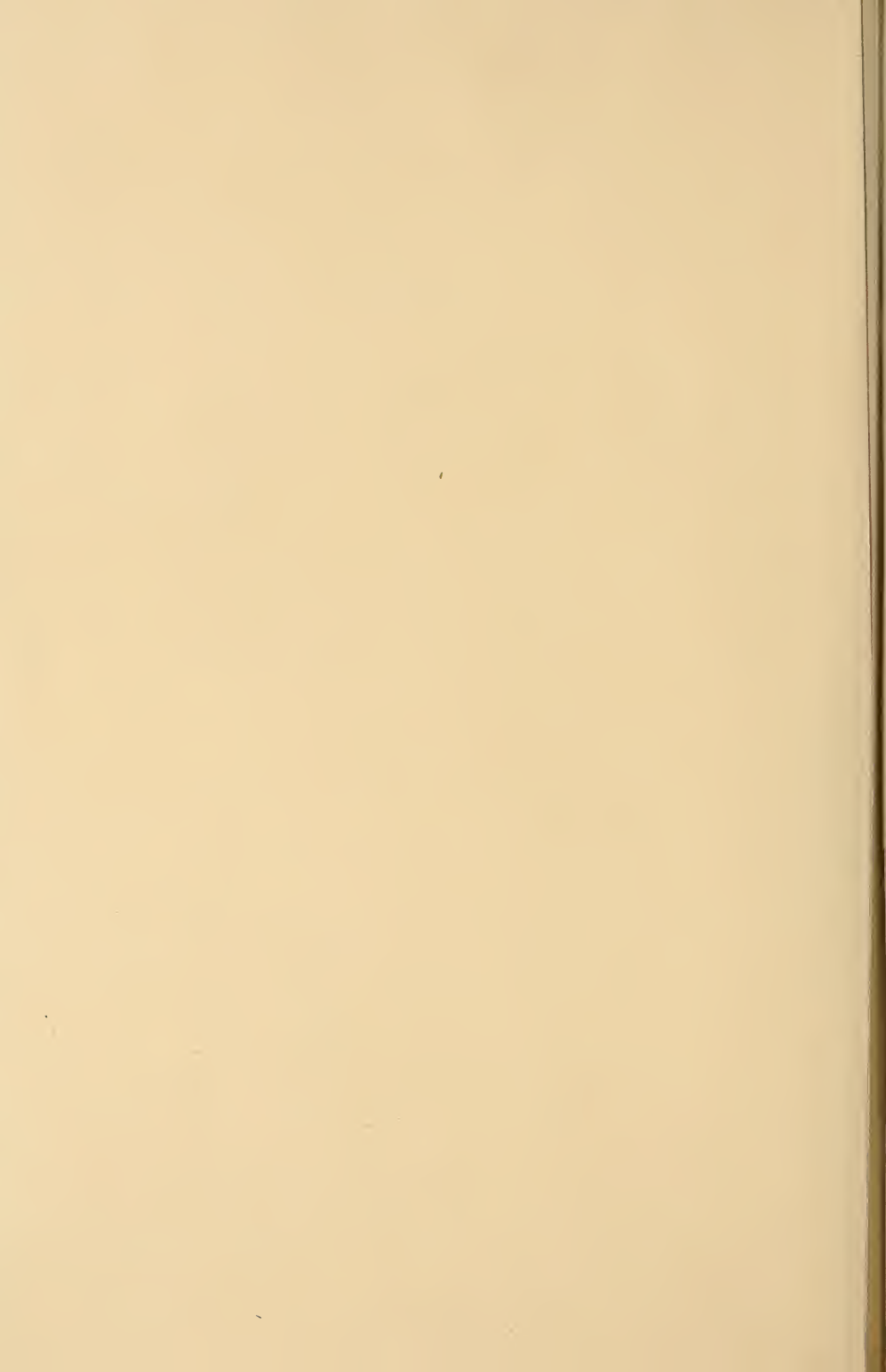
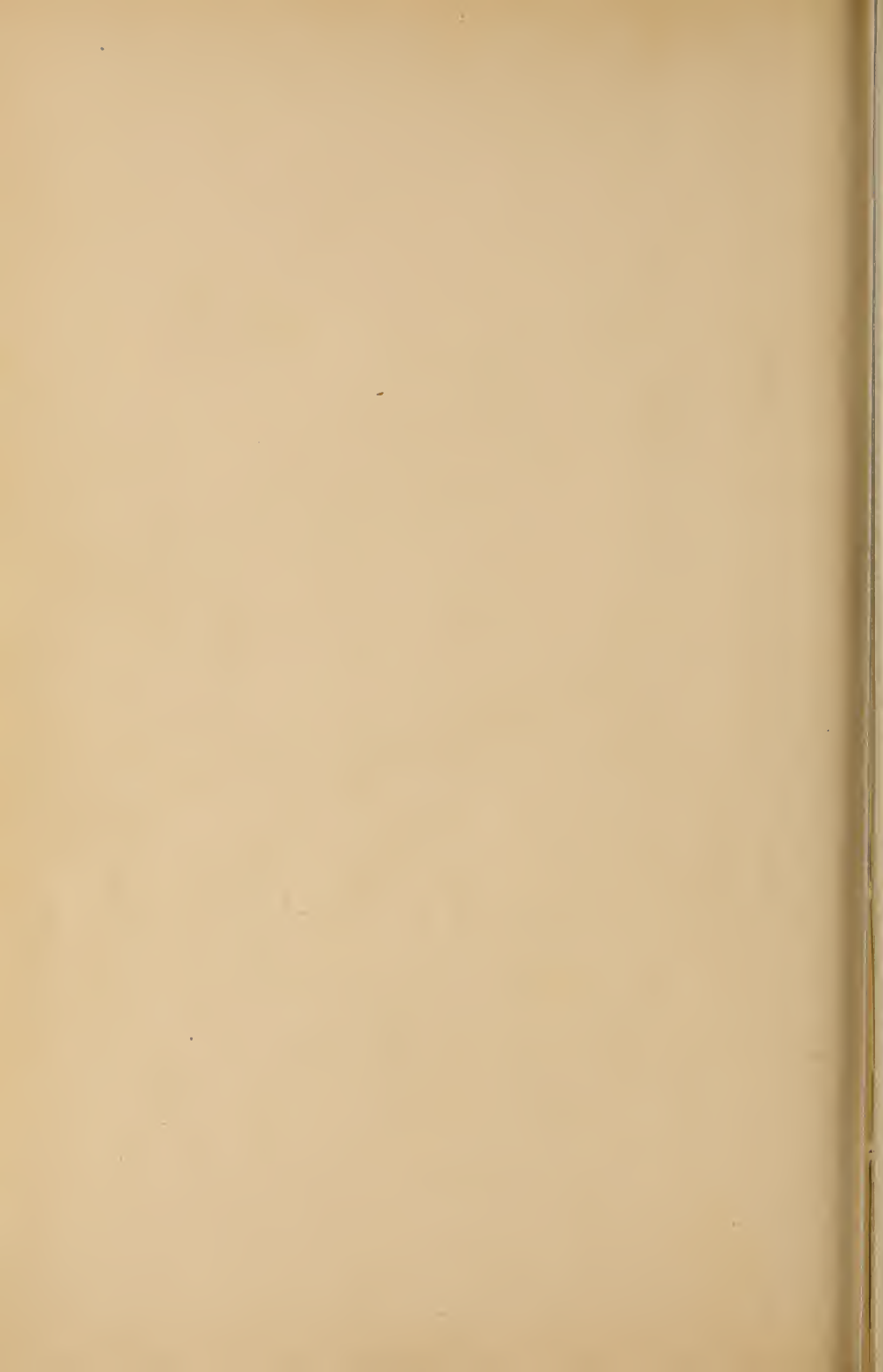


TABLE III — (Continued).

ANALYSIS OF AMOUNTS CHARGED CITY OF NEW YORK.

	TOTAL	61st Street	Lexington Avenue
1910			
October.....	\$9,333 62	\$8,769 64	\$563 98
November.....	9,148 99	8,550 75	598 24
December.....	9,171 32	8,445 98	725 34
1911			
January.....	8,914 59	8,213 21	701 38
February.....	7,687 85	7,092 44	595 41
March.....	7,725 86	7,040 88	684 98
April.....	7,476 95	6,817 61	659 34
May.....	7,110 13	6,478 44	631 69
June.....	6,664 39	6,127 48	536 91
July.....	7,287 60	6,776 91	510 69
August.....	7,139 36	6,602 51	536 85
September.....	7,049 13	6,557 22	491 91
	\$94,709 79	\$87,473 07	\$7,236 72



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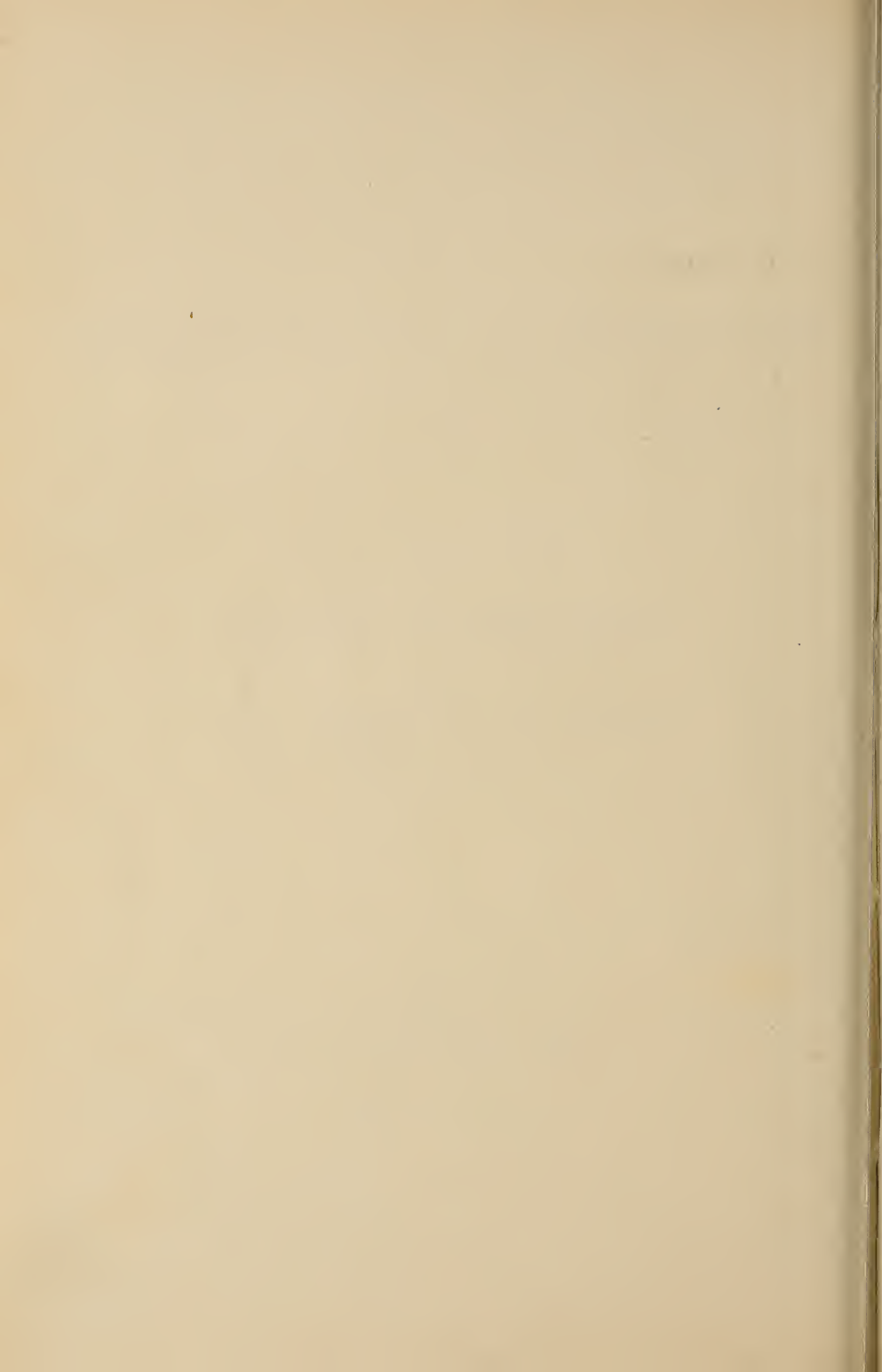
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61st Street and Amsterdam Avenue—Lexington Avenue and 51st Street

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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

NEW YORK NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL.

In March, 1910, by an order of the New York Supreme Court, the Nursery and Child's Hospital and the New York Infant Asylum, two of the oldest and best known institutions for the care of sick and homeless women and children, were consolidated under the name of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital. The two groups of buildings of the old institutions have been retained under the new organization—one group being at Lexington Avenue and 51st Street, the other at Amsterdam Avenue and 61st Street, in the City of New York.

The objects and purposes of the institution, as is stated in the order of consolidation, are as follows: The maintenance and care of the children of wet nurses and the daily charge of infants whose parents labor away from home; the maintenance of a home for illegitimate children and a lying-in asylum, and receiving and taking care of foundlings and other infant children of the age of two years and under, which may be entrusted to its charge; and to provide for their support and moral, physical, intellectual and industrial education, and providing such lying-in wards and methods of care and guidance as shall tend to prevent the maternal abandonment of homeless infants and diminish the moral dangers and personal sufferings to which homeless mothers are exposed; procuring the adoption of suitable foster parents for such children as may properly be adopted out; the establishment and maintenance of schools and exercising and enjoying each and every power and privilege now enjoyed by the said corporations, or either of them, as fully as though herein more specifically enumerated and stated.

In all cases those in charge of the institution endeavor to keep mother and child together, or to find permanent homes for those children who may be abandoned by their parents. As has been repeatedly stated,

every effort is made to so care for the children that they shall find homes in which they may receive religious and intellectual instruction, and where they shall not be reminded of the place of their birth.

On December 19, 1910, a very violent explosion in the yard of the New York Central did great damage to the buildings of the Lexington Avenue Branch. Through the energy of the officers of the institution the work of repairing this damage was promptly taken in hand, and there are few, if any, traces of the injuries done to the buildings. Fortunately none of the employees or inmates was injured, nobody deserted his or her post, and in the midst of the dirt and confusion and excitement, the work of the institution went on as usual.

The Amsterdam Avenue buildings have been greatly improved by the change of location of the kitchen and laundry.

It must be admitted again that the work of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital is greatly hampered by lack of current funds. Its income is not sufficient adequately to meet its running expenses and it is constantly hampered by this lack of means.

To all who have aided the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital in its work as doctors, nurses and employees of all kinds, the Directors wish to express the sincerest appreciation of their devotion to the institution's interests.

The thanks of the Directors are especially due to the Employment Societies of the Church of the Incarnation and Calvary Church for their valuable services rendered in the making of garments for the 61st Street Branch. Other societies which have done work for the Hospital are the following: Harlem Relief Society, St. Thomas's Church, St. Thomas's Mission, Church of the Holy Communion Employment Society, Friends' Employment Society, All Souls Church Helping Hand Society, Christ Church Employment Society, League of Social Service, Rye, N. Y., New York House and School of Industry, Madison Avenue Reformed Church, The Lenten Sewing Classes of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital, and to these also we express our sincere thanks for their assistance.

JACOB W. MILLER,
President.

New York, September 30th, 1911.

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NOTE.—All of the foregoing lists of committees are as of November, 1910.

MEDICAL BOARD

NEW YORK NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL

TO FEBRUARY 1st, 1912, OR UNTIL SUCCESSORS ARE APPOINTED

Consulting Obstetricians.

- JAMES W. McLANE, M. D., 107 E. 38th St.
 EDWARD L. PARTRIDGE, M. D., 19 Fifth Ave.
 EDWIN B. CRAGIN, M. D., 10 W. 50th St.
 J. MILTON MABBOTT, M. D., 19 Fifth Ave.

Attending Obstetricians.

- HENRY McM. PAINTER, M. D., 62 W. 55th St.
 FELLOWES DAVIS, Jr., M. D., 58 W. 47th St.
 WILLIAM E. STUDDIFORD, M. D., 124 E. 36th St.

Consulting Orthopedist.

- VIRGIL P. GIBNEY, M. D., 16 Park Ave.

Assistant Attending Obstetricians.

- MONTGOMERY H. SICARD, M. D., 15 E. 48th St.
 HENRY CLAY COWLES, Jr., M. D., 97 Central Park West.

Attending Obstetricians to Out-Door Department.

- EDWARD N. COLIE, Jr., M. D., 120 W. 55th St.

Assistant Attending Obstetricians to Out-Door Department.

- EDWARD COOK, M. D., 221 W. 57th St.
 A. R. GANDY, M. D., c/o Dr. Painter, 62 W. 55th St.

Consulting Pediatricists.

- ALLEN M. THOMAS, M. D., 35 W. 54th St.
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 WILLIAM P. NORTHRUP, M. D., 57 E. 79th St.
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Attending Pediatricists.

- CHARLES G. KERLEY, M. D., 132 W. 81st St.
 ROWLAND G. FREEMAN, M. D., 211 W. 57th St.
 CHAS. FARNHAM COLLINS, M. D., 50 W. 55th St.

Consulting Surgeon.

- HOWARD COLLINS, M. D., 50 W. 55th St.

Assistant Attending Pediatricists.

- ROYAL S. HAYNES, M. D., 267 W. 79th St.
 OSCAR M. SCHLOSS, M. D., 54 W. 104th St.

- CHARLES H. SMITH, M. D., 2880 Broadway.

Dermatologist.

- GEORGE W. CRARY, M. D., 535 Park Avenue.

Ophthalmologist.

ROBERT G. REESE, M. D., 147 West 57th Street.

Otologist.

JAMES F. MCKERNON, M. D., 62 West 52nd Street.

Orthopedist.

F. HALSTEAD MYERS, M. D., 59 West 50th Street.

Pathologist.

W. MORGAN HARTSHORNE, M. D., 16 Central Park West.

Dentist.

E. F. CONCKLIN, M. D., c/o Dr. Kerley, 132 West 81st Street.

Resident Physician.

Dr. T. J. CARSWELL, June, 1909, to October, 1910.

Dr. GEO. M. MURRAY, November, 1910, to January, 1911.

Dr. THOS. J. KINNEY, January, 1910, to March, 1911.

Dr. WM. A. MURPHY, March, 1911.

House Staff.

The following Physicians have served on the House Staff during the past two years, at 61st Street:

1909.

Dr. W. C. WILLIAMS.

Dr. H. C. McMASTER.

Dr. JNO. R. FARRELL.

Dr. JNO. MCGINNIS.

Dr. RAYMOND W. BROWN.

Dr. BENJAMIN DAVIDSON.

Dr. T. J. CARSWELL.

1910.

Dr. O. W. HILL.

Dr. CHAS. E. CONRAD.

Dr. THOS. H. KINNEY.

Dr. THAD. SHAW.

Dr. RHEA E. GARRETT.

Dr. F. G. CARROLL.

Dr. JNO. LIND.

Dr. A. V. LAING.

1911 to June:

Dr. CHAS. B. CRAWFORD.

Dr. M. J. McMAHON.

Dr. P. T. DALY.

At Lexington Avenue Branch:

Dr. SMITH.

Dr. DURHAM.

Dr. E. C. BUTLER.

Dr. D. E. MONROE.

Dr. WOOD.

Dr. I. H. GOLDBERG.

**SUMMARY OF WORK DONE AT THE SIXTY-FIRST STREET
BRANCH OF THE NEW YORK NURSERY
AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL**

So many improvements and changes have been made of late in the Sixty-first Street Branch of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital that it is difficult to give anything but a small idea of it all within the bounds of a report. First in importance was the transfer of the dark kitchen on the ground floor, and the laundry in the basement, to the second floor. Each is now a thoroughly satisfactory, light, airy room, equipped with every convenience and meeting every requirement. On this floor now, also, are the dining-rooms, one for the superintendent, head of outdoor department and doctors, one for the nursery maids, and one for the patients. The "commissary" department is in consequence in every way more convenient and comfortable. This floor was opened in August of 1910.

In the same month was opened an out-door obstetrical department, the old kitchen on the ground floor having been suitably altered to meet the requirements of this work. Under Dr. Davis this department has done a far-reaching work with most satisfactory results.

On the ground floor in December, 1910, a sitting-room was fitted up for the use of nurses and doctors. A rug and mission furniture were provided by the Executive Committee. Mrs. Witherbee donated a settee, cushions, and sash curtains; some pictures donated were framed, and curtains bought with the balance of our Christmas fund; and the piano was repaired and refinished by the Sewing Class Treasurer. This room is also used for meetings of the committees, and fills a long-felt need.

The sixth floor obstetrical department has been transformed. In the operating room the unsanitary plumbing has been removed by order of the Committee. The very objectionable stained floor has been replaced by one of vitrified tiles, this a donation from Mrs. Witherbee and Dr. Peaslee, at a cost of \$280.00. The small room next to the

operating room, formerly used for sick children, has now been fitted up with the sterilizing plant, and the sick children's nursery has been transferred to the large, airy room from which the sterilizers were moved, this at a cost of \$80.00, of which \$30.00 was secured by Dr. Murphy, and \$25.00 was donated by Mr. Gherardi Davis. A two-fold improvement was thus obtained: The sick children have a much better room, and the obstetrical suite is by itself, behind closed doors, as it should be.

The entire hospital was in great need of fresh paint. A painter by the day has been employed, and he now has an assistant, and this has been found the most economical way of meeting this necessity. The first floor was refinished in yellow in the fall of 1910, the second floor in the spring of 1911, and the third floor in the spring of 1911. All the private rooms have been done in a pale shade of green, the furniture has been refinished, sash curtains hung, new bureau and table covers have been provided by the Sewing Class, and also three new sets of china for the washstands. These rooms (five of them are now occupied) present an attractive appearance and should be rented for \$35.00, and as soon as their improved condition, as well as that of the obstetrical floor, becomes known abroad, should be a source of income to the hospital.

The fourth or Marion Street floor was painted a pale green in the spring of 1910, and the dining-room on this floor is now used for the head and visiting nurses. On the fifth floor, for convalescent children, nothing has been done. On the sixth floor the obstetrical suite has been done in enamel white paint. The ward and sick children's room have only the wainscoting of enamel paint. On the seventh floor, opened as children's wards in the spring of 1910, the paint selected has been a delicate shade of green, and here, also, a wainscoting of enamel paint has been used. This is always done in the hospitals in Vienna and is sanitary, as it can be washed and kept clean.

The basement is in excellent condition and the only improvement there is a shower bath, which the men employees have fixed up and paid for themselves.

CHRISTMAS.

This year we had not one entertainment, but a series. On December 29th there was the usual Christmas tree for the inmates. About sixty women were present; each one received a gift. A Victor machine furnished the music. There was a reception and tea for the Trustees, and each member of the staff was the recipient of a remembrance from the Committee. Mrs. Witherbee received \$120 (from Mrs. Berwind, \$10; Mrs. Butler, \$15; Mrs. Browne, \$10; Mr. Browne, \$10; Mrs. Davis, \$10; A. J. Gould, \$10; Miss Le Roy, \$10; Dr. Partridge, \$10; Mrs. de Peyster, \$10; Mrs. Robison, \$5; Mrs. Witherbee, \$10; Colgan Supply Co., \$10), and with this sum she provided the gifts for Miss Sharp, Miss Hogan, the nursery and office staff and physicians, the Christmas greens, Victor machine, cake, etc. Miss Sharp collected \$200, and with this sum, with her special gift as a purchaser, she provided everything for everybody, and many thanks are due Miss Sharp, Miss Hogan and those who aided in so successfully carrying out the best Christmas festival we have ever had at the Hospital.

In the evening there was a dance for the nurses, with a nice supper. Miss Spence donated thirty large Christmas baskets containing groceries, fruit, and some wearing apparel, and fifteen large red stockings full of toys. These were distributed to the poverty-stricken people in the neighborhood, brought in touch with us through the outdoor obstetrical department. Dr. Davis kindly loaned his machine for the distribution of gifts.

On December 30th there was a tree for the benefit of the Boarding-Out Department under the direction of Miss Hogan. This department has been ably carried on, and during the year has done a splendid work. Over 300 children were present with their foster mothers. Each child had a toy and bag of candy and the 600 present were each given a cup of cocoa and crackers. On December 31st the tree again did service for the children of the Out-Door Obstetrical Service. About 200 children with their mothers, were present; each child had a toy and candy, and all present were again served with cocoa and crackers, and in the even-

ing there was a dance for the inmates, the nurses playing the piano; and the last of the cocoa and crackers were served and the new year dawned upon a happy group of people, who had indeed made a "Merry Christmas" for a thousand people.

EASTER.

The following named members of the House Committee gave Mrs. Witherbee \$27 to expend for plants, which were placed in each ward and room and added greatly to the pleasure of both inmates and staff:

Mrs. Robison.....	\$3.00	Mrs. Browne.....	\$5.00
Miss Le Roy.....	5.00	Mrs. Davis.....	5.00
Mrs. Day.....	3.00	Mrs. Witherbee.....	6.00

Mrs. Butler sent plants.

ROOF GARDEN.

The following members of the House Committee also gave Mrs. Witherbee the sum of \$45 to be expended for plants for the Roof Garden, and 19 boxes have been filled with ivy, geraniums, and other plants, and the flowers are much appreciated and enjoyed by all in the hospital:

Mrs. de Peyster.....	\$5.00	Mrs. Robison.....	\$5.00
Mrs. Lung.....	2.00	Mrs. Davis.....	10.00
Miss Le Roy.....	5.00	Mrs. Butler.....	3.00
Mrs. Day.....	2.00	Mrs. Witherbee.....	13.00

SEWING CLASS.

Owing to Mrs. de Peyster's sudden death there has been no special account rendered this year of the Class. The usual members evinced interest in the work and contributed \$425, and a large number of garments have been given to the hospital. Mrs. Lung has kindly consented to take her mother's place as Treasurer, and also most generously has given \$60 to furnish much needed screens for the wards.

THE MISSIONARY.

Mrs. Vredenburg continues to make her bed-side visits in the wards twice a week. Her cheery presence and good influence have a

marked effect upon the women and in many instances she keeps in touch with them after they leave the hospital. She also distributes Bibles, prayer-books and crosses, and her service rendered is a valuable one, indeed, and she brings not only comfort but good counsel to many a distressed soul.

FIRE PROTECTION.

Through the courtesy of Fire Commissioner Waldo, Ex-Chief Freel, was induced to visit the hospital several times and made a thorough examination of all the buildings, and before the Executive Committee gave a most comprehensive report of the existing conditions. The various suggestions made by him for safeguarding the inmates in case of fire were of valuable assistance to us, and many of his plans are now being carried out, such as iron shutters, wire-glass windows with metal sash and fire-proof doors where needed, solid wall with fire-proof door at the base of the elevator, a system of buzzers (as a fire signal), a drill for employees, etc., and many thanks are due Ex-Chief Freel for the advice given to us in this all-important matter.

Many thanks are also due Mr. Browne for his daily devotion to his duties as Treasurer and his constant effort to enable us to straighten out many matters during the various changes of administration and complications of consolidation.

It would be impossible to close this report without recording the sorrow and loss expressed by all the members of the Committee in the sudden death of Mrs. Frederick J. de Peyster, for many years closely identified with the interests of this hospital. Always generous both as regards her time and gifts in aid of our needs, she in every way continued the interest always manifested in the hospital by her husband, so long our much esteemed president. Her loss will be very much felt both in the House Committee and in the Sewing Class, over which she had full charge since the time it was first started.

Mention must also be made of the resignation of Miss Sharp, for eleven months superintendent. Taking charge at a time of various complications owing to the consolidation of the two branches, many changes and improvements were begun during her régime, and the good work well begun is being admirably carried on under the administration of Miss Jardine, Miss Hogan and Dr. Murphy, now in charge.

Particular reference should be made to the work done by the Employment Society of the Church of the Incarnation. Our institution supplied that Society with the necessary materials and the Society returned to us, free of cost, garments of all kinds made with neatness and care. During the past year the Employment Society has made for us the extraordinary number of 5,678 garments, in addition to over 5,000 minor necessary articles. The total numbers of the different articles, which we deem it necessary to specify, are as follows: 584 skirts, 2,321 dresses, 46 coats, 582 rompers, 53 boys' shirts, 546 slips, 331 gowns, 125 aprons, 549 petticoats, 214 infants' petticoats, 77 hoods, 250 boys' waists.

For the House Committee of the Sixty-first Street Branch of the Nursery and Child's Hospital.

MARY S. WITHERBEE.

JUNE 5, 1911.

REPORT OF HOUSE COMMITTEE
LEXINGTON AVENUE BRANCH OF THE NEW YORK NURSERY AND
CHILD'S HOSPITAL.

The year nineteen hundred and ten has been a year of exceptional good health for the inmates of the Institution, both adults and children. The balconies and porches provided for each ward have given daily fresh air to the children, and this fresh air treatment is found to be so advantageous that the little ones spend most of their time out of doors, and it is not uncommon for visitors passing through the wards to find them entirely deserted. The installation of modern machinery in the laundry has largely increased the yard space, making it possible to have swings and flower borders, which have been a great source of pleasure to the children as well as to the older people.

Our warmest thanks are due to the New York Kindergarten Association for the excellent kindergarten which it has maintained here, under the management of Miss Wallace and Miss Wilcox. Miss Wallace has been principal of the kindergarten ever since its establishment in the Hospital, and has done most faithful and efficient work. She has been ably assisted for the past two years by Miss Wilcox. The summer session of the kindergarten during July gave the children many outings, in addition to the excursions and park rides provided by the Hospital. The kindergarten has been a great benefit to the children, both mentally and physically, as well as a source of great pleasure.

51st STREET BRANCH

The Christmas festivities lasted fully a week in the Hospital. The kindergarten children assist the teachers in dressing their Christmas tree, and all the decorations and gifts on the tree are made by the children who take great delight in giving presents of little calendars and other simple kindergarten work, not only to their parents, but to the nurses and caretakers in the Hospital. It is a very pleasing sight to see the little ones

all dressed in white, the girls with their bright ribbons, playing their kindergarten games, and a pleasure to hear their sweet voices singing Christmas carols. At the end they, themselves, receive gifts of toys and candy from their kind friends in the Kindergarten Association. We have kept up the old custom of having the children hang up their stockings on Christmas eve, and if one should pass through the wards that night a little stocking would be seen hanging on every bed. One of the nurses dressed as Santa Claus filled these stockings, and the children waking from their sleep were delighted to shake hands with the real Santa at work. Christmas Day every one, old and young, assembled in the Chapel and found there a tree loaded with gifts from which all received something. There were also tiny Christmas trees in every ward, which the nurses took pleasure in dressing, and decorations everywhere of holly and evergreens. A bountiful dinner of turkey and mince pie, with fruit and nuts, was enjoyed by all the grown-ups, and in the evening a treat of ice cream and cake brought to a close a happy day.

The Sunday services have been conducted very acceptably by the Rev. Mr. Roosevelt of the New York Protestant Episcopal City Mission Society, who in addition to his Sunday services has called frequently during the week to visit any who needed his ministrations. Sunday evening the Bible Teachers' Training School has sent one of their number to conduct a service of song with a simple address, and occasionally missionaries from China, Japan, and the Indian Reservation of the West, have given interesting accounts of their work in foreign lands. A very lovely Easter service was held by the Rev. Mr. Roosevelt. The Chapel was decorated with an abundance of Easter lilies, and the children looked very sweet dressed in white and carrying flowers. In the afternoon every one was treated to ice cream and cake, and the children were made happy with Easter eggs.

A class of sixteen nursery maids was graduated, the girls having received lessons in sewing, cooking and kindergarten amusements in addition to their instruction in nursing. We are indebted to Mrs. William M. Kingsland for providing the lessons in kindergarten, and to Mrs.

Edward J. Berwind for furnishing a teacher from the New York Cooking School. Sewing is taught by a teacher from the Pascal Institute. The excellence of the training given by our Institution in this Branch is so well recognized by the public that the demand for infants' nurses continues to be far in excess of the supply. Letters are frequently received from those who employ these nurses expressing their great satisfaction. In November the class of nursery maids gave an interesting demonstration of the work done during the year. A number of friends enjoyed seeing the exhibition in the different lines of nursing, sewing, cooking, and kindergarten work. Mrs. Sullivan was present, and after a most helpful address to the class presented books as prizes for proficiency in the different branches of their work.

Our thanks are due to the University Extension Society, which has provided a teacher in millinery and embroidery for the mothers in the Hospital.

The work of the Hospital was severely hampered by the explosion in the New York Central Railroad yards. All the windows in the main building were blown out, and many of the ceilings and walls had to be repaired, but no one in the Hospital was injured, although in some instances the infants were covered with broken glass, and the consequent exposure caused much discomfort and annoyance. Too much praise cannot be given to Miss Hunt, our Superintendent, and to Miss Dixon, our Assistant Superintendent, for their prompt and efficient services in this emergency. The employees of the house, impressed by the coolness and decision of the Superintendents, remained faithfully at their posts, and with promptness and ability looked after the removal of the children to places of safety. The conduct of those persons under their authority gave evidence of the confidence inspired by the administration. The Hospital is now completely restored and in good condition to carry on the work.

The Managers take great pleasure in expressing their high appreciation of the services rendered to the Institution during the past twelve years by the Superintendent, Miss Hunt, and Assistant Superintendent, Miss

Dixon. While in every way carrying out the wishes of the Board of Managers, they have by their benign influence raised the moral and spiritual natures of the inmates, sending them out into the world again better equipped to fight its battles. Many of those coming under our care have returned to express their thanks for the help given while in the Hospital.

The St. Christopher League, which was founded by a number of young people interested in the work done in this Institution, gave a dramatic performance, and of the proceeds donated the sum of Six Hundred Dollars for the maintenance of two beds. The officers of the League are Miss Gladys E. C. Clarkson, President; Miss Helen W. Durkee, Vice-President; Miss Lena R. Curtis, Secretary; Mr. Alvan W. Perry, Treasurer.

With deep regret we make note here of the death of Dr. J. J. Hull, who from the date of the organization of the Nursery and Child's Hospital, served the cause of philanthropy as an attending and consulting physician in this Institution, until ill health prevented continuation of practice. He was esteemed and beloved by all who came in contact with him. Among his many excellent traits we note as especially valuable in a work like ours that he was always conscious of the moral aspects and purposes of our work, as well as of the medical requirements.

We cannot close our report without expressing our thanks for the endowment of a bed in perpetuity by Mrs. Walter G. Ladd, in memory of her nephew, John T. Willets, Jr.

We are gratified that the influence of our old managers is still potent for our advantage as evidenced by the generous bequest of \$10,000 by Mr. John W. Ellis in memory of the interest which his wife took in the work as one of our managers for many years.

JULIA C. OOTHOUT,
Secretary House Committee Lexington Avenue
Branch, N. Y. Nursery and Child's Hospital.

THE 61st STREET BOARDING-OUT DEPARTMENT

The work done in this Department is the proper care of foundlings and children of poor parents committed to this Institution by the City. Its organization consists of a head, Miss Nina Hogan, who is an assistant to the Superintendent of the Hospital, her Secretary, and five district nurses, who work under the supervision of the Head of the Department.

Homes are selected which have first been inspected and recommended by the Department of Health and then inspected by a district nurse. Proper personal references are required; there must be no other small children in the family; the surroundings must be sanitary and the home discipline be gentle but firm. After all preliminary requirements as to surroundings and home influences are satisfied, the foster mother is given a pamphlet of instructions when a child is placed with her.

With the advice of the member of the Medical Board in charge of the Boarding-Out Department, a physician in each vicinity is designated who, on request, will visit any child under the Institution's care and either give it medical care in the home or order it into the Hospital for treatment. Home treatment is undertaken with the assistance of one of the district nurses.

In the Boarding-Out Department office is kept a file of large envelopes in which is a complete record of the child while under the Department's care. There are noted its movements from home to home, its sicknesses and their duration, and its general physical condition from time to time, along with the record of the visiting nurse who makes rounds of all homes at frequent intervals. A plan is under way whereby a photograph of the child will be made when the child is received and again when the child is given out for adoption or returned to its parents.

The Hospital wards are always at the disposal of the Boarding-Out Department children whenever they are thought to need medical or surgical attention.

In the year 1910 about 1,200 children of the two classes, foundlings

and infants under two years of age, committed by the city, were cared for in homes in various parts of New Jersey, Staten Island, Long Island, the Boroughs of Queens, Bronx and Manhattan.

These children were from 10 days to 5 years of age. In case of breast-fed infants, wet nurses, inspected by the Board of Health and supervised by the district nurses, are used. The average number of these is 80.

The Department's most satisfactory work has been done among the marasmic cases which improve as if by magic with the mothering that can be given to them in private homes. The foundlings also constitute an interesting class of children. Most of them are picked up deserted in the streets and alleys of the great city, and are not the finest physical specimens. They are looked over for medical defects and if not in need of medical care are immediately given to a wet nurse, and the results are amazing.

Of these cases, we admitted 75 in 1910, and 90 were taken over by the State Charities Aid Association during the same period for adoption into good homes, making in all 110 given out for adoption during the year. This system, now being carried out, places them temporarily in free homes under observation for 12 months, and at the end of that time, if everything is satisfactory, a legal form is gone through with for their adoption.

Once a year a "round-up" is had of all the children and their temporary parents, and it is a most interesting sight. At other times the children are kept under medical observation in a general way, even though well, by coming in groups twice a week for inspection in the Hospital. They are stripped, weighed and given a complete physical examination; which becomes part of their permanent record and is added to from time to time as they are brought in again for inspection or sick. An arrangement has been made whereby at stated intervals such of them as need dental attention may come to the Institution for that purpose.

The clothing for the children is issued from the storeroom in the

Hospital as needed. Part of this is furnished by the various sewing circles and ladies interested in the work and part is bought from the funds of the Department.

NEW YORK NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL
LEXINGTON AVENUE BRANCH

DONATIONS, 1910.

JANUARY.

Dr. Thos. S. Southworth.....Three bushels Soy beans.
Miss Sands.....Easter lilies.
Cosmopolitan Sewing Circle (through
Mrs. Henry M. Day).....Forty-four garments.
Mrs. W. W. Heaton.....Flowers.
Mrs. Wm. M. Kingsland.....Flowers.
AnonymousFlowers.
Needlework Guild of Brooklyn.....Fifty garments.

FEBRUARY.

Mrs. D. C. Adams.....Baby clothes, medical supplies.
Mrs. Oliver Bronson.....Religious papers.
Cosmopolitan Sewing Circle (through
Mrs. Day).....Forty-four garments.
Mrs. Reginald Barclay.....Sled.
Captain Lantry.....Easter lilies.
In Memory of Mrs. Henry C. Eno.....Three knitted hoods.
Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish.....One hundred garments.
Cosmopolitan Sewing Circle (through
Mrs. Day).....Seven wrappers.

MARCH.

Cosmopolitan Sewing Circle (through
Mrs. Day).....Twenty-five garments.
Mrs. Wm. C. Egleston and Miss Perkins.....Seventeen dresses, four petticoats.
Mrs. Geo. J. Jetter.....Toys, Christmas tree ornaments.
Mrs. Preston Hix.....Woman's coat.
Mrs. W. E. Traver, Germantown, N. Y.....Scrap book, Sunday school papers, picture cards.
Rev. Sherwood Roosevelt.....Easter flowers.
Mrs. W. M. Hartshorn.....Easter rabbits and chickens.
Mrs. Wm. M. Kingsland.....\$5 for children's Easter celebration.

APRIL.

- Mrs. Oliver Bronson.....Nine Gospels according to St. Matthew,
nine Gospels according to St. Luke.
- Cosmopolitan Sewing Circle (through
Mrs. Day).....Forty-six garments.
- Girls' Friendly Society, Poughkeepsie,
N. Y. (through Miss Beatrice Sands)..Clothing, scrap-books.
- Mrs. I. C. McKeever.....Toys, hobby-horse, doll's house.
- Mrs. MitchellBaby's bath tub.
- Mrs. J. Aikin Taber.....Clothing, shoes.
- Mrs. Arthur Hahls.....Clothing, toys.
- Mrs. Dudley Pollard.....Magazines.
- Mrs. J. JavieToys.
- Mrs. Winthrop Burr.....Magazines.

MAY.

- Mrs. C. M. Schwab.....Flowers.
- Miss Marie Meislahn, Clarcona, Fla.. Five gallons honey.
- Mrs. L. M. Starr.....Toys, books.
- Mrs. L. B. Elliman.....Clothing, toys, picture books.
- Mrs. S. M. Cyprian, Pleasantville, N. Y..Flowers.
- Mrs. A. W. Popper.....Toys.
- Miss Grace Mulley.....Magazines.
- Miss Gertrude Wolfer.....Magazines.
- Mrs. Chas. R. Anderson, Mt. Kisco,
N. Y.....One hundred and twenty flags, flowers.
- Miss Marie Parkes.....Large doll.

JUNE.

- Mrs. Chas. Anderson.....Four boxes of flowers.
- Sunday School, Spuyten Duyvil, N. Y..Flowers.
- Mrs. Jonathan Wright, Pleasantville,
N. Y.....Flowers.
- Messrs. J. Ullrich & Co.....Picture cards.
- Mrs. W. W. Heaton.....One barrel rhubarb, flowers.
- Mrs. Henry Siegel.....Two boxes of flowers.
- Mrs. H. C. Stuart, Oradell, N. J.....Six boxes of flowers.
- Mr. Rudolph Ullrich.....Fortune telling bears.
- Mrs. Henry M. Day.....Magazines, linen.
- Mrs. W. W. Heaton.....Roses.
- Shining Light Circle, King's Daughters,
Moodna, N. Y.....Five boxes of flowers.
- Mrs. Geo. Rudolf Mosle, Gladstone,
N. J.....Mammala.
- Mrs. H. A. Alexander (through Na-
tional Plant, Flower and Fruit Guild)..Flowers.

Bloomingdale Bros.....One hundred fans.
 Mrs. Westenhoefer, Mt. Vernon, N. Y..Flowers.
 S. M. Cyprian, Pleasantville, N. Y.....Flowers.
 Mrs. J. Howard Wright.....Twenty-five quarts ice cream.
 Mrs. Harold Allen, Flushing, L. I.....Flowers.

JULY.

Shining Light Circle, King's Daughters,
 Moodna, N. Y.....Two boxes flowers.
 Mrs. Charles Anderson.....Four boxes of flowers.
 Mrs. Laurence Stoddart.....Flowers.
 Mrs. J. Howard Wright.....Twenty-five quarts ice cream.
 Miss Gadeberg, Summit, N. J.....Scrap books.
 Y. W. C. T. U., Mt. Kisco, N. Y.....Flowers.

AUGUST.

Shining Light Circle, King's Daughters,
 Moodna, N. Y.....Three boxes of flowers.
 Y. W. C. T. U., Mt. Kisco, N. Y.....Flowers.
 Mrs. Charles Anderson.....Two boxes of flowers.
 Shining Light Circle, King's Daughters,
 Newburgh, N. Y.....Two boxes of flowers.
 Mrs. Harold Allen, Flushing, L. I.....Flowers.
 Miss Marian Delafield Hull.....Flowers.

SEPTEMBER.

Mrs. E. Blauvelt, Oradell, N. J.....Flowers.
 Shining Light Circle, King's Daughters,
 Newburgh, N. Y.....Two boxes of flowers
 Mrs. Henry Siegel.....Three boxes of flowers.
 Mrs. Chas. Anderson.....Three boxes of flowers.
 Shining Light Circle, King's Daughters,
 Moodna, N. Y.....Flowers.
 Mrs. Vanderpoel.....Six sheets.

OCTOBER.

Miss Alice Latham.....Toys.
 Mrs. Laurence B. Stoddart.....Flowers.
 Mr. Louis C. Owens.....Malaga grapes.
 Mrs. W. A. Francis.....Picture cards.
 Miss Annie Richardson.....Magazines.
 South Yorktown Sunshine Club.....Apples, jelly, clothing.
 Mrs. J. Howard Wright.....Fourteen knitted caps, magazines.

NOVEMBER.

Mrs. Henry S. Fleming.....	Baby clothes, blankets.
Dr. Alexander Hadden.....	Flowers.
Mr. Kerr	Flowers.
Hotel Belmont.....	Crockery.
Mrs. Bishop	Toys.
Mrs. Edward Wise.....	Child's pen.
Mrs. Charles Anderson.....	Flowers.
Rev. Sherwood Roosevelt.....	Fifty oranges.
Y. W. C. T. U., Mt. Kisco, N. Y. (through Mrs. Chas. Anderson).....	Crackers, jelly, fruit, preserves, books, pictures.

DECEMBER.

Mrs. Oliver Bronson.....	Religious papers.
Miss Dorothy Perkins.....	Flowers.
F. S. Bellevue, Whitestone, L. I.....	Subscription to magazine, <i>The Children's Star</i> .
Mrs. Chas. F. MacLean.....	One barrel citron.
Anonymous	Flowers
Anonymous	Toys.
Anonymous	Two hoods.
Mrs. C. E. Gudebrod.....	One barrel apples.
Mrs. Walter G. Ladd, Far Hills, N. J. (through Mrs. Kingsland).....	Twenty-nine hoods.
Junior Christian Endeavor Society, New Rochelle, N. Y.....	Picture postals.
Park Laundry Co.....	Laundry done without charges after explosion.

WORK DONE BY DIFFERENT SOCIETIES.

Harlem Relief Society.....	1,527 garments
Friends Employment Society.....	1,439 "
Christ Church Employment Society.....	808 "
League of Social Service, Rye, N. Y.....	714 "
St. Thomas' Mission.....	628 "
Helping Hand Society, All Souls Church.....	503 "
New York House and School of Industry.....	274 "
Employment Society, Church of the Holy Communion.....	272 "
St. Thomas' Employment Society.....	150 "
Madison Avenue Reformed Church.....	12 "

Lenten Sewing Class for the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital, under the Chairmanship of Mrs. George H. Benjamin, was most successful. Over a thousand garments were made, which added greatly to the comfort of the children.

CHRISTMAS CONTRIBUTIONS, 1910.

Mrs. Vanderbilt	\$50.00	Mrs. James J. Goodwin.....	\$5.00
Mrs. Edward J. Berwind.....	40.00	Mrs. J. Howard Wright.....	5.00
Mrs. Frederick Pearson.....	25.00	Mrs. Edward Mitchell	5.00
Mrs. W. W. Heaton.....	15.00	Mrs. Joseph S. Auerbach.....	5.00
Mrs. Laurence Stoddart.....	15.00	Mrs. F. N. Goddard.....	5.00
Mrs. Harry S. Kingsley.....	10.00	Mrs. Arthur C. Gwynne.....	5.00
Mrs. Wm. N. Cromwell.....	10.00	Mrs. Wm. Rhinelander	5.00
Mrs. Wm. Barbour.....	10.00	Miss Patteson	5.00
Mrs. Wm. M. Kingsland.....	10.00	Miss Jessie Patterson.....	5.00
Mrs. Frank B. Porter.....	10.00	Mrs. Chas. F. MacLean.....	5.00
Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee.....	10.00	Mrs. Roe	5.00
A Friend	10.00	Mrs. Sheehan	4.00
Mr. Kull	10.00	Mrs. A. S. Sullivan.....	3.00
Mrs. Edward Oothout.....	5.00	Mrs. S. B. Sonneborn.....	2.00
Mrs. Wm. C. Egleston.....	5.00	Mrs. Andrews	2.00
Mrs. Henry M. Day.....	5.00	Mrs. W. Dodsworth	2.00
Mrs. Henry C. Adams.....	5.00	Miss J. P. Wickham.....	1.00

CHRISTMAS DONATIONS.

Mr. Kenneth W. Berger, Upper Montclair, N. J.....	Toys, dolls.
Mrs. Oliver Bronson.....	Fifty calendars.
Miss Carolyn Ferriday.....	Toys, dolls.
Mrs. Wm. M. Kingsland.....	One hundred and twenty-five Christmas cards.
N. Y. Prot. Epis. City Mission (through Rev. Mr. Roosevelt).....	Twenty-five lbs. candy, 100 oranges.
The Charlton School.....	Dolls, toys, oranges, candy and turkeys.
Mrs. Herbert C. Wright.....	Doll's house, toys.
Mrs. D. D. Sutphen.....	Toys.
Mrs. W. M. Hartshorn.....	Six dolls.
Mrs. J. Stewart Barney.....	Toys.
Master Gordon McCulloh, Rye, N. Y....	Toys, dolls, books.
King's Daughters Circle of Bethany Memorial Reformed Church.....	Fifty Christmas stockings.
Mrs. Edward J. Berwind.....	Twenty-five lbs. candy, 50 cornucopias.
Junior Auxiliary of Church of the Epiphany	Dolls, scrap-books.
Mrs. John A. Bensel, Bernardsville, N. J....	Toys.
W. C. T. U., Flower Mission Dep., Perry, N. Y.....	Toys, clothing.
Master Jack Thomas.....	Toys.
Mrs. W. E. Traver, Germantown, N. Y....	Picture postals, Christmas cards.
Sunday School First Presbyterian Church, Germantown, N. Y.....	Christmas cards.
Mrs. Herbert Noble.....	Toys, books.

MONEY RECEIVED FOR CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL AT NEW YORK NURSERY AND CHILD'S
HOSPITAL, 161 WEST SIXTY-FIRST STREET.

Stephen Baker	\$15.00	Louise F. Ballard	\$10.00
Watson Flagg Engineering Co..	5.00	McKesson & Robbins.....	5.00
Geo. Borgfeldt & Co.....	25.00	M. Weinstein	5.00
Charles F. Davis.....	25.00	Henry & Roddie.....	5.00
Edward de P. Livingston.....	10.00	J. W. Miller.....	5.00
Jamison, Semple Co.....	5.00	Irving Paris	5.00
Thomas Pierce Murphy.....	10.00	Lucy Ashton Sharp.....	20.00
Steigerwald Packing Co.....	15.00	M. Gallaway	5.00
James P. Knight.....	10.00		
H. Kohnstamm & Co.....	5.00		
H. B. Clafin Co.....	10.00		
			<u>\$195.00</u>

MONEY RECEIVED FOR CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL AT NEW YORK NURSERY AND CHILD'S
HOSPITAL, 161 WEST SIXTY-FIRST STREET.

Mrs. Berwind	\$10.00	Mrs. Robison	\$5.00
Mrs. Butler	15.00	Mrs. Witherbee	10.00
Mrs. Browne	10.00		
Mr. Browne	10.00		<u>\$100.00</u>
Mrs. Davis	10.00	A. J. Gould, Winfield Taylor....	10.00
Miss Le Roy.....	10.00	Colgan Supply Co.....	10.00
Dr. Partridge	10.00		
Mrs. de Peyster	10.00		<u>\$120.00</u>

By

Mrs. WITHERBEE.

CHRISTMAS EXPENSES.

Music for Dance.....	\$10.00
Clafins—Presents for household; material for candy bags.....	32.44
Butler Brothers—Toys for children.....	55.94
Christmas tree.....	10.32
Candy	14.70
Austin Nichols—Raisins, 50 lbs.....	3.50
Nuts, 100 lbs.....	14.00
Animal crackers, 25 lbs.....	2.50
Candy, 30 lbs.....	2.40
Anthony Krayer—1 case oranges.....	3.25
Dennison Manufacturing Company—Crêpe paper for donations.....	2.08
Horton's ice cream.....	1.50
Mirror Candies—16 lbs.....	4.00
Bloomigdale's—False face, handkerchiefs, chocolate, etc.....	3.10
Extras	38
Cushman's—Hire of chairs and urns.....	21.00
	<u>\$181.11</u>

\$181.11

EXPENSES FOR THE CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL.

<i>Gifts to—</i>		<i>Gifts to—</i>		
Miss Sharp	\$10.00	Miss Hogan	\$10.00	
<i>Nursery Staff.</i>				
Miss Robinson	5.00	Miss Reed	5.00	
Miss Stebbins	5.00	Miss Pierce	5.00	
Miss Smith	5.00			
<i>Office Staff.</i>				
Miss Brown	2.50	Mr. Snedecker	2.50	
Miss Gibson	2.50	Mr. Langton	2.50	
Miss Sherlock	2.50	Engineer	2.50	
Miss Cohen	2.50	Missionary	5.00	
<i>Physicians.</i>				
Dr. Murray	Thermometer..	3.75	Julias—Greens and trees.....	10.95
Dr. Kenney	“ ..	3.75	Pusey—Printing invitations	6.75
Dr. Garrell	“ ..	3.50	Victor for three afternoons.....	12.50
Dr. Carroll	“ ..	3.50	Cake	3.24
Total				\$115.44

OTHER DONATIONS.

George Borgfeld Co.....	Toys and \$25.00.
Austin, Nichols Co.....	Seventy-five lbs. candy.
Dr. Ed. Pearslee.....	Laurel, three dozen sandwiches.
From Y. M. C. A., Westfield, N. Y..	A lot of toys.
Anthony Krayer	Christmas tree.
C. Neilson	Platform for tree.
Horton's Ice Cream.....	Ten lbs. cake.
Miss Spence.....	Fifteen stockings, thirty baskets.
Young Women's Christian Association..	Toys.
Dr. Fellowes Davis.....	Ten lbs. graham crackers, 10 lbs. chocolate.
Lennon & Co.....	Child's rocker, child's chair.
Mrs. DeLancey Nicoll.....	Two turkeys.
Rev. Dodd.....	One box oranges, one box toys.
H. H. Palmer.....	One hundred lbs. mustard, 100 lbs. rice.
Mrs. Henry Knickerbaker.....	Thirty mince pies.
Beck's Dairy	One hundred quarts milk.
Mrs. Witherbee	Three dozen tumblers jelly, one dozen jars jelly, Witherbee Cooking School; three dozen sandwiches for reception and dance; three dozen Poinsettia flowers; red umbrellas for decoration.

Mrs. De Peyster.....	Three dozen sandwiches for reception and dance.
Mrs. Butler	Three dozen sandwiches for reception and dance.

SUMMARY

<i>Receipts.</i>		<i>Disbursements.</i>	
Mrs. Witherbee	\$120.00	By Mrs. Witherbee.....	\$115.44
Miss Sharp	195.00	By Miss Sharp	181.11
	<u>\$315.00</u>		<u>\$296.55</u>
Balance on hand.....			\$18.45

THE TREASURER'S REPORT

has been printed and distributed separate from the Annual Report and is, therefore, not set forth here.

STATISTICS OF THE NEW YORK NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL

The following statistics are from the Reports made to the State Board of Charities as of September 30, 1910.

STATISTICS OF THE INSTITUTION FOR THE YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1910, 61st STREET BRANCH

Maternity Cases, also women temporarily in Institution

Number of patients in institution October 1, 1909 (as per last report)	31	
Number of patients received during year	366	
Total number cared for during year		397

Discharged during the year ending September 30, 1910:

Recovered	256	
Unimproved (undelivered)	36	
Died	7	
Total number discharged and died		299

Remaining in the institution September 30, 1910:

Females ..	32	
Total remaining		32

	Paying Patients.	Public Charges.	Free Patients.	Total.
Number of patients cared for during year. . .	83	256	58	397
Number of days' treatment (estimated)	2,075	6,400	1,450	9,925

Women temporarily in Institution (including maternity cases)

Number of inmates in the institution October 1, 1909. (As per last report):

	Girls, 21.	Girls, 16 to 21.	Totals.
Received by commitment of poor law officers	47	10	57
Received on their own application	27	4	31
Totals ..	74	14	88

Received during the year ending September 30, 1910:

	Girls, over 21.	Girls, 16 to 21.	Totals.
By commitment of poor law officers	204	57	261
On their own application	164	60	224
Totals ..	368	117	485

Total number of inmates cared for during the year—

Of this total number 301 were supported by public funds and as asylum women, and 256 as maternity cases, and 83 by private funds.

Discharged during the year ending September 30, 1910.

	Girls, over 21.	Girls, 16 to 21.	Totals.
Transferred to other institutions.....	5		5
Left without permission.....	5		5
Sent out of State.....	3		3
Otherwise discharged.....	363	129	492
Died.....	9		9
Totals.....	385	129	514

**NUMBER OF INMATES REMAINING IN THE INSTITUTION
OCTOBER 1, 1910**

	Girls, over 21.	Girls, 16 to 21.	Totals.
Received by commitment of poor law officers.....	33	17	50
Received on their own application.....	6	3	9
Totals ..	39	20	59

The average number of inmates during the year was (estimated) 74.

HOME FOR CHILDREN REPORT

INCLUDES ALL CHILDREN—61st STREET BRANCH

Number of inmates in institution October 1, 1909 :

	Boys, 5-14.	Girls, 5-14.	Boys, 2-5	Girls, 2-5	Boys under 2.	Girls under 2.	Totals.
Received by commitment of poor law officers.....	21	6	155	120	155	184	641
Rec'd from parents or guardians.....			6	2	9	7	24
Otherwise received.....			1	8	18	29	56
Totals ..	21	6	162	130	182	220	721

Received during the year ending September 30, 1910:

	Boys, 5-14.	Girls, 5-14.	Boys, 2-5.	Girls, 2-5.	Boys under 2.	Girls under 2.	Totals.
By commitment of poor law officers.....			55	59	261	280	655
From parents or guardians		1	4	7	65	61	138
Otherwise received (born in).....					170	138	308
Totals.....		1	59	66	496	479	1,101

Total number of inmates cared for during the year, 1,822; of this total number 1,690 were supported by public funds and 75 by private funds.

Discharged during the year ending September 30, 1910:

	Boys, 5-14.	Girls, 5-14.	Boys, 2-5.	Girls, 2-5.	Boys under 2.	Girls under 2.	Totals.
Returned to parents or guardians.....	7	3	84	59	297	286	736
Transferred to placing-out agencies....	1		19	12	25	52	109
Transferred to other institutions.....	3	1	11	9	14	5	43
Died... ..	—	—	3	3	113	104	223
Totals....	11	4	117	83	449	447	1,111

Of the total number discharged none were sent out of the State to free homes.

Number of inmates remaining in the institution September 30, 1910:

	Boys, 5-14.	Girls, 5-14.	Boys, 2-5.	Girls, 2-5.	Boys under 2.	Girls under 2.	Totals.
Received by commitment of poor law officers	35	16	158	165	129	150	653
Received from parents or guardians			2	8	4	10	24
Otherwise received (born in)	—	—	1	2	18	14	35
Totals	35	16	161	175	151	174	712

The average number of inmates during the year was (estimated) 717.

This figure has been corrected from the report of last year but still fails by one child to agree with the 722 obtained by figuring back from the known census of this year.

BOARDING-OUT DEPARTMENT *

61st STREET BRANCH

	Boys, 5-14.	Girls, 5-14.	Boys, 2-5.	Girls, 2-5.	Boys under 2.	Girls under 2.	Totals.
In boarding homes....	21	6	184	183	138	144	676
In hospitals ..	—	—	3	1	11	20	35
Total	21	6	187	184	149	164	711
Poor Law Officers.....			53	58	223	243	577
From parents and guar- dians	1	—	4	7	56	56	124
Total.....	1	—	57	65	279	299	701
Number under supervision boarding in homes	22	6	244	249	428	463	1,412

Discharged during year ending September 30, 1910:

	Boys, 5-14.	Girls, 5-14.	Boys, 2-5.	Girls, 2-5.	Boys under 2.	Girls under 2.	Totals.
Returned to parents.....	7	3	77	55	115	142	399
Returned to institutions...	3	1	11	9	14	4	42
Transferred to placing-out agencies.....	1	—	19	12	24	52	108
Died.....	—	—	3	3	95	94	195
Total.....	11	4	110	79	248	292	744

Number remaining September 30, 1910:

	Boys, 5-14.	Girls, 5-14.	Boys, 2-5.	Girls, 2-5.	Boys under 2.	Girls under 2.	Totals.
In boarding homes.....	33	16	157	170	114	124	614
In hospitals	2	—	4	3	15	30	54
Total	35	16	161	173	129	154	668

LEXINGTON AVENUE BRANCH

MATERNITY CASES

Number of patients in institution October 1, 1909.....	42
Number of patients received during year.....	132
Total number cared for during year.....	174

* Partly estimated on account of change in classification.

Total number of cases for the year		174
Discharged during the year ending September 30, 1910 :		
Recovered.....	113	
Unimproved....	15	
Transferred to other institutions.....	2	
Died.....	1	
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Total number discharged and died... ..	131	131
Remaining in the institution September 30, 1910 :		
Females.....	43	
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Total remaining.....		43

	Paying Patients.	Public Charges.	Free Patients.	Totals.
Number of patients cared for during year.....	30	3	141	174
Number of days' treatment.....	912	50	14,446	15,408

LEXINGTON AVENUE BRANCH WOMEN TEMPORARILY IN INSTITUTION

Number of inmates in the institution October 1, 1909 :

	Women over 21.	Girls, 16-21.	Total.
Received by poor law officers... ..		1	1
Received on own application	5	1	6
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Totals	5	2	7

Received during the year ending September 30, 1910 :

	Women over 21.	Girls, 16-21.	Total.
By poor law officer	1	1	2
On own application.....	11	5	16
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Totals.....	12	6	18

Total number of inmates cared for during year, 25; of this total number 3 were supported by public funds and 22 by private funds.

Discharged during year ending September 30, 1910 :

	Women over 21.	Girls, 16-21.	Total.
Transferred to other institutions.....	1		1
Otherwise discharged.....	11	7	18
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Totals.....	12	7	19

Number of inmates remaining in institution on September 30 1910 :

	Women over 21.	Girls, 16-21.	Total.
Poor law officer....	1		1
Received on their own application.....	4	1	5
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Totals.....	5	1	6

The average number of temporary inmates during the year was 6.

HOME FOR CHILDREN REPORT LEXINGTON AVENUE BRANCH

On hand October 1, 1909:

	Boys, 5-14.	Girls, 5-14.	Boys, 2-5.	Girls, 2-5.	Boys under 2.	Girls under 2.	Totals.
Poor Law officers	1	1	14	10	4	6	36
From Parents and Guar- dians	1	1	27	6	40	23	98
Total.....	2	2	41	16	44	29	134

Received during year ending September 30, 1910:

	Boys, 5-14.	Girls, 5-14.	Boys, 2-5.	Girls, 2-5.	Boys under 2.	Girls under 2.	Totals.
Poor Law Officers.	1	2	13	7	11	11	45
From Parents or Guardians	3	1	17		123	64	208
Total.....	4	3	30	7	134	75	253

Total cared for during year, 387, of which 81 are paid for by public funds and 306 by private funds.

Discharged during year ending September 30, 1910:

	Boys, 5-14.	Girls, 5-14.	Boys, 2-5.	Girls, 2-5.	Boys under 2.	Girls under 2.	Totals.
Returned to parents	6	3	25	15	96	57	202
Transferred to Placing-out Agencies			3	1			4
Transferred to other Insti- tutions.....	3	1	2	1	3	1	11
Died			2	2	21	12	37
Total.....	9	4	32	19	120	70	254

Number remaining September 30, 1910:

	Boys, 5-14.	Girls, 5-14.	Boys, 2-5.	Girls, 2-5.	Boys under 2.	Girls under 2.	Totals.
Received by commitment..	6	8	15	5	7	7	48
Poor Law Officers	4		26	3	36	16	85
Total....	10	8	41	8	43	23	133

Total average 139.

LEXINGTON AVENUE DISPENSARY

	New cases.	Old cases.	Total.
1909.			
October	11	7	18
November	21	14	35
December	12	11	23
1910.			
January	21	8	29
February	21	24	45
March	22	35	57
April	23	45	68
May.....	56	41	97
June	12	43	55
July	21	32	53
August	28	23	51
September	41	20	61
Total	289	303	592

REPORT OF THE MEDICAL BOARD

TO THE NEW YORK NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL.

The Medical Board of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital reports a decided progress during the past year.

In the reorganization the Medical Staff was strengthened by the appointment of Dr. William E. Studdiford as an attending obstetrician, while the medical service has been improved by increased facilities for the care of children at the Amsterdam Avenue House.

The general pediatric wards have been moved to the seventh floor of the new building, where we now have a large admission ward, a sick ward, an operating room, a diet kitchen, and on the floor above excellent roof facilities for the care of babies. A convalescent ward has been added to the children's department, while the old children's building has been turned into a quarantine ward, on the first floor a gonococcus ward has been installed, and the upper floor is now used for such contagious diseases as may develop in the institution.

The obstetrical operating room has been entirely done over, the floor tiled and the plumbing fixtures have been removed to an adjoining room. This improvement was made possible by the kindness of one of the ladies interested. A sterilizing room has been established near the operating room. The walls and beds of the ward have been painted and the nursery has been moved and enlarged, all this increasing the hygiene, appearance and convenience of the obstetrical plant.

The Lexington Avenue House was entirely renovated after the explosion in the New York Central yards opposite, and provides us with an excellent equipment for the care of healthy or convalescent babies.

ROWLAND G. FREEMAN,
Secretary of the Medical Board.

ANNUAL MEDICAL REPORT 61st STREET BRANCH

March 1, 1910—March 1, 1911

MATERNITY SERVICE

Number of Women awaiting confinement March 1st, 1910.....	26
Number of Women delivered, remaining March 1st, 1910.....	56
Number of Women admitted for confinement for the year.....	286
Number of delivered Women admitted..	102
Number of confinements.....	253

DISCHARGED

Women undelivered.....	33
Delivered.....	329
Deaths—	
Mothers.....	3
Babies.....	4
Still-births.....	5

OUTDOOR OBSTETRICAL DEPARTMENT

Number of cases under observation March 1st, 1910—	
Mothers.....	23
Babies.....	20
Applications received.....	767
Confinements.....	660
Number of Tenement Visits.....	6,245
Number of cases treated in office.....	1,293
Referred to Hospital—	
Mothers.....	48
Babies.....	38
Deaths—	
Mothers.....	2
Babies.....	9
Still-births.....	9

OPERATIONS

	Indoor.	Outdoor.	Total.
Cæsarean Section.....	3	0	3
Forceps High.....	2	3	5
Median A.....	1	8	9
Median B.....	2	6	8
Low.....	10	15	25
Versions.....	8	5	13
Curettages.....	12	9	21

COMPLICATIONS

	Indoor.	Outdoor.	Total.
Post-partem Eclampsia	I	I	2
Placenta Prævia	I	0	I
Apendectomies	2	0	2
Post-partem Septicæmia	2	0	2
Twins	3	4	7

CAUSES OF DEATH

Babies—	Indoor.	Outdoor.	Total.
Hemorrhage and Shock.....	I	I	2
Cerebral Hemorrhage with Sepsis.....	I	0	I
Endocarditis	I	0	I
Ruptured Uterus .....	..	I	I
			5
Mothers—	Indoor.	Outdoor.	Total.
Prematurity	I	5	6
Purpura Hemorrhagica	I	0	I
Erysipelas	0	I	I
Hemophilia	I	0	I
Cerebral Hemorrhage	I	I	2
Patent Foramen Ovale.....	I	I	3
			14

MEDICAL CASES IN CHILDREN'S SERVICE

	Admitted.	Cured.	Improved.	Not Improved.	Died.
Furunculosis of the Scalp.....	6	6	0	0	0
Chronic Bronchitis	6	0	5	I	0
Acute Bronchitis	14	14	0	0	0
Bronchial Asthma	I	0	I	0	0
Pneumonia, Lobar	4I	27	0	0	14
Pneumonia, Broncho-	22	15	0	0	7
Emphysema	2	2	0	0	0
Atalectasis	2	0	0	0	2
Pleurisy	I	0	I	0	0
Malnutrition	24	7	2	0	15
Inanition	19	7	0	0	12
Inanition and Gastro-enteritis.....	I	0	0	0	I
Marasmus	64	13	5	0	46
Marasmus with Ileo-psoas Abscess....	I	0	0	0	I
Rickets	48	30	10	8	0
Rickets and Pertussis.....	I	0	I	0	0
Miliary Tuberculosis	I	0	0	0	I
Measles	34	28	0	0	6
Scarlet Fever	6	2	0	I	3
Diphtheria	8	6	0	0	2
Varicella	14	14	0	0	0
Pertussis	10	10	0	0	0
Impetigo Contagiosa	3	3	0	0	0
Anterior Poliomyelitis	2	0	I	I	0

	Admitted.	Cured.	Improved.	Not Improved.	Died.
Erysipelas	2	1	0	0	1
Eczema	8	5	2	1	0
Acute Gastro-enteritis	86	72	0	0	14
Acute Entero-colitis	11	8	0	0	3
Acute Ileo-colitis	4	2	0	0	2
Cholera Infantum	1	0	0	0	1
Congenital Syphilis	12	0	8	0	4
Tubercular Dactylitis	1	0	1	0	0
Tubercular Adenitis	2	0	2	0	0
Suppurative Adenitis	8	8	0	0	0
Splenic Anemia	2	0	1	0	1
Pericarditis and Endocarditis.....	1	0	0	0	1
Nephritis	2	1	2	0	1
Glycosuria	2	1	1	0	0
Purpura Hemorrhagica	6	2	0	0	4
Gangrenous Stomatitis	1	0	0	0	1
Gonorrhoeal Vaginitis	42	0	30	4	8
Acute Suppurative Otitis Media.....	24	20	4	0	0
Cystitis	2	2	0	0	0
Hemophilia	1	0	0	0	1
Micro-cephalus	1	0	0	1	0
Hydro-cephalus with Spina Bifida....	1	0	0	0	1
Patent Foramen Ovale.....	2	0	0	0	2
Potts Disease	2	0	2	0	0
Balanitis	2	2	0	0	0
Empyema	3	0	1	0	2
Arthritis	1	0	1	0	0
Meningitis, Tubercular	2	0	0	0	2
Meningitis, Epidemic Cerebro-spinal..	2	0	1	0	1
Peritonsilar Abscess	4	4	0	0	0
Retropharyngeal Abscess	1	1	0	0	0
Empyema following Otitis Media.....	1	0	0	0	1
Epilepsy	1	0	0	1	0
Umbilical Hernia	1	0	1	0	0
Inguinal Hernia	8	0	6	2	0
Hypertrophied Tonsils	46	46	0	0	0
Pharyngeal Adenoids	30	28	2	0	0
Mastoiditis	5	4	0	0	1
Cellulitis of Leg.....	3	3	0	0	0
Cellulitis of Scalp.....	4	4	0	0	0
Nevus of Throat and Larynx.....	1	0	0	1	0
Spastic Paraplegia	1	0	0	1	0
Asphyxia from Overlying.....	1	0	0	0	1
Prematurity	10	4	0	0	6
Total					169
Duplications				9	
Died in Health Department Hospitals				5	
				14	14
Total					155

ANNUAL MEDICAL REPORT OF THE LEXINGTON AVENUE BRANCH

JANUARY 1st, 1910, TO DECEMBER 31st, 1910

In Institution January 1, 1910—	
Women awaiting confinement	8
Mothers with children	35
Children	128
Admissions during the year—	
Women for confinement	135
Mothers with children	16
Children	157
Children born	114
Still-births	5
Total number cared for—	
Women	194
Children	399
Discharged—	
Women	145
Children	209
Deaths—	
Women	2
Children over two years.....	2
Children under two years.....	40
Total children	42
Remaining in Hospital January 1, 1911—	
Women awaiting confinement	9
Mothers with children	38
Children	148
Nursery maids trained	16
Dispensary visits	661

MONTHLY REPORT OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS:

	Births.	Deaths.
January	3	1
February	5	1
March	10	9
April	12	2
May	10	2
June	13	4
July	8	4
August	9	4
September	8	2
October	9	4
November	10	3
December	17	6
Total	114	42

	<i>No. of Cases. Deaths.</i>	
DISEASES OF THE NEW BORN :		
Prematurity	7	4
Hernia, umbilical	4	0
Tongue tie	5	0
Congenital syphilis	1	1
Inguinal hernia.....	2	0
Hydrocele (Tunica Vaginalis)	4	0
Icterus neonatorum	54	0
Inanition Fever	7	0
Atelectasis	3	3
DISEASES OF NUTRITION :		
Marasmus	3	3
Malnutrition	33	4
Rachitis	27	0
DISEASES OF THE SKIN :		
Eczema	14	0
Erythema simplex	12	0
Furunculosis	6	0
Tinea trichophytosis corporis	4	0
Urticaria	12	0
Seborrhœa capitis	22	0
Herpes facialis	18	0
Impetigo contagiosa	10	0
Miliaria	32	0
GENERAL INFECTIOUS DISEASES :		
Diphtheria	7	1
Influenza	8	0
Rubeola	30	1
DISEASES OF THE MOUTH, NOSE, EAR AND NASOPHARYNX :		
Adenoids	20	0
Otitis media, acute	40	0
Otitis media, chronic	29	0
Mastoiditis	3	0
Rhinitis, acute	58	0
Stomatitis, aphthous	24	0
Stomatitis, mycotic	12	3
Tonsilitis, follicular	27	0
Peritonsillar Abscess	2	0
Cervical adenitis (simple)	20	0
DISEASES OF THE EYE :		
Conjunctivitis, catarrhal	34	0
Conjunctivitis, gonorrhœal	2	0
Blepharitis marginalis	7	0
Ulcer of cornea	3	0
Keratitis	2	0

No. of Cases. Deaths.

DISEASES OF LUNGS AND PLEURA:

Bronchitis, acute	38	0
Pneumonia, lobar	14	4
Broncho-pneumonia	9	3
Pleurisy, dry	3	0
Pleurisy with effusion	1	1
Broncho-pneumonia, secondary, complicating: Measles....	3	1

DISEASES OF THE STOMACH AND INTESTINES:

Cyclic vomiting	7	0
Gastro-enteritis	32	9
Enterocolitis	12	1
Gastritis, acute	32	0
Prolapse of rectum	3	0

GENITO-URINARY DISEASES:

Vaginitis	8	0
Vaginitis, gonorrhoeal	9	0
Phimosis	10	0

DISEASES OF THE NERVOUS SYSTEM:

Infantile convulsions	4	0
Epilepsy, grand mal	2	0
Cerebro-spinal meningitis	1	1

DISEASES AND INJURIES OF THE BONES:

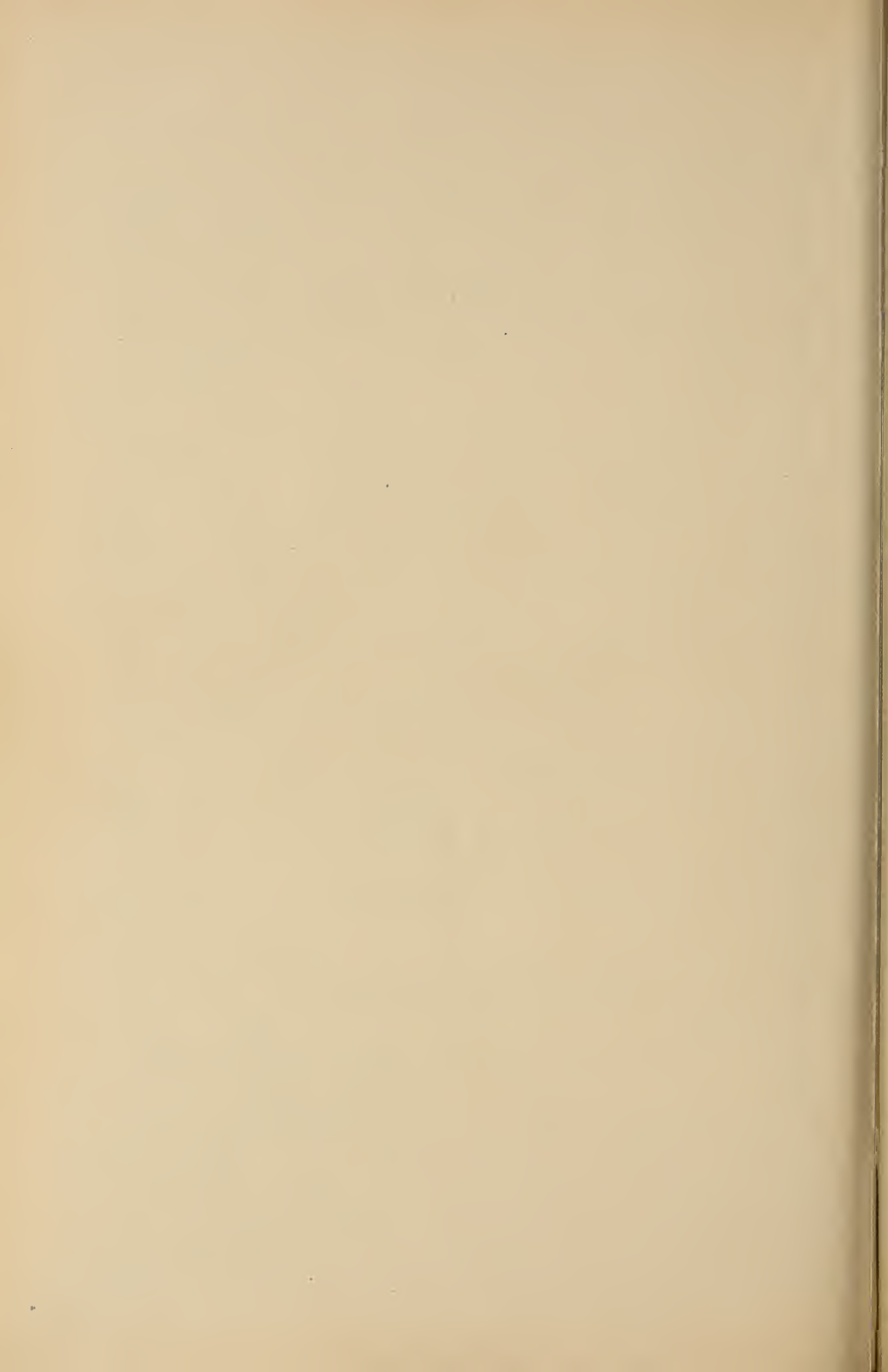
Genu varus	6	0
Genu valgus	10	0

UNCLASSIFIED DISEASES:

Mitral stenosis, nephritis (adult)	1	1
Anemia, simple	20	0
Mastitis	3	0
Sapremia	19	0
Puerperal sepsis	1	0
Rheumatism, acute articular	1	0
Varicose ulcers, leg	3	0
Erysipelas	1	1
Post-operative pneumonia (adult)	1	1

LIST OF NORMAL AND ABNORMAL CASES DELIVERED IN THE LYING-
IN WARDS:

Vertex presentations	110
Breech	2
Face	1
Precipitate delivery	6
Application of forceps	12
Still-births	5
Hydrocephalus	1
Premature births	4
Cæsarian operation	1



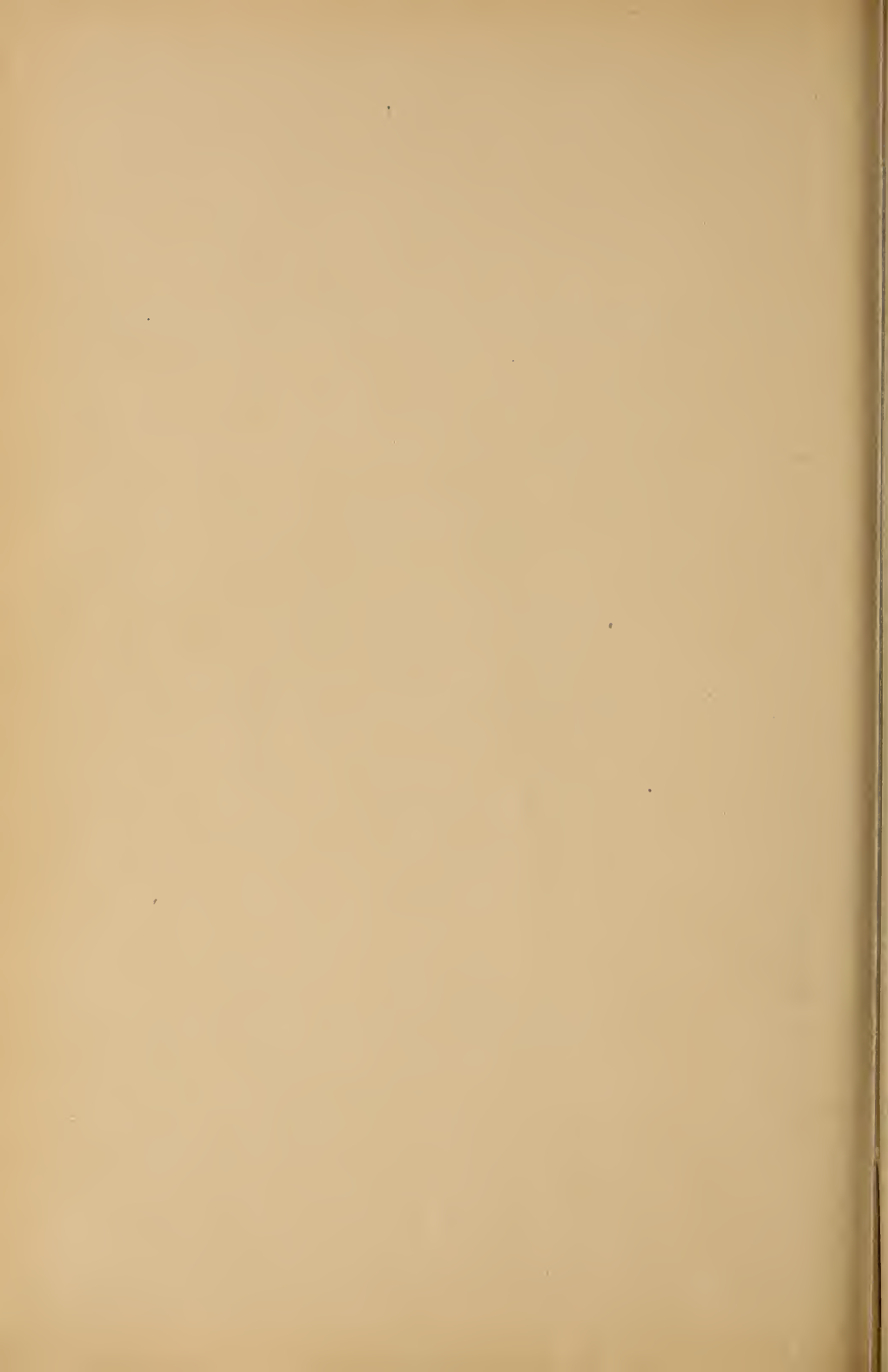
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FOR THE YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1911

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Dr. THOS. J. KINNEY, January, 1910, to March, 1911.

Dr. WM. A. MURPHY, March, 1911.

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GENERAL STATEMENT

In March, 1910, by an order of the New York Supreme Court, the Nursery and Child's Hospital and the New York Infant Asylum, two of the oldest and best known institutions for the care of sick and homeless women and children, were consolidated under the name of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital. The two groups of buildings of the old institutions have been retained under the new organization—one group being at Lexington Avenue and 51st Street, the other at Amsterdam Avenue and 61st Street, in the City of New York.

The objects and purposes of the institution, as is stated in the order of consolidation, are as follows: The maintenance and care of the children of wet nurses and the daily charge of infants whose parents labor away from home; the maintenance of a home for illegitimate children and a lying-in asylum, and receiving and taking care of foundlings and other infant children of the age of two years and under, which may be entrusted to its charge; and to provide for their support and moral, physical, intellectual and industrial education, and providing such lying-in wards and methods of care and guidance as shall tend to prevent the maternal abandonment of homeless infants and diminish the moral dangers and personal sufferings to which homeless mothers are exposed; procuring the adoption of suitable foster parents for such children as may properly be adopted out; the establishment and maintenance of schools and exercising and enjoying each and every power and privilege now enjoyed by the said corporations, or either of them, as fully as though herein more specifically enumerated and stated.

In all cases those in charge of the institution endeavor to keep mother and child together, or to find permanent homes for those children

who may be abandoned by their parents. As has been repeatedly stated, every effort is made to so care for the children that they shall find homes in which they may receive religious and intellectual instruction, and where they shall not be reminded of the place of their birth.

On December 19, 1910, a very violent explosion in the yard of the New York Central did great damage to the buildings of the Lexington Avenue Branch. Through the energy of the officers of the institution the work of repairing this damage was promptly taken in hand, and there are few, if any, traces of the injuries done to the buildings. Fortunately none of the employees or inmates was injured, nobody deserted his or her post, and in the midst of the dirt and confusion and excitement, the work of the institution went on as usual.

The Amsterdam Avenue buildings have been greatly improved by the change of location of the kitchen and laundry.

It must be admitted again that the work of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital is greatly hampered by lack of current funds. Its income is not sufficient adequately to meet its running expenses and it is constantly hampered by this lack of means.

To all who have aided the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital in its work as doctors, nurses and employees of all kinds, the Directors wish to express the sincerest appreciation of their devotion to the institution's interests.

The thanks of the Directors are especially due to the Employment Societies of the Church of the Incarnation and Calvary Church for their valuable services rendered in the making of garments for the 61st Street Branch. Other societies which have done work for the Hospital are the following: Harlem Relief Society, St. Thomas's Church, St. Thomas's Mission, Church of the Holy Communion Employment Society, Friends' Employment Society, All Souls Church Helping Hand Society, Christ Church Employment Society, League of Social Service, Rye, N. Y., New York House and School of Industry, Madison Avenue Reformed Church, The Lenten Sewing Classes of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital, and to these also we express our sincere thanks for their assistance.

NEW YORK, September 30, 1911.

REPORT OF THE PRESIDENT TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

The pamphlet lately printed and distributed begins with a report dated September 30, 1911; while those from the committees cover various dates extending during the period since the consolidation took place. I would therefore respectfully draw your attention to the necessity of having a fixed annual time for ending the fiscal year, and would recommend September 30th, as that coincides with the period established by the State.

If this be satisfactory, all officials and committees should make their annual reports to the President on or before October 15th. The Executive Committee to meet during the first week of November to decide all details as to what should be published in the annual report. It should then be presented to the annual meeting of the members in November. Such a method of procedure would follow the custom of all business corporations and avoid the unsystematic delays of printing which have occurred in both institutions during the past.

The consolidation of the Nursery and Child's Hospital and the New York Infant Asylum under the name of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital was accomplished officially on March 2, 1910, after mature thought and deliberation. The object of the consolidation was more effective work in a larger field, and the reduction of useless expense incident to the management of two separate institutions devoted to the same general end.

Up to the present time, we have been engaged in perfecting the details of each hospital with a view to their closer touch and accord. The main object of diminishing expense through united plant has not been accomplished. The condition in which we find ourselves is common to the first years of any consolidation. The time has arrived, however, when laying aside all traditions or sentiment of the past, we must, for financial and business reasons, come to a closer combination.

During the past year your President has given attention to the problem which confronted him when you did him the honor of electing him, namely: the settlement, of the long-vexed question between the City and the Hospital concerning the Lexington Avenue property, on a basis which will be eventually acceptable to both the municipality and to our members.

Reasons which are known to many of you have delayed that settlement. Many interviews have been had both officially and otherwise with the authorities, and I had hoped to be able to report a satisfactory conclusion of this whole matter at this meeting, and still trust to do so prior to the end of the year. If, as I feel certain, an agreement is shortly arrived at, then and in that event, we can reduce our two hospitals to one, and place ourselves on a sound financial basis. The arrangement with the City is the keynote of our whole future. From a business point of view, if the proposed plans be carried out, they will result in financial gain both to the City and to us.

While I am fully aware of the present necessity of at once freeing ourselves from the present double organization and useless expense incident thereto, I think we can afford to wait a short time before putting into effect the consolidation of the Lexington Avenue and 61st Street Hospitals, notwithstanding the great drain upon the treasury which exists at present.

An organization such as ours, the membership of which is confined to one hundred, needs the sympathy of all charitable persons who are in accord with our work. I therefore recommend that an unlimited number of "Associates" be authorized, and that they be eligible on the payment of a small amount per annum, a subscription to the Charity Ball also entitling the persons so subscribing to Associate membership. The Charity Ball Committee's report, through Mrs. Algernon S. Sullivan, Chairman, states that 2,500 people attended last year, and that 200 young men worked actively in making a great success of the entertainment. All these persons, under Mr. George H. Sullivan's energetic

supervision, must have a radiating influence for our Hospital. Their names should appear in our Annual Report.

The work of the Executive Committee during the past year has been especially arduous on account of the double responsibility entailed by the use of the two buildings, and the necessity of deciding how much should be spent upon the old Lexington Avenue property.

In my opinion the two House Committees for each branch should be reappointed, but with the proviso that if the 61st Street and Lexington Avenue Branches are consolidated in one building, that then and in that event they should be combined as one House Committee.

If the program outlined in paragraph 1 of this report relative to a fixed date for the termination of the fiscal year and the routine for sending in annual reports be adopted, there would seem to be no necessity for a Committee on Annual Report. Such reports being, as a rule, submitted by the officers and directors of organizations to the members.

I annex hereto (marked Exhibit "B") the printed report of the Treasurer from October 1, 1910, to September 30, 1911, and would respectfully draw the Executive Committee's attention to Table III attached thereto. This table gives many details which may lead to further economies after a proper analysis and study.*

I have to express my most sincere thanks to the officers and committees for their intelligent and conscientious labors during the past year. Only the fullest appreciation of the high purposes of our institution enabled them—under the stress of new and trying conditions—to foresee the future of our allied hospitals.

Respectfully,

J. W. MILLER,
President.

NOVEMBER 15, 1911.

NOTE.—This report having been printed and distributed is not reprinted here.

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE FOR THE YEAR
ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1911.

NOVEMBER 15, 1911.

PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD.

DEAR SIR:

During the past year the Executive Committee has not been in a position to seriously begin the building up of one united institution or to effect many economies, as the institution has not yet been placed on a consolidated basis, both Branches being practically operated as separate institutions.

The work of the Committee has been, therefore, in the main towards continuing the routine of each Branch, except at 61st Street, where radical changes are under way.

61st Street is an excellent plant with a modern hospital, but the old buildings needed renovating and paint, and many of the rooms in the hospital itself were so new they had never been painted. All this work is well under way and the changes will result in material economies and the general appearance of the hospital made proper within and without.

Considerable work has been done in making fire protection improvements at both Branches, and at 61st Street a fire drill is in force. This is done by the buzzer system of alarm without the knowledge of the patients.

Lexington Avenue Branch suffered severely from the New York Central explosion in December, 1910, but the Railroad reimbursed for the probable damages.

The Committee has made a contract for the observation of the Lexington Avenue property during the new subway construction in case damages should be sustained by the property.

The Committee has met regularly through the year, including the summer.

Very truly yours,

EDWARD L. PARTRIDGE,
Chairman of the Executive Committee.

REPORT OF THE LEXINGTON AVENUE BRANCH HOUSE COMMITTEE.

The Committee, through Mrs. Algernon S. Sullivan, reports as follows :

The work of the House Committee of the Lexington Avenue Branch of this institution has been well reported in the General Report recently published.

Since the date covered by that report summer has intervened and special work interrupted, but during that period new fire-escapes have been erected under the orders and direction of the City Fire Department.

While this was a heavy expense, it was deemed by the Department to be necessary.

During the heated term the health of the children was excellent.

MARCH, 1912.

CHARITY BALL.

Mrs. Algernon S. Sullivan, Chairman of the Charity Ball Committee, reports that the attendance last year was about 2,500—and that the net receipts turned in to the Treasurer amounted to \$16,298.12.

The Ball was a brilliant success financially and socially.

The Ball was materially assisted by the work of the 200 young men calling themselves the Charity Ball Society. It was organized by Mr. George H. Sullivan, and the officers of it are now working on a plan to incorporate it and make it more efficient.

MARCH, 1912.

REPORT OF THE MEDICAL BOARD.

NEW YORK, June 7, 1912.

NEW YORK NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL.

The work of both houses of this institution has been running satisfactorily since the last report.

Although measles has been present in both houses it has in neither case spread so as to involve many of the wards. In the Lexington Avenue house it has been confined to one ward.

The great need of fresh air for these institution children is being well solved at the Lexington Avenue house by ample out-of-door facilities, but at the Sixty-first Street house there is urgent need of more facilities for keeping children in the fresh air. This can only be accomplished by a proper shelter on the roof, and your Medical Board trusts that funds for this purpose may soon be available.

ROWLAND G. FREEMAN,
Secretary of the Medical Board.

MEDICAL REPORT 61st STREET BRANCH

March 1, 1911, to September 30, 1911

MATERNITY SERVICE

Number of women awaiting confinement, March 1st, 1911.....	7
Number of women delivered, remaining March 1st, 1911.....	54
Number of women admitted for confinement to September 30th.....	153
Number of delivered women admitted.....	32
Number of confinements.....	147

HOSPITAL CASES

Appendectomies	1
Lobar Pneumonia	1
Threatened Abortion	1
Ventral fixation	1

DISCHARGED

Women undelivered.....	3
Delivered	194
Deaths—	
Mothers	4
Babies	5
Still-births	6

OUTDOOR OBSTETRICAL DEPARTMENT

Number of cases under observation April 1st, 1911—	
Mothers	67
Babies	65
Applications received	558
Confinements	410
Number of Tenement Visits.....	4,719
Number of cases treated in office.....	521
Referred to Hospital—	
Mothers	15
Babies	6
Deaths—	
Mothers	2
Babies	15
Still-births	13

OPERATIONS

	Indoor.	Outdoor.	Total.
Cæsarean Section.....	1	0	1
Forceps High.....	1	1	2
Median A.....	2	2	4
Median B.....	1	1	2
Low.....	2	2	4
Versions.....	1	6	7
Curettages.....	2	4	6
Decapitation.....	1	0	1

COMPLICATIONS

Post-partum Eclampsia.....	1	0	1
Placenta Prævia.....	1	1	2
Appendectomies.....	1	0	1
Twins.....	2	5	7
Adherent Placenta.....	0	2	2

CAUSES OF DEATH

Mothers—			
Septicemia.....	0	1	1
Cancer of breast.....	0	1	1
Babies—			
Prematurity.....	1	7	8
Purpura Hemorrhagica.....	2	3	5
Hemophilia.....	0	2	2
Cerebral Hemorrhage.....	0	1	1
Patent Foramen Ovale.....	0	1	1
Congenital Syphilis.....	2	0	2

MEDICAL CASES IN CHILDREN'S SERVICE

	Admitted.	Died.
Furunculosis of the Scalp.....	5	0
Chronic Bronchitis.....	4	0
Acute Bronchitis.....	3	1
Bronchial Asthma.....	1	0
Pneumonia, Lobar.....	10	2
Pneumonia, Broncho.....	30	12
Atalectasis.....	1	1
Malnutrition.....	25	9
Inanition.....	22	19
Marasmus.....	38	8
Rachitis.....	12	0
Miliary Tuberculosis.....	2	2
Measles.....	27	5
Measles and Erysipelas.....	1	1

	Admitted.	Died
Measles and Broncho Pneumonia.....	4	2
Scarlet Fever.....	1	0
Diphtheria.....	18	6
Varicella	4	0
Pertussis	5	0
Impetigo, Contagiosa.....	3	3
Anterior Poliomyelitis.....	1	0
Psoriasis	1	0
Tetany	1	0
Drug Poisoning	1	0
Mastitis	2	0
Scabies	10	0
Ischiorectal Abscess	2	0
Tubercular Peritonitis	1	0
Depressed Fracture of Skull.....	1	0
Hydrocele, Congenital.....	1	1
Intestinal Intoxication	11	2
Erysipelas	1	0
Eczema	1	0
Acute Gastro Enteritis.....	21	8
Acute Entro-Colitis	10	0
Acute Ileo-Colitis	17	5
Congenital Syphilis	11	4
Adenitis, Tubercular	2	0
Adenitis, Suppurative	3	0
Splenic Anemia.....	1	0
Pericarditis	2	0
Nephritis, Acute.....	2	0
Purpura Hemorrhagica	1	0
Gangrenous Stomatitis	1	0
Gonorrhœal Vaginitis.....	39	0
Otitis Media, Acute Suppurative.....	11	0
Hemophilia	1	0
Micro-cephalus	1	0
Hydro-cephalus	1	0
Patent Foramen Ovale.....	1	0
Potts Disease	3	0
Tubercular Joint.....	1	0
Empyema	6	4
Meningitis, Tubercular	1	1
Epilepsy	1	0
Umbilical Hernia	1	0
Inguinal Hernia	5	0
Hypertrophied Tonsils	25	0
Acute Tonsilitis.....	1	0
Pharyngeal Adenoids	5	0

	Admitted.	Died.
Mastoiditis	4	0
Cellulitis of Leg.....	2	1
Cellulitis of Scalp and Neck.....	1	1
Prematurity	5	5
Ulcerative keratitis	3	0
Nævus	1	0
Died in Health Department Hospitals.....	7	
Died in J. Hood Wright Hospital.....	1	

MEDICAL REPORT, LEXINGTON AVENUE BRANCH

January 1st, 1911, to September 30, 1911

In Institution January 1st, 1911—

Women awaiting confinement.....	9
Mothers with children.....	38
Children	148

Admissions—

Women for confinement.....	88
Mothers with children.....	3
Children	61
Children born	74
Still-births	3

Total number cared for—

Women	138
Children	283

Discharged—

Women	107
Children	131

Deaths—

Women	0
Children over two years.....	3
Children under two years.....	12

 Total children

15

Remaining in Hospital October 1st, 1911—

Women awaiting confinement.....	5
Mothers with children.....	26
Children	137

Nursery Maids trained.....	20
Dispensary visits.....	858

MONTHLY REPORT OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS

	<i>Births.</i>	<i>Deaths.</i>
January	4	3
February	9	1
March	6	1
April	11	2
May	10	3
June	10	1
July	7	0
August	8	3
September	12	1
Total	77	15

*Disease.**No. Cases. Deaths.*

DISEASES OF THE NEW BORN—

Prematurity	5	2
Spontaneous Hemorrhage of the New Born.....	1	1
Hernia, umbilical	4	0
Hernia	1	0
Tongue tie.....	5	0
Congenital Lues	2	0
Hydrocele, tunica vaginalis.....	4	0
Icterus Neonatorum.....	40	0
Inanition Fever	4	0
Cleft Palate	1	0

DISEASES OF NUTRITION—

Marasmus	4	3
Malnutrition	29	0
Rachitis	24	0

DISEASES OF THE SKIN—

Eczema	10	0
Erythema simplex.....	15	0
Furunculosis	13	0
Tinea Tonsurans	10	0
Urticaria, acute	5	0
Urticaria, chronic	1	0
Seborrhœa capitis	8	0
Herpes facialis	10	0
Herpes	2	0
Impetigo contagiosum	2	0
Miliaria	26	0
Lipoma	2	0

<i>Disease.</i>	<i>No. Cases.</i>	<i>Deaths.</i>
GENERAL SPECIFIC INFECTIOUS DISEASES—		
Diphtheria	0	0
Pseudo-diphtheria	3	0
Pertussis	0	0
Chicken-pox	0	0
Scarlatina	7	0
Rubeola	1	0
Influenza	6	0
Vaccination	25	0
DISEASES OF THE MOUTH, NOSE, EAR AND NASOPHARYNX—		
Adenoids	24	0
Acute naso-pharyngitis	36	0
Spasmodic laryngitis.....	7	0
Otitis media, acute	18	0
Otitis media, chronic	35	0
Mastoiditis	2	2
Elongated uvula	8	0
Foreign bodies in nose.....	1	0
Stomatitis, aphthous	5	0
Stomatitis, mycotic	4	0
Tonsilitis, follicular	8	0
Tonsils, hypertrophied	30	0
Retro-pharyngeal abscess.....	1	1
Cervical adenitis, suppurative.....	9	0
Cervical adenitis, simple.....	6	0
Alveolar abscess	1	0
Ulcer of Frenum.....	1	0
DISEASES OF THE EYE—		
Conjunctivitis, acute catarrhal.....	25	0
Conjunctivitis, gonorrhœal	3	0
Blepharitis marginalis	10	0
Ulcer of cornea.....	3	0
Keratitis interstitial.....	1	0
DISEASES OF LUNGS AND PLEURA—		
Bronchitis, acute	22	0
Pneumonia, lobar	7	1
Broncho-pneumonia	4	2
Laryngeal paralysis, chronic.....	1	0
Pleurisy, dry	2	0
DISEASES OF STOMACH AND INTESTINES—		
Cyclic vomiting	20	0
Pyloric stenosis	2	0
Gastro-enteritis	18	1

<i>Disease.</i>	<i>No. Cases.</i>	<i>Deaths.</i>
Chronic constipation	5	0
Entero-colitis	3	1
Gastritis, acute	20	0
Gastritis, chronic	1	0
Prolapse of rectum.....	1	0
Ischio-rectal abscess.....	3	0
GENITO-URINARY DISEASES—		
Vaginitis	5	0
Vaginitis, gonorrhœal	5	0
Phimosis	12	0
Cryptorchidism	5	0
DISEASES OF THE NERVOUS SYSTEM—		
Infantile convulsions.....	4	0
Mental deficiency	3	0
Epilepsy grand mal.....	1	0
Hydrocephalus, chronic.....	2	0
Meningitis, simple.....	1	1
DISEASES AND INJURIES OF THE BONE—		
Fracture of tibia.....	1	0
Genu varus	8	0
Genu valgus	3	0
DISEASES OF THE KIDNEY—		
Nephritis, acute	2	0
Nephritis, chronic interstitial	2	0
UNCLASSIFIED DISEASES—		
Anemia, simple	8	0
Mastitis, suppurative	2	0
Pelvic abscess	1	0
Sapremia	2	0
Erosion of cervix.....	1	0
Parotitis, suppurative	1	0
Varicose ulcer, leg.....	3	0
Cellulitis	2	0
LIST OF NORMAL AND ABNORMAL CASES DELIVERED IN THE LYING- IN-WARDS—		
Vertex presentations	77	
Precipitate delivery	6	
Application of forceps.....	7	
Still-births	3	

Home for Children Report Blank.

STATE OF NEW YORK.
STATE BOARD OF CHARITIES.

THE CAPITOL,
ALBANY, N. Y., October 1, 1911.

TO NEW YORK NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL,
161 West 61st Street and 571 Lexington Avenue, New York City.

Pursuant to Chapter 55 of the Consolidated Laws, excerpts from which are printed herein, you are hereby requested to furnish to the State Board of Charities the information called for in this blank, and to return the completed report to the office of the Board on or before November 1, 1911. The information is used in the Board's official report to the Legislature, and it is important that due care be exercised in filling out this blank.

WILLIAM R. STEWART, *President*,
ROBERT W. HEBBERD, *Secretary*.

Schedule A.

Name of institution, society or association—New York Nursery and Child's Hospital.

Location—161 West 61st Street and 571 Lexington Avenue.

Location of principal office—161 West 61st Street.

When founded—1854 and 1865.

Date of incorporation—March 2, 1910.

How incorporated*—Consolidation by order of Supreme Court.

Under what denominational auspices, if any—None.

Objects (as given in certificate of incorporation or statute)—A consolidation, March 2d, 1910, of New York Infant Asylums and Nursery and Child's Hospital, Lying-In Wards, and Home for Destitute Women and Children.

Full title of governing board†—Board of Directors.

Names of members of governing board‡—Jacob W. Miller, Stephen Baker, G. Morgan Browne, Gherardi Davis, Daniel C. Adams, George H. Sullivan, Frederick W. Rhinelander, Edward de P. Livingston, P. Stuyvesant Pillot, Dr. Edward L. Partridge, Dr. Edward H. Peaslee, Francis B. Griffin, Irving Paris, W. Emlen Roosevelt, Wm. Weaver Heaton, Joseph L. Delafield, Mrs. Wm. M. Kingsland, Mrs. Edward Oothout, Miss Ruth Lawrence, Mrs. Algernon Sydney Sullivan, Mrs. Robert Nicol, Mrs. Edward J. Berwind, Mrs. Thomas Hicks, Mrs. Prescott Hall Butler, Mrs. Henry Mills Day, Mrs. Henry Clay Adams, Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee, Miss Eleanor Le Roy.

* Whether under general law or by special act.

† Whether "Board of Managers," "Board of Directors," "Trustees," or other title.

‡ Give names, but not personal addresses.

Name and address of president—Jacob W. Miller, 23 Nassau Street, New York City.

Name and address of secretary—Geo. H. Sullivan, 49 Wall Street, New York City.

Name and address of treasurer—G. Morgan Browne, 44 Pine Street, New York City.

Name and address of attending physician§—Dr. Henry McM. Painter, Pres. Med. Board, 62 West 55th Street, New York City.

Name, title and official address of officer in charge—Julia A. Hunt, Supt., Lexington Avenue Branch, Lucy H. Calhoun, Acting Supt., 61st Street Branch.

Terms for admittance of inmates—Indigent Women and Children.

Qualifications for admittance (including age limits)—Women for confinement, children.

Application to be made to—Superintendent of respective Branches.

Branches, Special Features or Departments (to be named in order of their importance).

1. 61st Street Branch Lying-in Wards, Home for Dependent Children, Boarding-Out Department, Outside Obstetrical Department.
2. Lexington Avenue Branch Lying-in Wards and Home for Children,
3. Dispensary.

§ If a medical board, give the name of its president.

Schedule B.

**VALUATION OF THE PROPERTY OF THE INSTITUTION
SEPTEMBER 30, 1911**

Value of the Real Estate, including land, buildings, and permanent fixtures.....	\$491,498.10
Value of personal property :	
(a) Furniture, furnishings, implements and equipment.....	1,451.71
(b) Investments, including bonds, stocks and loans, and accounts receivable.....	355,922.05
Total valuation of property of all kinds.....	\$848,871.86
Indebtedness of the Institution October 1, 1910. (As per last report) :	
Indebtedness upon real estate.....	\$3,000.00
Unpaid current bills.....	16,771.96
Total indebtedness.....	\$19,771.96
Indebtedness of the Institution September 30, 1911 :	
Indebtedness upon real estate.....	\$3,000.00
Unpaid current bills.....	18,101.34
Total indebtedness.....	\$21,101.34

Schedule C.

**RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES OF THE INSTITUTION FOR THE FISCAL
YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1911.**

Cash on hand October 1, 1910 (as per last report).....	\$12,204.19
Received during the year ending September 30, 1911:	
From Cities, Towns and Villages (state from what cities, towns or villages, and for what purposes granted).	
1. From New York City, for 61st Street Branch.....	\$91,789.64
2. From New York City, for Lexington Avenue Branch.....	7,227.26
3. From Westchester Branch, for 61st Street Branch... ..	<u>1,092.00</u>
Total amount received from cities, towns or villages.....	\$100,108.90
From inmates or their relatives or friends for support.....	14,325.04
From legacies.....	6,000.00
From entertainments, benefits and other like sources, Charity Ball.	16,298.12
From donations and voluntary contributions.....	8,991.35
From interest and dividends on investments and rent.....	18,928.81
From loans, bonds, stocks and other investments, and Staten Island place.....	23,820.00
From Hospital Saturday and Sunday Associations.....	4,094.12
From Lexington Avenue Damages.....	10,750.00
From all other sources.....	<u>673.34</u>
Total receipts (including cash on hand October 1, 1910)....	\$216,193.87
Expended during the year ending September 30, 1911:	
For indebtedness upon real estate, interest.....	\$150.00
For rent.....	288.00
For wages and labor.....	40,183.16
For provisions.....	34,481.62
For clothing.....	6,240.00
For fuel and light.....	10,331.76
For medicines and medical supplies.....	5,947.16
For printing, stationery and postage.....	1,554.66
For household furnishings and equipment.....	2,299.50
For ordinary repairs.....	20,119.28
For insurance and taxes.....	1,240.94
For buildings and improvements, transferred to W. S. Bull and Stephen Baker, Trustees.....	1,000.00
For Lexington Avenue Accident Expense.....	9,958.10
For boarding-out children.....	64,291.38
For all other purposes.....	<u>7,888.82</u>
Total expenditures.....	\$205,974.32
Cash on hand September 30, 1911.....	<u>\$10,219.55</u>

Are your accounts audited before being paid? Yes.

By whom? Executive committee.

Are your financial records regularly audited? Yes.

If so, state how often and by whom—Cole & Swasey, 170 Broadway, New York City, annually.

Schedules D

NEW YORK NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL

61st Street Branch

Statistics of the Institution for the Year Ending September 30, 1911

MATERNITY CASES

Number of patients in the institution October 1, 1910 (as per last report)					32
Number of patients received during the year					270
Total number cared for during the year....					302
Discharged during the year ending September 30, 1911:					
Recovered.....					183
Improved (transferred to other wards).....					74
Unimproved....					22
Total number discharged and died.....					279
Remaining in the institution September 30, 1911:					
Females					23
Total remaining					23
	Paying Patients.	Public Charges.	Free Patients.	Totals.	
Number of patients cared for during the year.....	106	143	53	302	
Number of days' treatment.....	2,741	3,398	1,441	7,580	

WOMEN TEMPORARILY IN INSTITUTION

Number of inmates in the institution October 1, 1910. (As per last report):

	Women, over 21.	Girls, 16 to 21.	Totals.
Received by commitment of poor law officers	15	12	27
Totals.....	15	12	27

Received during the year ending September 30, 1911:

	Women, over 21.	Girls, 16 to 21.	Girls, 5 to 16.	Totals.
By commitment of poor law officers.....	71	21	2	94
On their own application.	21	11		32
Totals.....	92	32	2	126

Total number of inmates cared for during the year, 153.

Of this total number 121 were supported by public funds and 32 by private funds.

Discharged during the year ending September 30, 1911:

	Women, over 21.	Girls, 16 to 21.	Girls, 5 to 16.	Totals.
Sent out of State.....	2			2
Transferred to other institutions... .	5	5		10
Left without permission.....	4			4
Otherwise discharged.....	83	33	2	118
Totals	94	38	2	134

Of the total number discharged 2 were sent out of the State.

Number of inmates remaining in the institution September 30, 1911:

	Women, over 21.	Girls, 16 to 21.	Totals.
Received by commitment of poor law officers.....	15	2	17
Received on their own application.	1	1	2
Totals	16	3	19

The average number of inmates during the year was 29.

HOME FOR CHILDREN REPORT

61st Street Branch

INCLUDES ALL CHILDREN

Number of inmates in the institution October 1, 1910. (As per last report):

	Boys, 5 to 14.	Girls, 5 to 14.	Boys, 2 to 5	Girls, 2 to 5	Boys under 2.	Girls under 2.	Totals.
Received by commitment of poor law officers.....	35	16	157	165	131	148	652
Received from parents or guardians.....			2	8	4	10	24
Otherwise received (born in).....			1	2	18	14	35
Totals.....	35	16	160	175	153	172	711

Received during the year ending September 30, 1911 :

	Boys, 5 to 14.	Girls, 5 to 14.	Boys, 2 to 5.	Girls, 2 to 5.	Boys under 2.	Girls under 2.	Totals.
By judicial commitment—							
For improper guardianship.....					1		1
By commitment of poor law officers	1	4	57	39	194	167	462
From parents or guardians	1		5	4	40	43	93
Otherwise received (born in)					123	115	238
Totals.....	2	4	62	43	358	325	794

Total number of inmates cared for during the year, 1,505 ; of this total number 1,247 were supported by public funds and 258 by private funds.

Discharged during the year ending September 30, 1911 :

	Boys, 5 to 14.	Girls, 5 to 14.	Boys, 2 to 5.	Girls, 2 to 5.	Boys under 2.	Girls under 2.	Totals.
Returned to parents or guardians.....	4	15	84	84	221	200	608
Transferred to placing-out agencies.....	3		17	21	21	27	89
Transferred to other institutions.....	21	8	7	5	3	1	45
Otherwise discharged.....	2		3	1	1		7
Died.....	1		6	1	68	78	154
Totals.....	31	23	117	112	314	306	903

Of the total number discharged 2 were sent out of the State to free homes.

Number of inmates remaining in the institution September 30, 1911 :

	Boys, 5 to 14.	Girls, 5 to 14.	Boys, 2 to 5.	Girls, 2 to 5.	Boys under 2.	Girls under 2.	Totals.
Received by commitment of poor law officers	46	25	134	147	105	95	552
Received from parents or guardians		1	5	3	11	13	33
Otherwise received (born in)					7	10	17
Totals	46	26	139	150	123	118	602

The average number of inmates during the year was 632,

The following facts refer to the children present at the close of the year ending September 30, 1911:

CIVIL CONDITION OF CHILDREN.

Orphan.....	.....
Half-Orphan.....	132
Both parents living.....	357
Unknown.....	113
Total.....	602

RELIGION.

	Father.	Mother.	Child.
Catholic.....	25	19	23
Hebrew.....	353	365	373
Protestant.....	120	134	196
Unknown.....	104	84	10
Totals.....	602	602	602

HOW SUPPORTED.

Wholly by Institute.....	11
By relatives, friends, societies, etc.....	30
By counties.....	1
By cities, towns or villages.....	560
Totals.....	602

PLACING-OUT AND BOARDING-OUT DEPARTMENT*

61st Street Branch

Number of children under supervision October 1, 1910. (As per last report):

	Boys, 5-14.	Girls, 5-14.	Boys, 2-5.	Girls, 2-5.	Boys under 2.	Girls under 2.	Totals.
In boarding homes... ..	32	16	147	172	104	126	597
In hospitals	2		4	3	15	30	54
Total	34	16	151	175	119	156	651

* The number on hand last year 668 was partly estimated so that our report of this year shows a difference of 17, due to changes of classification

+ This corrects the error of 17 as requested by State Board of Charities February 17, 1912.

Number of children received during the year ending September 30, 1911:

	Boys, 5-14.	Girls, 5-14.	Boys, 2-5.	Girls, 2-5.	Boys under 2.	Girls under 2.	Totals.
From poor law officers directly (<i>i. e.</i> , without intervention of institutions)	1	3	53	37	170	141	405
From parents	—	—	3	6	24	29	62
Total.....	1	3	56	43	194	170	467

*Number of children under supervision during the year.....

36	19	217	216	323	324	1,135
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Discharged from supervision during the year ending September 30, 1911:

	Boys, 5-14.	Girls, 5-14.	Boys, 2-5.	Girls, 2-5.	Boys und- r 2.	Girls under 2.	Totals.
Returned to parents or relatives.....	3	15	72	84	61	68	303
Returned to institutions...	21	8	7	5	3	1	45
Transferred to placing-out agencies.....	3	—	17	21	21	28	90
Died.....	1	—	6	1	55	57	120
Otherwise discharged (please state how) Dep. Charities.....	2	—	3	1	1	—	7
Total.....	30	23	105	112	141	154	565

Number remaining under supervision September 30, 1911:

	Boys, 5-14.	Girls, 5-14.	Boys, 2-5.	Girls, 2-5.	Boys under 2.	Girls under 2.	Totals.
In boarding homes....	20	17	142	129	91	96	495
In hospitals.	—	—	—	2	26	30	58
Total.....	20	17	142	131	117	126	553

MATERNITY CASES.

Number of patients in the institution October 1, 1910. (As per last report).....	43
Number of patients received during the year.....	122
Total number cared for during the year.....	165

* This number will be equal to the sum of the number under supervision October 1, 1910, and the number received during the year.

Discharged during the year ending September 30, 1911:

Recovered	73
Unimproved	13
Transferred to other institutions	8
Otherwise discharged. Transferred after recovery to Institution Dept.	53
Died	1
Total number discharged and died	<u>148</u>

Remaining in the institution September 30, 1911:

Females	17
Total remaining	<u>17</u>

	Paying Patients.	Public Charges.	Free Patients.	Totals.
Number of patients cared for during year	50	8	107	165
Number of days' treatment	755	409	7,392	8,556

WOMEN TEMPORARILY IN INSTITUTION

Lexington Avenue Branch

Number of inmates in the institution October 1, 1910. (As per last report):

	Women over 21.	Girls, 16-21.	Totals.
Received by commitment of poor law officers	1		1
Received on their own application	4	1	5
Totals	<u>5</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>6</u>

Received during the year ending September 30, 1911:

	Women over 21.	Girls, 16-21.	Totals.
On their own application	4	1	5
Otherwise received. (State how) (from Maternity Dept.)	37	16	53
Totals	<u>41</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>58</u>

Total number of inmates cared for during the year, 64; of this total number 3 were supported by public funds and 61 by private funds.

Discharged during the year ending September 30, 1911:

	Women over 21.	Girls, 16-21.	Totals.
Transferred to other institutions		1	1
Otherwise discharged (state how) returned home	33	16	49
Totals	<u>33</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>50</u>

Number of inmates remaining in the institution on September 30, 1911 :

	Women over 21.	Girls, 16-21.	Totals.
Received on their own application....	1		1
Otherwise received.....	12	1	13
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Totals.....	13	1	14

The average number of inmates during the year was 20.

HOME FOR CHILDREN

Lexington Avenue Branch

Number of inmates in the institution October 1, 1910. (As per last report) :

	Boys, 5-14.	Girls, 5-14.	Boys, 2-5.	Girls, 2-5.	Boys under 2.	Girls under 2.	Totals.
Received by commitment of poor law officers.....	6	8	15	5	7	7	48
Received from parents or guardians.....	4		26	3	36	16	85
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Total.....	10	8	41	8	43	23	133

Received during the year ending September 30, 1911 :

	Boys, 5-14.	Girls, 5-14.	Boys, 2-5.	Girls, 2-5.	Boys under 2.	Girls under 2.	Totals.
By commitment of poor law officers.....		1	5	4	20	11	41
From parents or guardians.	1		4	4	96	68	173
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Total.....	1	1	9	8	116	79	214

Total number of inmates cared for during the year, 347.

Of this total number 89 were supported by public funds and 258 by private funds.

Discharged during the year ending September 30, 1911:

	Boys, 5-14.	Girls, 5-14.	Boys, 2-5.	Girls, 2-5.	Boys under 2.	Girls under 2.	Totals.
Returned to parents or guardians.....	5	3	14	10	73	60	165
Transferred to placing-out agencies.....		1	1				2
Transferred to other insti- tutions.....	2		1	2	5	5	15
Died.....			2	1	19	6	28
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Total.....	7	4	18	13	97	71	210

Number of inmates remaining at the institution September 30, 1911:

	Boys, 5-14.	Girls, 5-14.	Boys, 2-5.	Girls, 2-5.	Boys under 2.	Girls under 2.	Totals.
Received by commitment of poor law officers.....	9	8	10	5	10	3	45
Received from parents or guardians.....	10	—	21	4	38	19	92
Total	19	8	31	9	48	22	137

The average number of inmates during the year was 139.

The following facts refer to the children present at the close of the year ending September 30, 1911:

CIVIL CONDITION OF CHILDREN.

Orphan .....	.....
Half-orphan.....	76
Both parents living.....	59
Unknown	2
Total	137

RELIGION

	Father.	Mother.	Child.
Catholic.....	19	39	39
Hebrew	58	63	63
Protestant	24	35	35
Unknown.....	36	—	—
Total	137	137	137

HOW SUPPORTED

Wholly by institution	15
By relatives, friends, societies, etc.....	77
By counties	—
By cities, towns or villages	45
Total	137

DISPENSARY

Lexington Avenue Branch

TREATMENTS AT THE DISPENSARY

1910.	Number of New Cases.*	Revisits.	Total Treatments.
October	31	17	48
November	32	21	53
December	22	22	44
1911.			
January	15	20	35
February	25	54	79
March	22	92	114
April	36	99	135
May.....	37	88	125
June	29	65	94
July.....	24	60	84
August	24	71	95
September	27	70	97
Total	<u>324</u>	<u>679</u>	<u>1,003</u>

* By new cases is meant patients who have not applied before during the fiscal year covered by this report. The sum of the new cases and revisits will be the total number of treatments.

Here follows the Verification by the Treasurer.

End of Report to
State Board of Charities.

DONATIONS TO TREASURER.

October 1st, 1910, to September 30th, 1911.

1910.			
Nov.	14.	Miss Blanche Potter.....	\$10.00
"	30.	Mrs. Ambrose Kingsland.....	10.00
Dec.	15.	Mrs. Katherine H. Auerbach, to Fresh Air Work.....	50.00
"	19.	Mrs. John Stewart Kennedy, through Dr. H. McM. Painter for support of Outside Obstetrical Service. In memory of Dr. Henry D. Nicoll.....	2,500.00
"	31.	Lexington Avenue Accident Donations.....	621.75
1911.			
Jan.	3.	Mrs. Oliver Bronson.....	5.00
"	3.	Eugene G. Foster.....	5.00
"	16.	Mrs. D. Willis James.....	25.00
"	16.	Mr. Joseph Milbank.....	100.00
"	17.	Mrs. Benjamin Knower (Annual Subscription, \$15.00; Christmas Tree Lexington Avenue, \$5.00; Flowers for Chapel, \$5.00).....	25.00
"	25.	Mr. Hartman K. Evans.....	100.00
Feb.	2.	Mrs. Albert Gallatin.....	15.00
"	3.	Mrs. Andrew Carnegie.....	100.00
"	7.	Mrs. D. L. Elliman.....	5.00
"	10.	Mr. Russell Murray.....	25.00
"	10.	Mrs. E. J. Berwind.....	50.00
"	14.	Mrs. James Herman Aldrich.....	5.00
"	16.	Mrs. James J. Goodwin.....	25.00
"	27.	Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee.....	25.00
March	1.	Mrs. William M. Kingsland, for Nursery Maids' Kindergarten Class.....	60.00
"	9.	Mrs. E. Pope Sampson.....	25.00
"	15.	Mrs. A. Vanderbilt.....	100.00
April	10.	Miss Helen C. Butler.....	10.00
"	19.	Masters Howard and Nelson Adams.....	10.00
"	20.	Mrs. Wm. C. Osborne.....	25.00
"	25.	Mrs. Artemas Ward.....	10.00
May	10.	Easter Fund Lex. Ave., Adelaide White, Treas.....	515.04
"	11.	Mrs. Wm. M. Kingsland.....	25.00
June	1.	Anonymous through Dr. H. McM. Painter for support of Outside Obstetrical Service.....	500.00
"	6.	St. Christopher's League, to endow two beds for present year only.....	600.00
"	21.	Mrs. Joseph Millbank.....	100.00
Aug.	14.	Miss Blanche Potter.....	10.00
"	25.	Mr. William Floyd.....	25.00
Sept.	22.	Mr. William Floyd.....	25.00
"	29.	Anonymous donor through Dr. H. McM. Painter for support of Outside Obstetrical Service during ensuing year, in memory of Dr. Henry D. Nicoll.....	3,000.00
			\$8,741.70

LEXINGTON AVENUE ACCIDENT DONATIONS IN DETAIL.

1910.

Dec.	20.	Israel Kleiner, Rockefeller Institute.....	\$1.00
"	"	Frank C. Wight, 220 Broadway.....	5.00
"	"	E. H. Carleton	10.00
"	21.	P. A. Meehan, 1429 Prospect Avenue.....	10.00
"	"	Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Douglas, Spuyten Duyvil.....	25.00
"	"	Mrs. Geo. Won Farrar, Hotel St. Andrews.....	25.00
"	"	Geo. O. Holbrook, 254 Fulton Street, Brooklyn.....	5.00
"	"	Ida Davis, 24 West 128th Street.....	1.00
"	"	Kate V. S. Olcott, 38 West 39th Street.....	25.00
"	"	William W. Lawrence, 111 Broadway.....	25.00
"	"	Mrs. A. B. Field, 66 East 80th Street.....	5.00
"	"	A. F. Carter, 23 Maiden Lane.....	5.00
"	"	M. S. Bierstadt, Plaza Hotel.....	100.00
"	"	Miss C. B. Holt, 2 West 94th Street.....	10.00
"	"	Jane C. Duff, 46 West 128th Street.....	5.00
"	"	R. A. Keasbey Co., 100 N. Moore Street.....	10.00
"	"	Horace White, 18 West 69th Street.....	10.00
"	"	J. E. A., c/o Austin M. Greer, 96 Broadway.....	2.00
"	"	Giles Whiting, 894 Broadway.....	10.00
"	"	Lura E. Lyman, Stapleton, S. I.....	2.00
"	"	David A. Kay, 64 West 104th Street.....	5.00
"	"	Geo. W. Martin, 85 Liberty Street.....	5.00
"	22.	Anonymous	50.00
"	"	Ada L. Simon, Tompkinsville, S. I.....	5.00
"	"	Regina Reichenberg, 130 Fulton Street.....	1.25
"	"	Mrs. C. C. Hinton, 248 West 105th Street.....	2.00
"	"	Helen C. Butler, 550 Park Avenue.....	25.00
"	"	Mrs. Lionel Sutro, 44 West 77th Street.....	10.00
"	"	Jennie D. Smith, 315 West 98th Street.....	5.00
"	"	J. H. Coddling, 535 West 160th Street.....	5.00
"	23.	Miss Edna Morse, 151 West 80th Street.....	10.00
"	"	Mrs. A. Carter, 170 Central Park South.....	5.00
"	"	Sarah C. Terry, 160 East 91st Street.....	3.00
"	"	L. A. Henderson, Passaic, N. J.....	1.50
"	"	Mrs. W. J. Hussey, Stamford, Conn.....	5.00
"	27.	Lena Bodley, St. Augustus, Fla.....	10.00
"	"	Mrs. Max Holtz, 231 West 39th Street.....	2.00
"	"	Mrs. Adolf Liebman, 88 Central Park West.....	5.00
"	"	Jas. W. Greew, Gloversville, N. Y., c/o Corn Exchange Bank	5.00
"	"	Mrs. F. R. Emmons, 72nd Street and Columbus Avenue....	50.00
"	"	James Warren Lane, 16 East 79th Street.....	100.00
"	"	Martha B. Norris, Dobbs Ferry, N. Y.....	10.00
"	"	Mrs. Earl S. King, Pres., 141 West 61st Street.....	1.00
"	"	Annie G. DuBois	10.00

 \$621.75

DONATIONS TO SUPERINTENDENT.

1910.

- Nov. 2. Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee, 1 doz. wrappers.
 " 7. Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee, 1 doz. wrappers.
 " 23. Mrs. Henry Knickerbocker, 2 turkeys.
 " " Anthony Krayer, pumpkins.
 " " Fleischmann, 25 loaves bread.
 Dec. J. Shopp, 415 West 50th Street, bread.

1911.

- Jan. 3. Mrs. Runyon, 70 West 55th Street, magazines and baby clothing.
 " 16. Miss E. G. Janes, 400 West 150th Street, baby clothes.
 Feb. 5. Mrs. Mabel Clark, Costa Rica, 5 mirrors.
 " 22. Mrs. Robert Gibson, Jr., 116 East 58th Street, clothing, doll.
 " 10. Mrs. G. Morgan Browne, 12 white dresses.
 " " Dr. Painter, 3 suits boys' clothing.
 Mar. 1. Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee, 2 sofa cushions, \$25.00 to furnish committee room.
 " 8. Miss Katherine Stebbins, pictures.
 " 18. Mrs. DePeyster's Sewing School, 27 baby gowns, 3 doz. diapers.
 " 21. Mrs. DePeyster, \$25.00 for repairing piano.
 " 29. Mrs. DePeyster's Sewing School, 92 baby gowns, 19 baby dresses, 3 women's night gowns, 12 diapers.
 " 31. Mrs. Robb P. Orr, 431 Riverside Drive, knit jacket, bonnet, dress.
 Apr. 3. Dr. Royal S. Haynes, Medical Staff, books—Archives of Pediatrics.
 " 3. Mrs. DePeyster's Sewing School, 3 doz. diapers.
 " 15. Mrs. Prescott Hall Butler, 2 plants, 1 doz. Easter lilies.
 " " Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee, Easter flowers.
 " " Miss Eleanor LeRoy, toys.
 " 24. Miss DePeyster's Sewing School, 16 night dresses, 14 baby dresses, 10 baby jackets, 169 baby gowns, 24 diapers.
 " 27. Mrs. G. Morgan Browne, toys.
 May 1. Mrs. G. Morgan Browne, 1 large box children's clothing.
 " 3. Mrs. DePeyster's Sewing School, 49 babies' night dresses.
 " " Mrs. Clarkson Runyon, Jr., magazines, baby clothes, toys.
 " " Mrs. Henry D. Chapin, 1 chair.
 " 8. Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee, \$29.17 for bureau scarfs, tray scarfs.
 " " Mrs. George Augustus Lung, \$50.00 screens, children's Ward.
 " 9. House of Industry, Eleanor LeRoy, 20 wrappers for women.
 " 12. Mrs. Margaret Smith, lilacs.
 " 13. Mrs. DePeyster's Sewing School, 1 doctor's gown, 3 doz. baby night dresses.
 " 18. Mrs. Daniel C. Adams, toys.
 " 29. Rev. Father Dodd, toys.
 June 9. House of Industry, Eleanor LeRoy, 11 operating room gowns, 29 wrappers for women.
 " 20. Mrs. George Augustus Lung, 1 child's dress.
 " " Mrs. McGee, 4 petticoats for children.
 " 27. Mrs. W. C. Ivison, 12 West 48th Street, books.
 July Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee, 1 doz. wrappers for women, 6 operating room gowns.
 Aug. 18. House of Industry, 4 wrappers for women, 2 doz. operating room gowns.
 Sept. 6. Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee, 1 doz. operating room gowns.
 " 7. Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee, 1 doz. operating room gowns.

DONATIONS \$100 AND UPWARDS IN AMOUNT.

March 2, 1910, to March 31, 1911.

1910.			
July	11.	Mrs. Joseph Milbank, Annual Subscription.....	\$100.00
Dec.	19.	Mrs. J. Stewart Kennedy, for support of Outside Obstetrical Service	2,500.00 ✓
"	20.	Mrs. M. S. Bierstadt	100.00
"	27.	James Warren Lane.....	100.00
1911.			
Jan.	25.	Mr. Hartman K. Evans, Annual Subscription.....	100.00
Feb.	3.	Mrs. Andrew Carnegie.....	100.00
March	15.	Mrs. Vanderbilt	100.00
June	1.	Anonymous, through Dr. H. McM. Painter for Outside Obstetrical Service	500.00 ✓
"	21.	Mrs. Joseph Milbank, Annual Subscription.....	100.00
Sept.	22.	Anonymous, through Dr. H. McM. Painter for Outside Obstetrical Service	3,000.00 ✓
1912.			
Jan.	12.	Joseph Milbank, Annual Subscription.....	100.00
"	17.	Mr. H. K. Evans, Annual Subscription.....	100.00
Feb.	5.	Mrs. Andrew Carnegie, Annual Subscription.....	100.00
March	26.	Mrs. Vanderbilt, Annual Subscription.....	100.00

ENDOWED BEDS.

March 2, 1910, to April 13, 1912.

1910—June	9.	Mrs. Walter Graeme Ladd in memory of John T. Willets, Jr.	\$7,500.00
1911—June	6.	St. Christopher's League, to endow two beds for present year only	600.00
1912—April	13.	St. Christopher's League, to endow two beds for present year only	600.00

LEGACIES.

March 2, 1910, to March 31, 1912.

1910—Aug.	9.	From Michael Horn Estate.....	\$400.00
1911—Sept.	29.	From Estate of John W. Ellis on account.....	6,000.00
1912—Jan.	30.	From Emily H. Moir Estate.....	5,000.00

BUILDING FUND.

Mrs. William M. Kingsland..	\$10,100.00	Mrs. J. W. Pinchot.....	100.00
Mr. D. Willis James.....	5,000.00	Mrs. W. A. Cauldwell.....	100.00
Mr. Henry Parish.....	2,000.00	Through Mrs. J. Howard	
Mrs. William C. Egleston....	1,000.00	Wright	100.00
Mrs. J. D. Laing.....	1,000.00	Mr. James L. Laidlaw.....	100.00
Mrs. William P. Eno.....	1,000.00	Mrs. Eugene Du Bois.....	75.00
Mrs. Frederick F. Thompson..	1,000.00	Mrs. Washington Wilson....	50.00
Mrs. S. O. Vanderpoel.....	1,000.00	Mrs. J. H. Latham.....	50.00
Mrs. Henry Mills Day.....	500.00	Mrs. Louis B. McCagg.....	50.00
Mrs. George H. Macy.....	500.00	Mrs. Walter S. Gurnee.....	50.00
Mrs. Benjamin Knowler.....	500.00	Miss C. H. Patterson.....	30.00
Mrs. William W. Heaton....	300.00	Mrs. Fairfield Osborne.....	25.00
Mrs. E. Pope Sampson.....	250.00	Mrs. Morris Ulman.....	25.00
Mrs. Frank B. Porter.....	250.00	Mrs. William Barbour.....	25.00
Mrs. John Minturn.....	250.00	Mrs. Jonathan Thorne.....	25.00
Mrs. George W. Collard....	250.00	Miss Mary S. Burkham.....	25.00
Mrs. Algernon S. Sullivan..	200.00	Mr. Hamilton B. Tompkins..	25.00
Mrs. J. Howard Wright.....	200.00	Mrs. Hugh D. Auchincloss..	25.00
Mrs. Caroline O. Jones.....	200.00	Mrs. Robert G. Remsen....	20.00
Mr. D. Henry Smith.....	150.00	Mr. Charles Coffin.....	20.00
Miss Sarah Schermerhorn..	150.00	Mrs. Wm. Fitzhugh Whit-	
Sewing Class, N. & C. H....	130.00	shorn	20.00
Mrs. Robert G. Dunn.....	100.00	Mrs. Robert W. de Forest..	15.00
.....	100.00	Mrs. Hoyt	15.00
Mrs. David M. Milton.....	100.00	Mr. William Floyd.....	10.00
Miss Bertha Brooks.....	100.00	Through Mrs. H. F. Dimock.	10.00
Mrs. Penniman	100.00	Miss S. Bryce.....	10.00
Mr. Daniel G. Reid.....	100.00	Mrs. John Mitchell.....	5.00
Mrs. Alexander T. Van Nest	100.00	Mrs. A. D. Shepard.....	5.00

Miss J. Willis King

LEGACIES.

1858—Mrs. Hewitt.....	\$1,000.00	1885—Miss Sarah Burr.....	25,000.00
1863—Mrs. E. Elmendorf....	5,000.00	1885—Mr. Julius Halgarten..	1,035.00
1865—Estate of Chauncey Rose	5,000.00	1885—Mr. James Kelly.....	1,782.00
1866—Mrs. Edward Clark....	2,000.00	1890—Estate of Ellen Mc- Lachlan	4,544.66
1867—Estate of Chauncey Rose	5,000.00	1892—Estate of J. T. Farrish	10,000.00
1868—Mr. Thomas Garner....	10,000.00	1892—Mr. J. W. Ellis.....	500.00
1868—Mr. George Coggill....	235.00	1897—Mrs. Wm. M. Kings- land, in memoriam	
1871—Mrs. Joseph Varnum..	4,039.85	Mrs. Walker.....	2,000.00
1871—Mrs. Adele Canda....	471.52	1900—Mr. Wm. Langdon Beadle	4,304.00
1872—Mr. M. Abraham.....	1,682.40	1900—Mrs. Walden Pell....	500.00
1878—Mr. Gay	18,000.00	1901—Mrs. A. Carnegie.....	500.00
1879—Mr. Cleveland	10,000.00	1908—Mr. Albert J. Cipriant.	5,000.00
1879—Mrs. Maria Hobby....	2,000.00	1908—Mrs. Robert Wells, through Mr. Geo. H.	
1879—Miss Eliza Mott.....	1,000.00	Sullivan	1,000.00
1879—Mr. Danser	5,000.00	1909—Dr. Henry C. Eno, in memory of his wife..	5,000.00
1879—Mr. Kelly	1,000.00	1909—Estate of Mr. Charles E. Furlong	3,850.00
1879—Mrs. Sarah Grace Nathan	1,000.00	1911—Mr. John W. Ellis, in memory of his wife..	10,000.00
1880—Mrs. Joseph Seligman.	250.00		
1882—Mr. S. Abrahams.....	1,349.22		
1883—Estate of Mrs. Strecker	2,000.00		
1884—Miss May Burr.....	5,305.55		

ENDOWED BEDS.

Mrs. Guy Fairfax Whiting, in memory of her mother, to be called the Mary J. Van Doren Bed.....	\$5,000.00
Miss Martha Potter, in memory of Mary Wiltse.....	5,000.00
Mrs. Walter Graeme Ladd, in memory of her nephew, John T. Wil- lets, Jr. (in Perpetuity).....	7,500.00
The St. Christopher League, two Beds for one year.....	600.00



New York Nursery and Child's Hospital

Organized 1910, by the Consolidation of the
Nursery and Child's Hospital (Incorporated
1854), and the New York Infant
Asylum (Incorporated 1865).

Annual Report

For the year ending
September 30th, 1912.



NEW YORK
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Lexington Avenue and 51st Street

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1912—1913

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ROWLAND G. FREEMAN, M.D., 211 W. 57th St.
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OSCAR M. SCHLOSS, M.D., 172 W. 79th St.

Attending Obstetricians to Out-Door Department.

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CHARLES H. SMITH, M.D., 2880 Broadway.

Assistant Attending Obstetricians to Out-Door Department.

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ROBERT G. REESE, M.D., 50 West 52nd Street.

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Pathologist.

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Resident Physician.

DR. WM. A. MURPHY, March, 1911 to July 1, 1912.

DR. R. F. HEGEMAN, July 1, 1912 to January 1st 1913.

DR. J. H. ASHCRAFT, January 1st 1913.

House Staff, May 1, 1911 to September 30, 1912.

Regular Internes.

DR. I. H. GOLDBERGER.
DR. M. J. McMAHON.
DR. D. R. MURCHISON.
DR. DWIGHT M. SAWYER.
DR. EDWARD DAY.

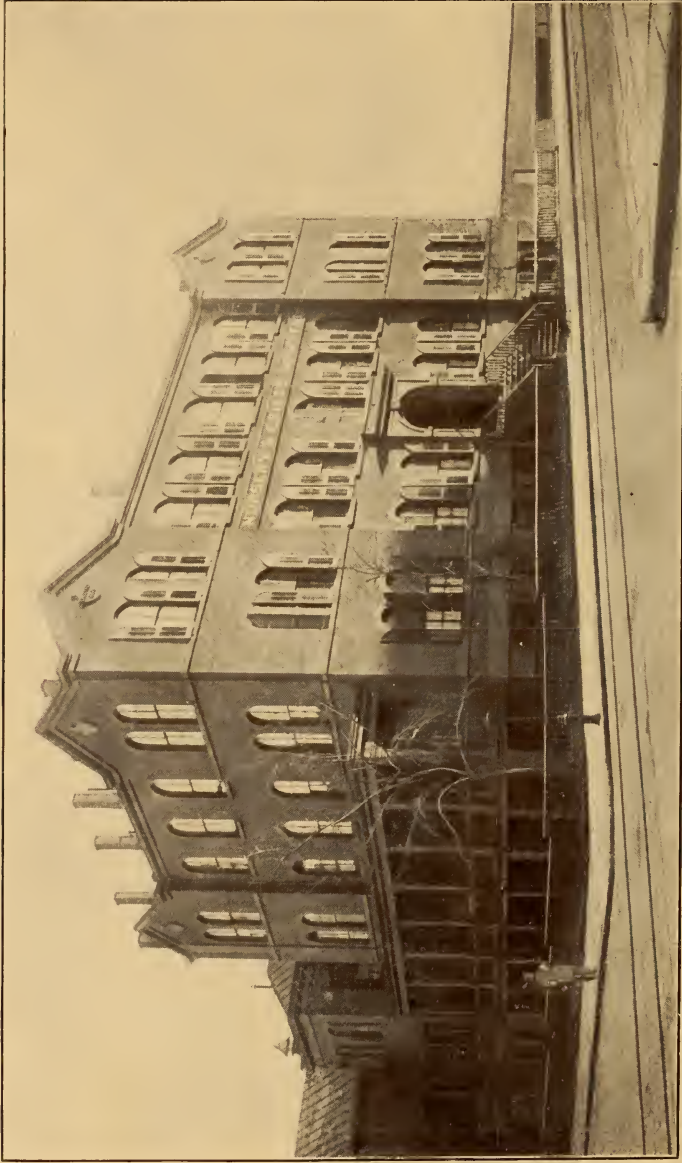
DR. J. H. ASHCRAFT.
DR. J. A. HOUSTON.
DR. J. KOLBER.
DR. K. M. BUCK.
DR. W. D. NOBLE.

Short Term Men.

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H. W. WELLINGTON, 4 months.
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DR. F. C. O'MALLEY, 3 months.
W. B. CASTLEMAN, 3 months.
DR. W. P. McDOWELL, 1 month.
DR. P. J. DALY, 3 months.
DR. C. L. GARR, 9 months.

DR. W. A. SOMERVILLE, 4 months.
L. O. WELDON, 8 months.
A. S. ROOT, 3 months.
DR. GALLON, 3 months.
DR. C. GRIFFIN, 6 months.
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DR. GEORGE H. DALTON, 6 months.
L. S. HAYES, 12 months.





Lexington Avenue Branch.

The Institution and Its Aims



THE New York Nursery and Child's Hospital was founded in 1910, by the consolidation of the Nursery and Child's Hospital and the New York Infant Asylum.

During the years 1848 to 1854, the attention of the public was drawn by the Reports of the Superintendents of Police to the number of vagrant children in the City of New York and to the growing crime of infanticide. The officials estimated that there were 30,000 homeless children in the city limits. To help meet this evil, the Nursery and Child's Hospital was founded in 1854, under the title of "The Nursery for the Children of Poor Women." The Nursery was in St. Mark's Place and later moved to a larger house at Sixth Avenue and 15th Street. For the first few years it acted only as a nursery for the children of poor women. In 1857 its work was extended and it became also a Child's Hospital, the first to be founded in the United States. At that time, no hospital in this City received children under twelve years of age. The cornerstone of the present building at 571 Lexington Avenue was laid in June, 1857. It is interesting to note that in the same year the Society gave the First Annual Charity Ball, which has since been a fixture in the social life of the City. The building was finished just before the outbreak of the Civil War. It then served as a hospital for wounded soldiers and was not used for the children until the war was over. From 1879 to the time of the consolidation the Nursery and Child's Hospital cared for a total of 38,179 inmates.

The New York Infant Asylum was incorporated in 1865, to take charge of foundlings and infant children of the age of two years and under and to provide for their support and education. It also provided such lying-in wards and methods of care and guidance as should prevent maternal abandonment of homeless infants and diminish the moral dangers and personal sufferings to which homeless mothers were exposed.

The charity had its origin in the efforts of the Rev. Mr. Richmond to reform a class of unfortunate young women whom he found in the Maternity Wards of Bellevue Hospital. He died before the plan could be carried through, but his widow secured a charter in 1865 and a building

for the Asylum was rented at 104th Street and West End Avenue. Mrs. Richmond struggled with the problems for two years, when she died, and the work was abandoned. In 1871 the Society was reorganized. As the Annual Report of 1873 says: "Our aim is to thwart and prevent suicide, infanticide and murder, those demons that follow hard upon the track of the unfortunate, and to shield, save and restore them as well as to protect their innocent offspring."

Soon the work was extended to caring for destitute children. The mortality of these children in the institutions on the Island was admitted to be nearly 100 per cent. The nurses were women committed for drunkenness and the food of the children was ordinary cow's milk. In the summer months, very few children survived to the end of the month of August.

The revived Asylum rented a building at No. 24 Clinton Place, near Broadway, and began operations. The result exceeded the expectations of the most sanguine members of the Board, for the mortality was less than 20 per cent. as against 96 per cent. on the Island. One of the immediate results of this first year's record was the building of the Infant Asylum on Randall's Island.

In 1872, the property where the Hospital now stands, at Amsterdam Avenue and 61st Street, was purchased for \$55,000: \$16,500 cash and the balance on mortgage—but was not occupied until April, 1873. The building at No. 24 Clinton Place was not abandoned, however, until 1878.

In 1899, the Infant Asylum consolidated with the old Marion Street Maternity Hospital and the cash realized from the sale of the Marion Street property, some \$75,000, together with \$18,000 donated for the purpose, was used to build the first four stories of the present Hospital building.

The old Marion Street Maternity Hospital was incorporated in 1827, under the name of The New York Female Asylum for Lying-In Women. Its object was: "To furnish comfortable conditions and skillful attendance to respectable married women who require an asylum during the period of their confinement, and also to supply competent medical care to deserving married women at their homes under similar circumstances." At the time of its consolidation with the New York Infant Asylum, its Hospital was at No. 193 Second Avenue. Under the terms of the consolidation, one floor of the new building was and still is reserved to continue the ministrations of the Marion Street Hospital.

Under the consolidation, the work of the two corporations has been continued and enlarged. Roughly, it can be classified as follows:

(1) A Lying-in Hospital;

(2) A Hospital for sick children. The 61st Street Branch is primarily the hospital;

(3) A Nursery and Home for foundlings and poor children. The Lexington Avenue Branch is primarily the Home;

(4) A Boarding-out Department. The foundling children are placed in suitable homes and their general welfare supervised by a system of visitors from the hospital;

(5) An Outside Obstetrical Department. Physicians connected with the staff are sent to the homes of those who apply for aid;

(6) The training of nursery maids, who, after a systematic course in the care of young children, are open to employment in private families.

The Hospital is not self-supporting. It has no endowment. Notwithstanding a small per capita payment by the City for the care of its public charges, it is dependent entirely upon the generosity of its friends for the continuance of its all-important work.

Report of the President.



IN March 1910, by an order of the New York Supreme Court, the Nursery and Child's Hospital and the New York Infant Asylum, two of the oldest and best known institutions for the care of the sick and homeless women and children, were consolidated under the name of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital. The two groups of buildings of the old institution have been retained under the new organization—one group being at Lexington Avenue and 51st Street, and the other at Amsterdam Avenue and 61st Street, in the City of New York.

You will recognize with me that the maintenance of these two groups of buildings is unnecessary and that economy demands that the work of the hospital should be carried on at one single institution. The efforts of the President have been mainly exerted during the last year to accomplish this purpose, with the result that through the assistance of our able attorney, the preliminary negotiations between the city and the hospital have now nearly reached a conclusion, and we can expect a decision from the Municipal authorities regarding the long-continued controversy relative to our rights in the Lexington Avenue property, and that this decision will be favorable to our claim.

The Treasurer's Report annexed further emphasizes the necessity of having one institution rather than two.

I would draw your attention to the fact that the "Building Fund" amounts to about \$43,000, and would recommend that it be transferred from the banking house where it is now deposited, at a low rate of interest, and that certain of the mortgages held by the hospital be transferred to the Trustees. The cash will thus be available for general expenses; and the Trustees amply protected.

As the reports from the various officers and committees herewith attached give full information regarding the operations of the current year, there would seem to be no necessity of repeating them here. The statements in them as well as the interesting and intelligent work noted in the reports show with what energy, ability and faithfulness all have labored during the past year.

It is to be also noted that the various committees, as shown by their reports, have received much assistance from certain associations indirectly connected with our work, as well as from many enthusiastic members. The labor incident to the Charity Ball was well done, rendering it a complete success.

Your President feels assured that we are about to enter upon a new and enlarged field of usefulness. He recognizes the fact that the first years of a combination between two separate bodies are ones of stress, during which it is difficult to do ample justice to the traditions of the past and yet fulfill the aims of the future.

The work of a charitable hospital may be divided into three parts:

1. That similar to any other corporation, namely: the question of finance. This phase has been necessarily prominent during the past two years. If however, we come to an agreement with the city, we will then be in a position to view more clearly the broader principles which should shape the policy of all charitable organizations.

2. The second important matter is the proper organization of the Medical Department; and we have to thank the various surgeons and doctors who have worked with and for us during the past year, for the professional skill and individual effort which they are continually giving to raise the standard of our institution.

3. Questions of money and executive management being simplified and eliminated in one building, we could turn our minds towards the uplifting, both physically and morally of the patients who pass through our hands. This idea was deeply imbued in the minds of those who have gone before us, and it now becomes our essential and paramount duty to remember that our endeavors should be focused upon the elevation of the morals of the mothers and children, and endeavor to surround the new generation with associations tending towards the development of a higher citizenship.

The male members of our hospital should be able to watch the financial and medical portion of our work, but we look to the united effort of the women members to fulfill the larger sphere and responsibility thrust upon it.

Respectfully.

J. W. MILLER,

President

Report of the Executive Committee.

TO THE PRESIDENT AND THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS:



THE Executive Committee is hoping that the time will soon arrive when it can begin to effect the many economies which a united organization will bring in its train, but it has been compelled for the past year to continue to operate the two Branches as almost separate institutions.

At Lexington Avenue the routine work is kept up and the chief care of the Committee has been to see to it that its efficiency has not fallen off.

At the 61st Street Branch the changes begun last year have progressed still further. The rules governing the Medical Department, the Boarding Out Department and the Out-door Obstetrical Department have been codified, with the aid of the Medical Board, and formally adopted as the Rules of the Institution.

A regular fire drill has been inaugurated and the drill is conducted once a week throughout the year.

Through the generosity of some of the members of the Board of Directors and other friends of the Institution, the Executive Committee has been enabled to authorize the building of a Roof Shelter which can be used both winter and summer. It adds greatly to the permanent equipment of the 61st Street Branch.

The Committee has met regularly.

Very truly yours,


E. L. PARTRIDGE,

Chairman of the Executive Committee.

Report of the Treasurer.

NOVEMBER 15, 1912.

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

 I BEG to submit herewith my report for the year from October 1, 1911 to September 30, 1912 with tables compiled from the books of the corporation showing cash receipts and disbursements, comparative balance sheet, tables of revenue and expenses, analysis of expenses, analysis of cost of food per day for each person fed at both branches of the institution and amounts charged to the City of New York and County of Westchester for care and support of inmates. The stocks and bonds belonging to the corporation have been valued as of September 30, 1912, at their respective prices on the New York Stock Exchange as nearly as it was possible to ascertain them, and capital account debited and credited accordingly. The bonds and mortgages are taken at their face value, the real estate is taken at the values shown in the report of last year without change, except in the case of Staten Island property where the amount received from sale of buildings and insurance has been charged off. Legacies and donations have been credited to income. No expenses were capitalized during the year. No money has been borrowed, and no indebtedness incurred except for current expenses. The operating loss amounting to \$41,153.57 and the depreciation of furniture, etc., at 61st Street were written off the capital account after the close of the year.

Respectfully submitted,

G. MORGAN BROWNE,

Treasurer.

Table I.

Receipts and Disbursements of Cash.

From Cash Book from October 1, 1911 to September 30, 1912

Cash on hand and in banks October 1, 1911.....\$10,219.55

RECEIPTS

City of New York.....	\$ 88,509.78
Legacies.....	18,952.81
Interest and dividends.....	14,551.06
Charity Ball, on account.....	14,500.00
A. Britton Haven, mortgage paid.....	14,000.00
Pay Patients, 61st Street.....	12,229.06
Pay Patients, Lexington Avenue.....	9,481.25
St. Louis & San Francisco 4s sold.....	7,835.00
Chicago & Alton 3% bonds sold.....	7,087.50
Rents Receivable.....	3,024.90
Florence Cahen mortgage on account principal paid.....	3,000.00
Hospital Saturday & Sunday Association.....	2,031.68
Sold \$2,000.00 West Shore Railroad Co. reg. 4%.....	1,940.00
Donations.....	1,667.68
Permanent Roof Shelter, 61st Street.....	980.00
Staten Island place, building sold.....	726.00
Helen Louise Jardine, Supt., amount turned over on leaving.....	680.32
Miscellaneous Revenue.....	520.62
61st Street House Refund.....	339.94
Westchester County.....	265.49
Christmas Fund, 1911.....	222.16
Annual Dues.....	200.00
Lucy H. Calhoun, Supt., Petty Cash Returned.....	75.00
Advance Payments by Pay Patients.....	30.00
Sale of rights, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad Co., pref'd..	17.25
Unclaimed Accounts Payable, New York Infant Asylum Boarding Out Department.....	7.00
Lexington Avenue house Refund.....	4.57
Sale of rights, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad Co., common	2.76
	\$202,881.83
	\$213,101.38

DISBURSEMENTS

61st Street, Lexington Avenue and General Accounts Payable.....	\$204,568.11
Lucy H. Calhoun, Supt. Petty Cash.....	100.00
Unpaid Inmates Premium Account paid to Superintendent.....	226.50
Advance Payments by Pay Patients, paid to Superintendent.....	143.00
	\$205,037.61

CASH ON HAND SEPTEMBER 30, 1912

The Fifth Avenue Bank.....	\$ 4,491.03
The Fulton Trust Company.....	3,037.41
The Corn Exchange Bank.....	297.28
New York Life Insurance & Trust Company.....	238.05
	8,063.77
	\$213,101.38

Table II.

Balance Sheet October 1, 1911.

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
PERMANENT ASSETS		PERMANENT LIABILITIES	
Real Estate	\$491,498.10	Capital	\$824,076.53
Bonds and Mortgages	250,500.00	Endowed Beds	12,500.00
Stocks and Bonds	42,236.00	Mortgages Payable (Greenlawn, Long Island)	3,000.00
W. L. Bull and S. Baker, Trustees Building Fund	41,414.20		
Furniture, Fixtures and Utensils 61st Street	967.80		
		CURRENT LIABILITIES	
CURRENT ASSETS		Accounts Payable	18,101.34
Cash	10,219.55		
City of New York	20,441.44		
Westchester County	25.78		
Julia A. Hunt, Supt.	275.00		
Helen Louise Jardine, Supt.	100.00		
	\$857,677.87		\$857,677.87

Balance Sheet, October 1, 1912

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
PERMANENT ASSETS		PERMANENT LIABILITIES	
Real Estate Schedule "A"	\$491,772.10	Capital	\$824,076.53
Bonds and Mortgages, Schedule "B"	233,500.00	Net Addition to Capital	1,013.50
Stocks and Bonds, Schedule "C"	25,189.38		\$825,090.03
W. L. Bull & S. Baker, Trustees Building Fund	\$41,414.20	Operating Loss	\$ 41,153.57
Int. Compounded	1,490.41	Net Depreciation on Securities	164.11
	42,904.61		41,317.68
Furniture, Fixtures and Utensils, 61st Street	\$967.80		\$783,772.35
Less Depreciation	483.91	Endowed Beds	\$ 12,500.00
	\$483.89	Mortgages Payable (Greenlawn, Long Island)	\$ 3,000.00
		CURRENT LIABILITIES	
CURRENT ASSETS.		Accounts Payable	\$ 15,663.35
Cash	\$ 8,063.77	Legacies Suspense Account	1,000.00
City of New York	13,559.07		
Westchester County	87.88		
Julia A. Hunt, Supt.	275.00		
Lucy H. Calhoun, Supt.	100.00		
	\$815,935.70		\$815,935.70

Table III.

Statement of Revenue and Expenses From October 1, 1911 to September 30, 1912

REVENUE

City Charges, 61st Street.....	\$ 75,156.21	
City Charges, Lexington Avenue.....	6,471.20	
County Charges.....	327.59	
		\$ 81,955.00
Pay Patients, 61st Street.....	\$ 12,613.92	
Pay Patients, Lexington Avenue.....	9,481.25	
Miscellaneous Revenue.....	535.87	
		22,631.04
Legacies.....	\$ 18,952.81	
Charity Ball, on account.....	14,500.00	
Hospital Saturday & Sunday Association.....	2,031.68	
Donations.....	1,667.68	
Christmas Fund, 61st Street.....	222.16	
Roof Shelter Donations, 61st Street.....	980.00	
Annual Dues.....	200.00	
		38,554.33
Interest and Dividends.....	\$ 14,551.06	
Rents Receivable.....	3,024.90	
		17,575.96
Operating Loss.....		41,153.57
		\$201,869.90

EXPENSES

61st Street House Expenses.....	\$145,238.74
Lexington Avenue House Expenses.....	52,253.63
General Expenses.....	4,377.53
	\$201,869.90

NEW YORK, NOVEMBER 27, 1912.

TO THE PRESIDENT AND THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

The Finance and Auditing Committee has the honor to report that it has examined, with Mr. Swazey, public accountant, the negotiable railroad stocks and bonds and finds the whole amount as listed in the Treasurer's report. These securities are in the private box of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital, accessible only to two members of this committee, in the United States Safe Deposit Company.

The bonds and mortgages listed in the Treasurer's report and in his custody are secured upon real estate, have been examined by Mr. Swazey, public accountant, who reports that they are all recorded and properly assigned to the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital. Interest has been paid on all.

This Committee's duties are largely advisory, and in the present year at its several meetings has considered matters, reported and recommended at the various monthly meetings of the corporation.

Very respectfully yours,

WM. WEAVER HEATON,
Chairman.

Report of the House Committee Lexington Avenue Branch.

TO THE PRESIDENT AND THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS:



HE Committee is glad to report that the general condition of the women and children has been very satisfactory, and that the commodious wards and rooms of the building have been most comfortable and sanitary.

The interest which the various persons employed in this Branch as nurses, nursery maids, and otherwise, take in their daily duties is commendable and to be appreciated.

The committee feels that this is largely due to the example set them by Miss Hunt and Miss Dixon, the superintendent and assistant superintendent respectively; their capable management and their sympathy with the purposes of the Institution being gratefully noted.

The monthly written statement of the superintendent has furnished much information for this report.

The number of our faithful employees remains unbroken, except by the death of Mr. Foulkes, the engineer, who thus ended a service of twenty-six years.

We have cared for a number of motherless children and friendless girls, and in carrying on this work we have co-operated with different Societies: The Social Service Departments of Saint Luke's Hospital, The Woman's Hospital, Mt. Sinai Hospital, Bellevue Hospital, The Travelers' Aid Society, the different branches of the Charity Organization Society, the State Charities Aid, the College Settlement, The Legal Aid, The Heartsease Home, and the Children's Aid Society.

Six of our children have been adopted into exceptionally good homes, one through the State Charities Aid, and five through Mrs. Covill of the Children's Aid Society.

The health of the children has been remarkably good throughout the entire year, and we feel that this is due, not only to the nourishing food which they receive, but also to the fact that all the children spend a

great part of their time out of doors, there being no ward in the house without a balcony or some other accommodation for keeping the children in the air.

The New York Kindergarten Association has continued their good work in giving our children who are of a suitable age, an education along kindergarten lines. This work is of inestimable benefit to the children, as well as a source of the greatest pleasure. The summer session also gives them many delightful outings.

Twenty-four children were the guests during the summer of Miss Mildred Eady, who has built a beautiful cottage on the mountain side near Iona Island, overlooking the Hudson River, and furnished it with every possible convenience for the children who not only had the benefit of the country air and the best of food, but also had a number of automobile trips and every possible pleasure. All the children on their return showed the good effects of their outing.

In the way of entertainments we are indebted to Miss Close and her friends for a musical evening; to the Switzerland Society for stereopticon views of Switzerland; stereopticon views of Ireland during the Easter holidays; these, in addition to our regular Thanksgiving, Christmas and Easter celebrations.

On April 25th, a Tea was given by the Board of Managers which was largely attended. Among the guests were many of the old friends and patrons of the hospital.

Our Chapel services have been conducted by the Rev. Mr. Roosevelt of the New York Protestant Episcopal City Mission. We appreciate greatly Mr. Roosevelt's devotion to his work and readiness to answer any emergency call from the hospital. We have had on Sunday evenings a service of song which has been greatly enjoyed.

There is still a great demand for the nursery maids trained in the hospital, and a registry is maintained not only for those just graduating, but also for old graduates seeking new positions. As 300 have been graduated since the school was established, it is readily seen that the registry increases in numbers each year. During the past year, over seventy-six of the graduates have returned and obtained positions through the hospital. On December 13th, there was a demonstration of the work of the nursery maids, and also an exhibition of the home-made appliances which we have found useful in the care of the babies. We are pleased to say that this exhibition was quite largely attended. The classes for the

nursery maids in different branches of work have been maintained as in the past, and thanks are due to Mrs. Edward J. Berwind who furnishes a teacher from the New York Cooking School; and to Mrs. William M. Kingsland for lessons by a kindergarten teacher in invalid occupations and kindergarten plays. A class in mending and plain sewing is also carried on by a teacher from the Pascal Institute.

Special thanks are due to Miss Adelaide White, the committee in charge of the Fresh Air Fund of the Lexington Avenue Branch. The money contributed through her efforts has been health-giving, as well as pleasure-giving to the children under our care.

The Lenten Sewing Class of which Mrs. Harry S. Kingsley is chairman made a large number of garments for the children. The garments are welcomed for the comfort they give the children, and appreciated as an expression of interest which has continued for many years.

The babies occupying the two beds supported by the St. Christopher League have been in good health, and the members of the League are heartily thanked for their generous support.

Our thanks are also due to the following Societies who have sewed for the hospital during the past year.

Lenten Sewing Class for the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital.
Harlem Relief Society. . .
Friends Employment Society.
Christ Church Employment Society.
League of Social Service, Rye, N. Y.
St. Thomas' Mission.
Helping Hand Society, All Souls Church.
New York House and School of Industry.
Employment Society, Church of the Holy Communion.
St. Thomas' Employment Society.
Madison Avenue Reformed Church.

These Societies have made a total of 7,804 pieces.

Attention is called to the efficient work of the Lexington Avenue Branch Christmas Fund Committee in their efforts to please the children and cheer the women during that Season of Joy.

Mrs. M. B. Stoddart, the Chairman, reports as follows:

"The Christmas Committee provided gifts for 137 children and 98 grown persons. There was a large tree in the Chapel, which was also



decorated with Christmas greens, and the nurses took pleasure in trimming five small trees in the babies' wards. Through the kindness of Mrs. Kingsland, there was a Christmas card for every one at the breakfast table. After the distribution of gifts in the morning, a bountiful dinner of turkey and mince pie was provided, and the day closed with a treat of ice cream and an entertainment with a Victor phonograph in the evening."

Many gifts have been presented to this Branch during this year and have all been advantageously used there. The House Committee expresses its gratitude to each of the donors.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY MILDRED SULLIVAN,

Chairman of House Committee, Lexington Avenue Branch.

Report of the House Committee.

61st Street Branch.

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:



THE work of the 61st Street Branch of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital is carried on in the hospital building located at the corner of Amsterdam Avenue and 61st Street, and consists of the following six departments:

1. General Maternity Department.
2. The Department for the Care of Asylum Women and Children.
3. Private Rooms and Private Ward.
4. Sick Children's Wards.
5. Children's Boarding Out Department.
6. Outside Obstetrical Department.

The following is a brief description of the work carried on in each of the above departments:

1. **General Maternity Department:** This department includes the old Marion Street Maternity Hospital which cares for married women only. It has a number of free beds in which women are confined without payment from anybody, while a number of others are accepted by the Department of Public Charities and are paid for by the City. The patients are cared for by the Attending and House staff physicians, two graduate nurses and affiliated pupil nurses. The work of this Department shows a falling off from former years owing to recent rulings of the Department of Public Charities which greatly reduced the number of cases paid for by the City of New York. The free work is limited on account of the lack of hospital funds available for the purpose.

2. **The Department for the Care of Asylum Women and Children:** Some of these patients are received by commitment direct from the Department of Public Charities, while others are women who remain on in the institution after confinement. This work shows a diminution from former years on account of the recent rulings of the Department of Public Charities above mentioned. This department now contains 26 women and 26 children.

3. **Private Rooms and Private Ward:** These are filled by paying patients attended in many cases by their own physicians under the rules of the Medical Board. The patients are cared for by two graduate nurses and affiliated pupil nurses, and in many cases by private special nurses. The present capacity of this department is sixteen mothers and sixteen babies. It has shown a great increase during the past year and the demand for accommodation is so great that additional private rooms and wards are urgently demanded.

4. **Sick Children's Wards:** Included in these are four quarantine wards the total having a capacity of about ninety-two beds for children. These children are cared for by the Attending and House Staff physicians and the nursing is done by Miss Annie A. Becksted, Superintendent of Nursery Maids, with a staff of about thirty graduate nursery maids and nursery maids in training. These nursery maids are given an eight-months' course in the care of children and readily find positions in private families on graduation. The work of this department is only limited by the capacity of the wards. Some of the children are cared for free of any charge, in nine free beds, some are paid for by relatives or friends, but the majority are supported in part by the City, the rates paid being entirely insufficient to meet the cost of the work.

5. **Children's Boarding-Out Department:** This is under the control of a head of department assisted by a clerk in the office and four graduate visiting nurses, the number being five in summer. About five hundred children are boarded out in homes in New York and vicinity by this department and are frequently visited by the nurses and are often brought to the hospital for examination. About eighty of these children are wet nursed by their foster mothers. Board is paid monthly to the foster mothers and clothing and medical attendance are also furnished. This department for a number of years has been in charge of Miss Nina M. Hogan, who resigned September 30, 1912 to be married. She was succeeded by Miss Katherine W. Holmes, who is a Smith College graduate and a graduate nurse, and has had several years experience in district nursing and general charitable work. Some of the children are cared for free of any charge, a few are paid for by their relatives and friends, and the majority are supported in part by the City. It is estimated that the rates paid by the City fall somewhat short of meeting the cost of this work.

6. **Outdoor Obstetrical Department:** This department cares for needy women during confinement in their own homes in the vicinity of the

hospital. Between seventy and eighty confinements a month are cared for. The medical work is done by the House Staff and affiliated students under the supervision of the Attending Staff. Two graduate nurses assisted by affiliated pupil nurses have charge of the nursing department. This department has been supported for the past two years by funds raised by Dr. H. McM. Painter of the Attending Staff, and the work has received his personal supervision. The work of this department is entirely free.

These six departments are all under the direction of Miss Lucy H. Calhoun who was appointed acting superintendent in October, 1911, and permanent superintendent in January, 1912. She has been unflagging in her zeal in carrying on the work of the institution, and successful in her management of the different departments of the same.

In the old buildings the following repairs and improvements have been made during the past year:

At a cost of Five Hundred Dollars a modern sterilizer has been placed in the basement in which the clothing, towels and bedding of infected children in the Quarantine Building are sterilized by steam before going to the laundry.

The plumbing and heating plants of both old buildings have been overhauled and put in first-class condition. New sleeping apartments have been made for the nursery maids, a room renovated and painted for the nurses, and the doctors' rooms renovated and painted. Some old storerooms have been turned into a ward for the Asylum mothers and babies, linoleum laid on halls and stairways of the building, in ward number nine and in the doctors' rooms. An awning shelter has been erected in the yard for use by the children and the fire-escape extended on the outside of the building and the entire outer walls have been painted.

In the new buildings the repairs and improvements are as follows:

The inside of the house has been painted, the elevator men put in uniforms, ceiling lights have been put in the hall on the private floor, where a nursery for very young infants has also been opened and an awning shelter has been placed on the roof. The quarantine building has also been entirely done over inside. A permanent iron and glass roof shelter has been ordered, the money being raised entirely by subscription. Also a new and much improved diet kitchen with very large modern

refrigerators has been arranged for on the seventh floor and the funds have in large part been raised by subscriptions through Dr. Charles Gilmore Kerley of the Attending Staff.

At Christmas, money was obtained by subscription through the efforts of Miss Calhoun for a Christmas Tree Festival for the inmates and boarding-out children. Upwards of four hundred children were brought in by their foster mothers and each one received a gift. The children looked well and thriving, and their appearance was the best evidence of the good care they receive and the success of the boarding-out system. The fund raised exceeded the expenses by something more than \$200 which was turned in to the treasury of the corporation.

Money was given for plants and shrubbery at Easter and for the summer roof garden. Garments were made by the Lenten Sewing Class, the Employment Society of the Church of the Incarnation, the House of Industry and Calvary Parish House.

A tea and general reception was held on April 25th, and the entire buildings were open for inspection.

Respectfully submitted,


BERTHA LA BAU BROWNE,

Acting Chairman of the 61st Street House Committee.

New York, October 1, 1912.

The Charity Ball Committee.

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS :

HE management of the Charity Ball, although it has the prestige of over fifty years of successful management and public support is, nevertheless, one involving great labor and unremitting attention before the ball is finally given. I mention this in general merely that the efficient work and excellent cooperation of the members who were associated with me upon the Committee may be thoroughly appreciated. The ball on February 6, 1912, was equal in brilliancy to that of any preceding ball in spite of the somewhat depressing conditions prevailing in business and financial circles, and the net proceeds of the ball are most gratifying to those on the Committee working for the money and to the Committees requiring it for expenditure for the hospital purposes. Warm thanks are due to the gentlemen of the Floor Committee for their interest in the ball. The entire ball room space of the second floor of the Waldorf Astoria was filled, the attendance being about 2,500 people.

MARY MILDRED SULLIVAN,

Chairman of Committee.

September 30, 1912.

Report of the Charity Ball Society.

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

This Society was organized two years ago to assist in the management of the Charity Ball. They repeated the very successful work of the preceding year, and added materially in increasing the attendance of the ball. The Working Committees comprise the following named gentlemen:

GEORGE H. SULLIVAN.
DANIEL C. ADAMS.
MARCEL STEINBRUGGE.
STOWE PHELPS.
F. WHITNEY MORRILL.
THERON A. STRONG.
W. HALSTED VANDERPOEL.
WILLIAM R. MALONEY, JR.
HENRY C. SMITH.
GEORGE W. CARPENTER.
HENRY A. ALKER.
GEORGE T. BROKAW.
HOWARD M. COWPERTHWAIT.
ALLEN T. HOPPING.
C. PERCY LATTING, JR.
SHELTON F. MARTIN.
W. HERBERT ADAMS.
COLGATE HOYT, JR.

In the name of the Institution, I have taken the liberty of thanking these gentlemen for their very kind interest and efforts.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE H. SULLIVAN,

Chairman of the Floor Committee.

September 30, 1912.

Saint Christopher League

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:



IN reporting on the work of the Saint Christopher League, I take pleasure in stating that during the seasons of 1911 and 1912 the dancing class was most successful in holding the interest of the large number of attractive and capable young people who attended it.

In the spring it gave a dramatic entertainment consisting of: The Rector, The Far Away Princess and The Professor.

The members of the League and some of their friends gave a great deal of time to rehearsing for the play and attending to the business matters incidental to bringing before the public anything of this kind in New York City, and all who attended the performance were delighted with the excellence of the acting and the general charm of the whole affair. All those who were responsible for this success, by the work done by the Committee in advance or on the stage that evening, deserve hearty thanks and commendation.

Through the generous support of its friends, the League netted a sum from these performances which enabled it to donate to the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital the sum of \$600, by which it maintains two beds in the Lexington Avenue Branch. The children which have occupied these beds have been in good health and are attractive personally. The present officers and members of the League are as follows:

President

LENA R. CURTIS

Vice-President

ELLA MARION LINDLEY

Secretary

ELEANOR DUBOIS

Treasurer

ALVAN W. PERRY

Members

MISS ISABEL I. BAIRD.
MISS HARRIET A. CLARKSON.
MISS LENA R. CURTIS.
MISS MILDRED CURTIS.
MISS HELEN W. DURKEE.
MISS ELEANOR DU BOIS.
MISS DOROTHY FOX.
MISS ALICE GUERNSEY.
MRS. E. KIRK HASKELL.
MISS ELINOR LAPHAM.
MISS ELLA MARION LINDLEY.
MISS AMABEL MAYO-SMITH.
MISS GERTRUDE MILLS.
MISS EVA McADOO.
MISS MARION SWIFT.
MISS ELIZABETH W. TAYLOR.

MISS LISA TODD
MR. PAUL W. ALEXANDER.
MR. OLIVER B. CAPEN.
MR. HAROLD S. DEMING.
MR. ALFRED ELY, JR.
MR. KARL T. FREDERICK.
MR. THOMAS J. GODDARD.
MR. E. KIRK HASKELL.
MR. ARTHUR STEDMAN HILLS.
MR. WILLIAM R. MALONEY, JR.
MR. ROBERT McC. MARSH.
MR. ALVAN W. PERRY.
MR. HENRY C. SMITH.
MR. GEORGE H. SULLIVAN.
MR. JOHN M. P. THATCHER.
DR. DAVID GOODNOW.

MR. HERVEY STUDDIFORD.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE H. SULLIVAN,

*Member of the League and Representative therein of
the New York Nursery and Childs' Hospital.*

Dated, September 30, 1912.

Report of the Medical Board

For the Year Ending September 30, 1912

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:



THE tabulated medical reports for the past year show a considerable amount of sickness in both the Lexington Avenue and Sixty-first Street Houses with a low mortality. Thus in the Sixty-first Street House we had eighty-one cases of measles with only four deaths, and thirty-six cases of whooping-cough with two deaths, while at the Lexington Avenue House forty-two cases of whooping-cough resulted in one death. It is interesting to note the decline in diphtheria in both these institutions, diphtheria previously having been a source of considerable mortality in all institutions. During the past year in the Sixty-first Street House there were two cases followed by one death, and in the Lexington Avenue House only one case and no death. Such an immunity in institutions from diphtheria was unknown before the day of antitoxin.

The freedom from summer diarrhea in the Lexington Avenue House is also noteworthy. Sick children are rarely admitted to this institution, but the freedom of the well children there from this trouble during the past summer is most satisfactory.

The Pediatric Wards of both buildings have been kept well filled, while the service on the private obstetric floor in the Sixty-first Street House has been quite active.

Very truly yours,

ROWLAND G. FREEMAN,

Secretary of the Medical Board.

Medical Report, 61st Street Branch.

October 1st, 1911 to October 1st, 1912.

Women awaiting confinement October 1st, 1911.....	3
Women delivered remaining October 1st, 1911.....	40
Women admitted for confinement to October 1st, 1912.....	301
Delivered women admitted.....	55
Number of confinements to October 1st, 1912.....	267

Obstetrical Operations

	Indoor	Outdoor	Total
Cæsarean Section.....	6	0	6
High Forceps.....	7	5	12
Medium Forceps.....	15	14	29
Low Forceps.....	6	6	12
Versions.....	2	13	15
Curettages.....	7	20	27
Decapitation.....	0	1	1
Craniotomy.....	0	1	1

Hospital Cases

Secondary Perineorrhaphy.....	3
Inevitable Abortion.....	2
Hysterectomy.....	2
Partial Oophorectomy and Appendectomy.....	2
Suspension of Kidney and Oophorectomy Appendectomy.....	2
Cholecystostomy.....	3
Salpingoophorectomy.....	1
Typhoid Fever.....	4
Secondary Ænemia with Menorrhagia ..	1

Obstetric Complications

Twins.....	4	8	12
Eclampsia.....	1	0	1
Placenta Prævia.....	3	1	4
Nephritic Toxæmia.....	1	0	1
Adherent Placenta.....	1	2	3
Prolapse of hands and arms in vertex presentation.....	1	0	1
Prolapse of Umbilical cord.....	1	4	5
Transverse presentation	0	3	3

Causes of Deaths

Mothers and Hospital Cases:—

Discharged		Surgical shock following intrapartem hemorrhage.....		
Women undelivered.....	17	1	0	1
Women delivered.....	348	1	0	1
Deaths:—		1	0	1
Women.....	8	1	0	1
Babies.....	5	1	0	1
Still Births.....	12	1	0	1
		1	0	1
		1	0	1
		1	0	1
		1	0	1
		1	0	1
		0	1	1
		12	34	46
		0	6	6
		1	2	3
		2	2	4
		1	1	2
		1	1	2
		0	1	1

Outdoor Obstetrical Department

Number of Post-Partum cases under observation Oct. 1st, 1912:—	
Mothers.....	26
Babies.....	24
Applications received.....	978
Confinements.....	813
Number of tenement visits.....	8,823
Referred to Hospital:—	
Mothers.....	8
Babies.....	6
Deaths:—	
Mothers.....	1
Babies.....	13
Still Births.....	34

Medical Report, Lexington Avenue Branch.

October 1st, 1911 to October 1st, 1912.

In Institution October 1st, 1911.

Women awaiting confinement.....	5
Mothers with children.....	26
Children.....	137

Admissions:—

Women for confinement.....	138
Mothers with children.....	5
Children.....	120
Children born.....	108
Still births.....	3

Total number cared for:—

Women.....	140
Children.....	365

Discharged:—

Women.....	140
Children.....	203

Deaths:—

Women.....	1
(Chronic endocarditis, valvular disease failure of compensation following labor)	
Children over two years.....	1
Children under two years.....	14
Total.....	15

Births..... 198

Remaining in Institution

October 1st, 1912

Women awaiting confinement.....	12
Mothers with children.....	21
Children.....	147
Nursery maids trained.....	28
Dispensary cases.....	591

Medical Cases in Children's Service.

<i>Disease.</i>	61st Street House		Lexington Ave. House	
	<i>No. Cases</i>	<i>Deaths.</i>	<i>No. Cases</i>	<i>Deaths.</i>
Diseases of the New Born.....	45	12	43	2
Diseases of Nutrition.....	92	42	48	1
Infectious Diseases.....	156	14	59	1
Diseases of the Respiratory System.....	131	35	177	1
Diseases of the Digestive System.....	113	47	292	5
Diseases of the Circulatory System.....	3	0	3	1
Diseases of the Nervous System.....	19	2	5	2
Diseases of the Genito-Urinary System.....	103	2	2	0
Diseases of the Skin.....	80	0	83	0
Diseases of the Eye.....	23	0	25	0
Diseases of the Ear.....	49	0	28	1
Diseases of the Lymph Nodes.....	10	0	54	0
Miscellaneous Diseases and Conditions.....	5	1	7	1

Donations.

St. Christopher League.....	\$600.00
Mr. Joseph Milbank.....	100.00
Mr. Hartman K. Evans.....	100.00
Mrs. Andrew Carnegie.....	100.00
Mrs. Vanderbilt.....	100.00
Awning in Yard Donations:	
Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee.....	\$25.00
Mrs. John M. Bowers.....	25.00
Mr. Gherardi Davis.....	25.00
Mrs. William M. Kingsland for Nursery Maids, Lexington Ave.....	75.00
Mrs. Edward J. Berwind.....	60.00
Mrs. Edward J. Berwind.....	50.00
Anonymous, through Dr. Edward L. Partridge.....	50.00
Mrs. Augustus Gurnee, for General Use of Lexington Ave.....	50.00
Mr. A. B. Cawood.....	41.67
Peter Cooper Golden Wedding Fund.....	40.00
Mrs. Ellen S. James.....	25.00
Mrs. James J. Goodwin.....	25.00
Mrs. William M. Kingsland.....	25.00
Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee.....	25.00
Mrs. William C. Osborn.....	25.00
Miss Anita Bliss.....	25.00
Mr. Daniel C. Adams, for one-half cost electric lights.....	21.10
Mr. W. Emlen Roosevelt.....	20.00
Miss Jessie Patterson.....	10.00
Mrs. C. M. Hutton.....	10.00
Mr. Arthur Du Bois.....	10.00
Miss Julia L. Delafield.....	10.00
Miss Helen C. Butler, Easter Offering.....	10.00
Mrs. Artemas Ward.....	10.00
Miss Blanche Potter.....	10.00
Board of Deacons Harlem Presbyterian Church.....	10.00
Mrs. J. F. C. Bronson.....	5.00
Mrs. James Herman Aldrich.....	5.00
Mr. Eugene G. Foster.....	5.00
Masters Howard and Nelson Adams.....	5.00
Mrs. D. L. Elliman.....	5.00
Poor Box Lexington Avenue.....	4.91
Total.....	\$1,667.68

Subscriptions Received for Permanent Roof Shelter.

61st Street Branch.

Mrs. George Augustus Lung.....	\$200.00
Through Dr. H. McM. Painter.....	130.00
Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee.....	50.00
W. Emlen Roosevelt, Esq.....	50.00
Miss Eleanor Le Roy.....	50.00
Mrs. William M. Kingsland.....	50.00
Dr. Charles Gilmore Kerley.....	50.00
Lispenard Stewart, Esq.....	50.00
Dr. Edward H. Peaslee.....	25.00
Mrs. Edward H. Peaslee.....	25.00
Dr. Edward L. Partridge.....	25.00
William R. Stewart, Esq.....	25.00
Mrs. Prescott Hall Butler.....	25.00
Mrs. Walter G. Ladd.....	25.00
Mrs. Henry S. Redmond.....	25.00
Edward de P. Livingston, Esq.....	20.00
Miss Julia L. Delafield.....	20.00
F. S. Witherbee, Esq.....	20.00
Mrs. John D. Wood.....	20.00
Mrs. Harold Farquhar Hadden.....	20.00
Mrs. David Heller.....	20.00
Mrs. Robert C. Black.....	20.00
William Weaver Heaton, Esq.....	10.00
Mrs. E. S. Steese.....	10.00
George H. Sullivan, Esq.....	10.00
Com. Jacob W. Miller.....	5.00
 Total.....	 \$980.00

Christmas Donations.

61st Street Branch.

1911.		
Dec. 8.	Mr. Gherardi Davis.....	\$25.00
" "	Mrs. Mary I. Kingsland...	20.00
" "	Mr. John F. Erdman.....	10.00
" "	Mr. Frederick Risch.....	10.00
" "	Dr. Robert G. Reese.....	10.00
" "	Dr. Edwin R. Cragin.....	10.00
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The Institution and Its Aims.



THE New York Nursery and Child's Hospital was founded in 1910, by the consolidation of the Nursery and Child's Hospital and the New York Infant Asylum.

During the years 1848 to 1854, the attention of the public was drawn by the Reports of the Superintendents of Police to the number of vagrant children in the City of New York and to the growing crime of infanticide. The officials estimated that there were 30,000 homeless children in the city limits. To help meet this evil, the Nursery and Child's Hospital was founded in 1854, under the title of "The Nursery for the Children of Poor Women." The Nursery was in St. Mark's Place and later moved to a larger house at Sixth Avenue and 15th Street. For the first few years it acted only as a nursery for the children of poor women. In 1857 its work was extended and it became also a Child's Hospital, the first to be founded in the United States. At that time, no hospital in this City received children under twelve years of age. The cornerstone of the present building at 571 Lexington Avenue was laid in June, 1857. It is interesting to note that in the same year the Society gave the First Annual Charity Ball, which has since been a fixture in the social life of the City. The building was finished just before the outbreak of the Civil War. It then served as a hospital for wounded soldiers and was not used for the children until the war was over. From 1879 to the time of the consolidation the Nursery and Child's Hospital cared for a total of 38,179 inmates. During the year 1913 this property was sold with the permission of the Supreme Court.

The New York Infant Asylum was incorporated in 1865, to take charge of foundlings and infant children of the age of two years and under and to provide for their support and education. It also provided such lying-in wards and methods of care and guidance as should prevent maternal abandonment of homeless infants and diminish the moral dangers and personal sufferings to which homeless mothers were exposed.

The charity had its origin in the efforts of the Rev. Mr. Richmond to reform a class of unfortunate young women whom he found in the Maternity Wards of Bellevue Hospital. He died before the plan could be



The New Roof Shelter.



A Boarding-out Baby.



Twins.



carried through, but his widow secured a charter in 1865 and a building for the Asylum was rented at 104th Street and West End Avenue. Mrs. Richmond struggled with the problems for two years, when she died, and the work was abandoned. In 1871 the Society was reorganized. As the Annual Report of 1873 says: "Our aim is to thwart and prevent suicide, infanticide and murder, those demons that follow hard upon the track of the unfortunate, and to shield, save and restore them as well as to protect their innocent offspring."

Soon the work was extended to caring for destitute children. The mortality of these children in the institutions on the Island was admitted to be nearly 100 per cent. The nurses were women committed for drunkenness and the food of the children was ordinary cow's milk. In the summer months, very few children survived to the end of the month of August.

The revived Asylum rented a building at No. 24 Clinton Place, near Broadway, and began operations. The result exceeded the expectations of the most sanguine members of the Board, for the mortality was less than 20 per cent. as against 96 per cent. on the Island. One of the immediate results of this first year's record was the building of the Infant Asylum on Randall's Island.

In 1872, the property where the Hospital now stands, at Amsterdam Avenue and 61st Street, was purchased for \$55,000: \$16,500 cash and the balance on mortgage—but was not occupied until April 1873. The building at No. 24 Clinton Place was not abandoned, however, until 1878.

In 1899, the Infant Asylum consolidated with the old Marion Street Maternity Hospital and the cash realized from the sale of the Marion Street property, some \$75,000, together with \$18,000 donated for the purpose, was used to build the first four stories of the present Hospital building.

The old Marion Street Maternity Hospital was incorporated in 1827, under the name of The New York Female Asylum for Lying-In Women. Its object was: "To furnish comfortable conditions and skilful attendance to respectable married women who require an asylum during the period of their confinement, and also to supply competent medical care to deserving married women at their homes under similar circumstances." At the time of its consolidation with the New York Infant Asylum, its Hospital was at No. 193 Second Avenue. Under the terms of the consolidation, one floor of the new building was and still is reserved to continue the ministrations of the Marion Street Hospital.

Under the consolidation, the work of the two corporations has been continued and enlarged. Roughly it can be classified as follows:

(1) A Lying-in Hospital;

(2) A Hospital for sick children;

(3) A Nursery and Home for foundlings and poor children;

(4) A Boarding-out Department. The foundling children are placed in suitable homes and their general welfare supervised by a system of visitors from the hospital;

(5) An Outside Obstetrical Department. Physicians connected with the staff are sent to the homes of those who apply for aid;

(6) The training of nursery maids, who, after a systematic course in the care of young children, are open to employment in private families.

The Hospital is not self-supporting. It has no endowment. Notwithstanding a small per capita payment by the City for the care of its public charges, it is dependent entirely upon the generosity of its friends for the continuance of its all-important work.

Details of the various activities of the Hospital have been given in a report made by the Superintendent and the heads of departments from which have been taken the following generous extracts.

Public Maternity Department.—During the past year, we have taken care of 119 patients on our Public Maternity Floor. The work of this department has fallen off considerably, owing to the Department of Charities not permitting us to accept any but emergency cases, that is to say the patients must be delivered within forty-eight hours after admission. The hospital has given over for the use of worthy women nine free beds. In these beds during the year we have taken care of 47 patients. We also have a Waiting Ward containing thirteen beds. Women are admitted to this ward several months before confinement.

We have a well equipped operating room in connection with this department.

Private Room Department.—We have a private floor consisting of seven single rooms and one double room and a private ward containing seven beds all for pay patients. These rooms and beds are in demand all the time. There is a well equipped nursery in connection with this floor that is used for the babies of the private patients. During the year we have taken care of 262 patients, and the work on this floor has

been growing rapidly. The patients are generally attended by their own physicians.

The private floor and public maternity are in charge of a graduate nurse. Her duties are to have general charge of these departments and to assign the pupil nurses to the different divisions. Three pupil nurses are assigned to the public maternity ward and three to the private floor. Instruction to pupil nurses on the care of patients is given weekly. A graduate nurse is also in charge of the operating room. She instructs the pupil nurses in the preparation of the patients for operations, also to make all dressings that are necessary. She is assisted in the operating room by a pupil nurse.

The public maternity department and the private floor are both in charge of graduate nurses at night, assisted by pupil nurses.

We have affiliations with the following hospitals, from whom we receive pupil nurses:

Laura Franklin, New York City.	St. Joseph's, Yonkers.
North Hudson, Weehawken.	St. Catherine's, Brooklyn.
Binghamton, Binghamton.	

Asylum Department.—The asylum consists of three wards. These wards are for the use of homeless mothers and their babies. At the present time we have 19 mothers and 19 babies. After delivery homeless mothers and their babies are admitted to the different wards of this department. The purpose of the asylum is to try and keep mother and babe together. The period for staying is indefinite depending largely upon the conduct of the mother. Some of the mothers have been with us for from two to three years. After the babies are three months old we pay each mother a small monthly wage, so that she may have a little money to start on when she leaves us.

To earn this all women admitted to this department have certain duties assigned to them. Some work in the laundry, some in the kitchen, some in the different pantries, and others do up the staff rooms, and wait on the tables in the different dining rooms. There is one woman assigned as ward's maid in each ward. Her duties are to look after the ward and attend to the needs of the different babies, while their mothers are busy in different parts of the house. Rounds are made daily by the doctor and nurse who look after the needs of the different ones. We have very little sickness among our mothers and babies.

The Outdoor Obstetrical Department is conducted for the purpose of assisting women who require the services of a doctor and nurse during confinement in their own homes but are not able to pay for attendance.

The doctors three in number are on call day and night for deliveries, and see the patients every day until discharged which is usually on the ninth or tenth day if the case is normal. If an abnormal one, the doctor attends the patient every day (sometimes two or three visits) until she is discharged, which at times is not until the fifteenth or sixteenth day as the case requires. During the school year the staff men are assisted by students from the College of Physicians and Surgeons, on 59th Street.

We have three graduate nurses in this department, the head nurse who has entire charge, one assistant nurse who makes most of the calls on white patients and when necessary is assisted by a pupil nurse, and a colored nurse from the Henry Street Settlement who attends to all colored cases. The nurse is provided with the necessary supplies for the proper care of the patients.

The nurses making tenement calls go to the home, the morning after delivery, and note the condition of the baby and its mother. They inquire into the nursing and whether or not artificial food has been given. Mothers are instructed as to the nursing of the child and impressed with the necessity of regularity in its care. Any deviation from the normal of either mother or baby receives attention by the nurse at the time, and is reported to the doctor who sees the patient if necessary. The nurse attends four days.

Every morning except holidays and Sundays between the hours of ten and twelve we have a Baby Clinic. The mothers bring their children for treatment. They are thoroughly examined by a doctor, and medicine given if necessary, or the child is admitted to the hospital. One woman came to inquire if her child could be vaccinated. The doctor told her "yes, bring the baby to-morrow morning." She came with four of her own children and one belonging to a neighbor. One month we had 400 calls from children for treatment at the clinic with an aggregate of over 3,000 calls for the year.

Every afternoon between two and four o'clock, excepting Sundays and holidays, applications for the out-door service are received. Each is given a thorough physical examination. Records of all points in the examination are kept, so that when the doctor is called for the case he may have a thorough knowledge of the patient and the condition to be met.

On Friday afternoon at three o'clock a gynecological clinic is held for women who have been delivered by the doctors from this institution. Also any mothers who may present themselves for treatment come under this class of cases. Too little advantage is taken of this on account of indifference on the part of some mothers and the fact that others do not know of the existence of the clinic. The attendance is slowly increasing and now averages from 12 to 16 each Friday. The doctor in charge is assisted by the Out-door staff when they are not out on call.

The amount of work necessary to make and sterilize dressings, supplies, etc., clean and sterilize instruments and other applicances is quite large and takes up no small portion of the time of the nurses in the clinic. Some of the work, of course, is done at odd times, while other parts of the work must be done on the minute. Anyone not thoroughly familiar with it cannot conceive how much time is actually required.

The children's wards have 113 cribs, divided among three wards and four rooms in the quarantine building. According to the requirements of the Department of Health, we have space sufficient for 183 cribs; so it cannot be said that we crowd our babies. Our usual number of babies varies from 55 to 65 daily, for while we receive patients daily we also send out an equal number, either cured to return to their homes or to be boarded out in private families, where they may have more home life than is possible to give in an institution. The little ones receive the best of medical attention, the best that we can give in actual nursing, feeding and attention to their physical well being, but in addition to that babies need loving and in the rush of hospital work we cannot give them as much of that as we wish we could and as they need. When they come to us dirty, poorly nourished and uncared for, we enthusiastically set to work to clean them up, feed them and get them ready to be placed in a good home where the work started in our wards will be carried on by a good foster-mother.

During the past three months we have been most fortunate in escaping contagion, whooping cough being the only contagious disease since July, and those are all new cases, that is, they did not belong to the boarding-out department. Our system is to have all suspicious, new cases isolated in the receiving ward on the fifth floor in the Quarantine Building until a positive diagnosis may be made, to admit them to that ward only, and keep the children there for fourteen days which is sufficient time for any infectious disease to develop. From that ward they are transferred to a ward, on the seventh floor, and then as time goes on

and the necessity arises, are placed in the remaining ward on the seventh floor. The intention is to keep all chances of infection from the seventh floor. It is only by eternal vigilance that contagion can be controlled in an institution containing any considerable number of children.

We feel that much of the good health of the children is due to the roof garden, for there has not been a day this summer that the babies have not spent some part of the day on the roof. The healthy glow on their cheeks, their eager, sharpened appetites and their restful nights more than compensate for the amount of extra work. During the hot weather they were brought down in the middle of the day, but the mornings were delightful, and there were very few days when it was necessary to bring them down before four o'clock. When brought down to the wards they receive shower baths, which refreshes and sends them to sleep as soon as placed in their beds. Now that the cooler weather has come the glass side has been put up and they revel in sun baths all day.

In giving our babies the care and attention they should receive another purpose is being accomplished, that is, the training of nursery maids. We have a class of thirty-five young women, taking the eight months' course of training for the intelligent care of a baby. One month of their course is spent in the diet kitchen where they learn the preparation and care of foods and formulæ, from the washing of the bottles to the preparation of the most complicated diets. They receive weekly class instruction, using Dr. Holt's and Dr. Kerley's textbooks, and in addition are instructed in the simple treatments that are required in any nursery. No attempt is made to produce trained nurses, but they are taught to keep the baby absolutely clean, warm, comfortable and fed regularly, promptly and as directed; to keep the nursery in order, properly ventilated and to be themselves neat, conscientious and intelligent.

The fact that we receive an average of four calls a day for trained nursery maids to fill positions in private families, proves how great is the demand for them, and the demand will far exceed the supply for a long time to come, for not only are they sent for in and near New York but there have been calls from New Orleans, Michigan, Massachusetts, Washington, D. C. and even Nevada. The number of young women desiring to take up the training is also increasing, for we have a waiting list of thirty-five, beside having turned away a number who did not have the appearance of being desirable. With so many applications, we are able to choose the most promising material.

That the children's department is an expensive one is conceded for the reason that they have the best milk, the best medicine, the best cereals, fruit juices and food preparations, and a diet kitchen most modernly equipped to give them the best service. But surely our low mortality percentage and the general healthy, happy condition of our babies and young children amply repay all the work, worry and financial outlay.

The object of the Boarding-out Department is to provide normal family life for infants and children who are deprived of parental care through poverty or misfortune and who do not need hospital treatment. However good institutional care may be, a child so cared for is in an abnormal environment and sadly misses the mothering and individual attention which authorities agree is necessary to both its physical and mental development.

The children committed to this institution by the Department of Charities are admitted first to the hospital wards in order that they may have a thorough physical examination and receive treatment for any condition requiring hospital care. As soon as the doctor declares them ready for discharge from the wards, the Boarding-Out Department finds homes for them suited to their various needs.

The homes are carefully selected. In order to file an application to board children a woman must have secured a permit from the Board of Health to the effect that the home has been investigated by a physician of the Board of Health and found to be suitable for boarding a child, and the woman a fit person to care for children. On the application blanks, she is required to answer questions concerning her family, income, rent paid, motive in applying for children, etc., and to give as references the names of three people whom she has known for not less than a year. The home is then visited by a member of the Boarding-Out Department and investigated as to its hygienic conditions and desirability as a boarding home. If all is found satisfactory a child is given to her.

When the census was taken in May 1913, we had 446 children in 225 boarding homes. Of these there were 104 homes containing 1 child each, 78 containing two children, 27 containing three, 19 containing four, 3 containing five and 2 containing seven. There are now 484 children in 233 homes.

Where four or more children are together as well as in many of the homes containing fewer, there are several adults to care for the children

Both of the homes where seven are boarded are in the country. One of these women has cared for children from this hospital for 12 years. In the other home, the children are under the care of a mother and daughter who give all their time to them. This woman always asks to be given a delicate baby and she and her daughter do wonders with the marasmic infants entrusted to them.

Some of our foster mothers who can afford it have taken our children to the mountains, country or sea shore for from one to four months this summer. The children who have remained in the city during the summer have been taken on day trips to the beaches and go to the nearest park every day that the weather permits. Some are quite as brown as if they had been in the country. Through the generosity of Miss Millicent Eady, a philanthropic woman greatly interested in the welfare of children, nine of the Boarding-Out children have had the benefit of four months at her country place at Iona Island. The house, beautifully situated on the side of a hill overlooking a wooded valley, is most artistically planned, after an old fashioned model, and built for comfort, convenience and to shut out as little of the out-doors and fresh air as possible. Miss Florence Van Brunt who kept house and had charge of the children during the summer, thoroughly understands the care of children and knows how to keep them happy and contented as well as healthy. They gained steadily, especially in the last month. Miss Van Brunt was assisted in the care of the children by Theresa, one of the hospital nursery maids, who took most excellent and faithful care of the children.

One of the most interesting phases of the Boarding-Out work is the care of the tiny infants by Italian wet-nurses. The Italian women are very fond of children and take excellent care of them. Their homes are investigated by the Board of Health and the Gerry Society and are supervised by nurses from those organizations as well as by the Boarding-Out nurses. Three mornings a week in the summer time, one of the boarding-out nurses sees that the nursing babies in the Italian district are taken to the Recreation Pier and spend the morning where they will be sure of cool fresh air. The babies are not left in Italian homes after they are old enough to be weaned.

There are four visiting nurses in the Boarding-Out Department, all graduates of recognized hospitals, some with post-graduate experience in children's hospitals. From 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. they are out on their districts visiting and supervising the boarding homes. The nurse with

the smallest district remains in the hospital in the afternoon to assist in sending out and admitting children, to give out clothing, etc. The number of children visited in one day by the four nurses is usually between 50 and 60. As the boarding homes extend from Plainfield, N. J. to Mt. Vernon, N. Y., Staten Island and Roosevelt, L. I., the nurses have large districts to cover. The nursing babies are visited twice a week in winter, oftener in summer, the bottle babies once a week and the older children three times a month. When necessary the children receive more frequent visits. A written account of each visit is made and kept on file.

If a child is not improving or has some slight ailment it is brought in to the hospital for examination and returned to the foster mother with instructions for treatment. If ill it is usually brought into the hospital to stay until the acute stage is over and convalescence begun. Many of the foster mothers are capable of caring for acute illness in their own homes, and nurse the children through measles, whooping cough, mumps, bronchitis, and even pneumonia and scarlet fever. Of course this is done under the supervision of the nurse and an outside doctor. Since August first the only case of contagious illness among the 484 boarding-out children has been one case of whooping cough.

To clothe these four hundred and eighty-four children is a great undertaking. We aim to have their clothes attractive and durable with as little expense as possible. A good quality of cotton and cotton flannel is bought of which the greater part of the children's clothing is made. These materials at wholesale run from $5\frac{1}{2}$ to 9 cents a yard, and no more expensive goods is bought. Due to the great and continued kindness of the Employment Society of the Church of the Incarnation, of which Mrs. Gherardi Davis is president, nearly all the clothing for the children of three years and under is made for us without any expense to the hospital except for the cost of materials. Every week a most welcome and needed bag of nicely made baby dresses, children's rompers, night dresses, etc. comes to the Hospital. The woven underwear, hosiery, coats, caps, hats, boys' trousers and dresses for the older girls, mittens, etc., are bought ready-made at wholesale. A record is kept of each article of clothing given out so that at any time we can see exactly what a certain child has been given and thus guard against extravagance or duplication.

We are often asked what becomes of the children when they pass from our care. Many are returned to their parents, who have reached a position in which to provide for them. When the others are from

five to seven years, they are transferred to other institutions, the Jewish children going to the various Hebrew institutions and the Protestants to the Home for the Friendless. Our little foundlings and deserted children who have no one to claim them are found permanent homes through the agency of the State Charities Aid Association. It is interesting to follow one of our foundlings from its Italian nursing home to its foster home and finally to the permanent adoption home where it will be given every advantage in life.

Report of the President.



Y LAST annual report stated "that we can expect a decision from the Municipal authorities regarding the long continued controversy relative to our rights in the Lexington Avenue property, and that this decision will be favorable to our claim." The forecast has been fulfilled. On January 29, 1913, the Sinking Fund Commission of the City of New York passed a resolution providing for the joint sale of all the property owned by the city of New York and leased to the New York Nursery & Child's Hospital, and of the property owned by the hospital at Lexington Avenue and 51st Street.

On February 13, a meeting of the Board of Directors—called after due notice, was held, there being present 18 directors out of a total of 29—accepted the terms and conditions of the Sinking Fund Commission, and gave authority to the officers to enter into an agreement with the City of New York for the sale of the property. It took place through the mutual understanding between our attorney Mr. Edwin M. Grout and the Municipal authorities on March 12, 1913, the net cash result coming therefrom to this corporation being \$248,594.91. This was \$76,594.91 above our book value. The corporation is to be congratulated on the financial result. The records of the hospital show that there were many years given to the problem and to the difficulties of its solution.

However great the economic advantage, the fact that we have parted with a property around which clustered so many feelings of sentiment should never be forgotten. Since the day in June 1857 when the corner stone was laid in Lexington Avenue—since the time when Mrs. Cornelia Dubois began the charitable work at that locality—down through the conscientious endeavor of all the managers to that of the last chairman of the House Committee—Mrs. Sullivan—the Nursery & Child's Hospital will ever remain an example to us of charity well bestowed by the women of New York.

I would respectfully draw your attention to the Treasurer's report, showing as it does, that our finances are already in much better condition although the full effect of combining our efforts in one building could not show results during the short time between April 20th and

September 30th. The Building Fund has been transferred, as recommended in the last report.

The reports from various Committees are deserving of your special attention, and I deem it wise to supplement that of the Chairman of the 61st House Committee with the detailed reports from the various departments. They are instructive and show that we have an intelligent and competent staff. We have to thank once more the assistance received from certain associations directly connected with our work; and especially worthy of recognition is the labor incident to the charity ball so well performed by all associated therewith.

In expressing my appreciation of the help received from all the officers of the institution, I know that you will join with me in deep regret that Mr. W. Emlen Roosevelt finds it necessary to resign from the Board which, for so many years, has received his excellent advice and constant attention.

I would respectfully draw your attention to the necessity of certain alterations in the By-laws, and to the necessary changes in some of the standing committees.

Respectfully,
JACOB W. MILLER,
President.

Report of the Executive Committee.

TO THE PRESIDENT AND THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS:



THE closing of the building of the Nursery & Child's Hospital and the removal and sale of the furniture following the sale of the property occupied the attention of the Executive Committee during the winter months. A Sub-Committee consisting of Mrs. Sullivan and Mrs. Day had the immediate supervision of this work, including proper provisions for old employees. Those unfamiliar with the mass of detail involved can have no conception of the debt of gratitude that the Corporation owes Mrs. Sullivan and Mrs. Day for their careful direction.

Concentration at the 61st Street Branch has been of great economic value and the work there is well organized. The Committee has recently authorized the consolidation of the laundry and the linen room into a separate department under a responsible manager. Other important changes during the year which have been ordered and supervised by the Executive Committee, were the installing of new baths for the children on the seventh floor, and the establishment of a new diet kitchen.

Respectfully submitted,

E. L. PARTRIDGE,

Chairman.

Report of the Treasurer.

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

I submit herewith my report for the fiscal year from October 1, 1912 to September 30, 1913, with tables compiled from the books of the corporation showing

- (1) Cash receipts and disbursements.
- (2) Comparative balance sheets with schedules of real estate, bonds and mortgages, and stocks and bonds, annexed.
- (3) Tables of revenue and expenses, including analysis of expenses, analysis of cost of food per day for each person fed at the 61st Street Branch of the institution, amounts charged to the City of New York and County of Westchester for care and support of inmates.

The stocks and bonds belonging to the corporation have been revalued as of September 30, 1913, at their respective prices on the New York Stock Exchange as nearly as it was possible to ascertain them, and capital account debited and credited accordingly. The bonds and mortgages are taken at their face value. The book value of the Staten Island property has been diminished by the amount of cash received from the sale of buildings. The book value of the 61st Street land and buildings has been written down by the amount of \$100,000 to cover depreciation since construction. The Lexington Avenue leasehold and buildings, the 50th Street land and buildings, the 51st Street land and buildings, and the 50th and 51st Street gores which were enumerated in the last report were sold during the year at a net advance over their former book value of \$76,594.91. The real property received from the Linsly Estate in which the corporation has an undivided interest has been sold during the year and the proceeds credited to Legacies Account. The corporation still has an interest in the undivided residuary fund of this estate consisting entirely of personal property which it is expected will considerably exceed the amount at which the same is now carried on the books of the corporation, viz.; \$8,083.34, although the exact amount is not as yet ascertained. The litigation with the heirs of Mrs. Linsly has been settled during the year by the payment of \$10,000 by this corporation, which amount was advanced by the executors for that purpose, and it is expected that the executors of the estate will shortly file their accounts and turn over the balance of the personal property

now remaining in their hands. Legacies and donations have been credited to income. No expenses were capitalized during the year, no money has been borrowed, and no indebtedness incurred except for current expenses. The operating loss amounting to \$30,246.70 was written off the capital account after the close of the year.

On July 31, 1913, \$25,000 New York New Haven & Hartford gold debenture 6% bonds if when and as issued, were purchased by the corporation at 105 and interest which have not as yet been delivered or paid for.

The Treasurer's accounts have been audited by Messrs. Cole and Swazey, Bank Examiners and Auditors, 170 Broadway, New York City, and their report made to the Finance and Auditing Committee agrees with the figures given herein.

Respectfully submitted,

G. MORGAN BROWNE,

Treasurer.

Table I

Receipts and Disbursements of Cash.

From Cash Book from October 1, 1912
to September 30, 1913

Cash on hand and in bank October 1, 1912..... \$8,063.77

RECEIPTS

Lexington Avenue Real Estate.....	\$265,421.70	
City of New York.....	76,467.51	
Morris Marans Mortgage, proceeds of sale to Bull & Baker, Trustees.....	40,000.00	
Fulton Trust Company of New York, certificate of deposit.....	20,000.00	
Charity Ball.....	16,432.08	
Pay Patients, 61st Street.....	14,844.39	
Interest and Dividends.....	13,838.90	
Linsly Real Estate & Residuary Estate, check on account.....	10,000.00	
Pay Patients, Lexington Avenue.....	4,963.25	
Donations.....	3,973.26	
Legacies.....	3,610.10	
Hospital Saturday and Sunday Association.....	2,434.89	
Interest Purchased.....	1,667.36	
Florence Cahen, Mortgage on account Principal.....	1,500.00	
Rents Receivable.....	1,499.94	
Miscellaneous Revenue.....	1,315.90	
Roof Shelter and Diet Kitchen Donations.....	750.00	
Lexington Avenue House Expenses Refund.....	297.85	
Annual Dues.....	290.00	
Julia A. Hunt, Supt. Petty Cash Returned.....	275.00	
Westchester County.....	239.36	
61st Street House Expenses Refund.....	164.10	
Lucy H. Calhoun, Supt. Petty Cash Returned.....	50.00	
Staten Island Place.....	15.00	
Insurance Collected, 61st Street.....	10.90	
Roof Shelter Donations, 61st Street.....	10.00	
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Pfd. Sale of Rights.....	7.87	
General Expense, Refund from Farmers Loan & Trust Co.....	2.96	
Union Pacific R. R. Co. Sale of Rights.....	2.15	
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Common Sale of Rights.....	1.26	
	480,085.73	
	\$488,149.50	

DISBURSEMENTS

Bonds Purchased.....	\$222,061.88	
Accounts Payable.....	175,371.06	
Fulton Trust Company of New York Certificate of Deposit.....	20,000.00	
Lexington Avenue Real Estate.....	16,751.79	
Loretta L. Linsly or Walter L. Pate, Attorney.....	10,000.00	
Interest Purchased.....	2,203.56	
Lucy H. Calhoun, Supt. Cash Advance.....	50.00	
	\$446,438.29	

CASH ON HAND SEPTEMBER 30, 1913

The Fulton Trust Company.....	\$37,670.81	
The Fifth Avenue Bank.....	3,398.92	
The Corn Exchange Bank.....	396.25	
The New York Life Insurance & Trust Co.....	245.23	
	41,711.21	
	\$488,149.50	

Table II.

Balance Sheet, October 1, 1912

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
PERMANENT ASSETS		PERMANENT LIABILITIES	
Real Estate, Schedule "A"....	\$491,772.10	Capital.....	\$783,772.35
Bonds and Mortgages, Schedule "B".....	233,500.00	Endowed Beds.....	12,500.00
Stocks and Bonds, Schedule "C".....	25,189.38	Mortgage Payable (Greenlawn, L. I.).....	3,000.00
W. L. Bull & S. Baker, Trustees Building Fund.....	42,904.61	CURRENT LIABILITIES	
Furniture Fixtures and Utensils, 61st St.....	483.89	Accounts Payable.....	15,663.35
		Legacies Suspense Account....	1,000.00
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash.....	8,063.77		
City of New York.....	13,559.07		
Westchester County.....	87.88		
Julia A. Hunt, Supt.....	275.00		
Lucy H. Calhoun, Supt.....	100.00		
	\$815,935.70		\$815,935.70

Balance Sheet, October 1, 1913

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
PERMANENT ASSETS		PERMANENT LIABILITIES	
Real Estate, Schedule "A"....	\$218,757.10	Capital.....	\$783,772.35
Bonds and Mortgages, Schedule "B".....	192,250.00	Addition to Capital.....	2,303.55
Stocks and Bonds, Schedule "C".....	247,513.63	Net Depreciation on Securities....	273.65
Stephen Baker, Trustee Building Fund.....	\$42,904.61		\$786,349.55
Int. Compounded.....	2,303.55	Net Depreciation on Real Estate .	23,405.09
	45,208.16	Depreciation on Furniture and Fixtures.....	483.89
	\$703,728.89	Operating Loss....	30,246.70
			54,135.68
CURRENT ASSETS			\$732,213.87
Cash.....	\$41,711.21	Endowed Beds.....	12,500.00
City of New York.....	12,441.48	Mortgages Payable.....	3,000.00
Westchester County.....	78.80		\$747,713.87
Nassau County.....	9.45	CURRENT LIABILITIES	
Interest on Bonds Purchased		Accounts Payable..	\$10,892.16
Accrued not due.....	536.20	Legacies Suspense Account.....	8,083.34
Lucy H. Calhoun, Supt.....	100.00		
Linsly Residuary Estate.....	8,083.34		
	\$766,689.37		\$18,975.50
			\$766,689.37

Table III.

Statement of Revenue and Expenses From October 1, 1912, to September 30, 1913

REVENUE

City Charges, 61st Street.....	\$72,640.65	
City Charges, Lexington Avenue.....	2,709.27	
County Charges.....	239.73	
		\$75,589.65
Pay Patients, 61st Street.....	\$14,844.39	
Pay Patients, Lexington Avenue.....	4,963.25	
Miscellaneous Revenue.....	1,315.90	
		21,123.54
Legacies.....	\$3,610.10	
Charity Ball.....	16,432.08	
Hospital Saturday and Sunday Association.....	2,434.89	
Donations.....	3,968.26	
Interest and Dividends.....	14,088.90	
Rents Receivable.....	1,499.94	
Roof Shelter and Diet Kitchen Donations.....	750.00	
Roof Shelter Donations.....	10.00	
Annual Dues.....	295.00	
Insurance Collected.....	10.90	
		\$43,100.07
		\$139,813.26
Operating Loss.....		30,246.70
		\$170,059.96

EXPENSES

61st Street House Expenses.....	\$138,506.90	
Lexington Avenue House Expenses.....	28,747.78	
General Expenses.....	2,805.28	
		\$170,059.96

Report of the Auditing Committee.

TO THE PRESIDENT AND THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

The Committee of Finance and Auditing of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital has the honor to report that it has examined, with Mr. G. Morgan Browne, Treasurer, and Mr. Swazey, Public Accountant, the negotiable stocks and bonds, and finds the whole amount as listed in the treasurer's report. These securities are in the private box of the New York Nursery & Child's Hospital in the United States Safe Deposit Company, and are accessible only to two members of this committee.

The bonds and mortgages listed in the treasurer's report, and in his custody, are secured upon real estate. They are properly recorded and assigned to the New York Nursery & Child's Hospital.

The mortgage sold to Mr. Stephen Baker, Trustee of the Permanent and Building Fund, was paid, and Mr. Baker, Trustee, now holds on deposit in the Metropolitan Trust Company and the Bankers Trust Company \$45,580.38.

The interest on all the real estate mortgages has been promptly paid except upon one mortgage for \$10,000.00 which is about to be foreclosed.

Your committee congratulates the Corporation upon the happy completion of the sale of the 51st Street property, the gross proceeds of which was \$265,421.70 and net \$248,594.91 has been invested in negotiable bonds and mortgages upon railroad property and the detailed items appear in the treasurer's report.

Very respectfully yours,

Wm. W. HEATON,

Chairman, Finance and Auditing Committee.

Report of the House Committee.

Lexington Avenue Branch

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:



AFTER many years of effort to get the City of New York to unite with this Institution in the sale of its Lexington Avenue land and buildings—part of the buildings being erected upon land leased from the City—that desirable end was accomplished and the sale was made in March, 1913, netting the Consolidated Institution the welcome and much needed capital sum of \$248,594.91.

The sale of these buildings caused the first break in its beautiful work of furnishing a Home and uplifting influence for children and mothers, which had been carried on for nearly sixty years from the time when this Institution was founded by Mrs. Cornelius Du Bois and a few other able and philanthropic women of New York City, and was the pioneer of all those Children's Hospitals and Homes which now bless our land.

During that long period in a service where one of the chief characteristics was the personal relationship established between the women of the Directorate, the Superintendent and assistants in charge and the children and mothers in residence there—a relation which the Home attributes permitted and encouraged—traditions, cordial and tender associations grew and strengthened attaching themselves not only to the older employees but also to the Buildings—the special aspect of the rooms and their details—and tender memories of the united efforts of old friends no longer with us, in quiet ways permeated the place.

It was therefore no mere business burden to break up the old Home, discharging the inmates to the other places, parting with the children now going to homes outside the Institution, finding comfortable places for employees grown too old in faithful service to us to learn new ways of work amid new surroundings, but it was also a burden upon the spirits of those who, as Directors or employees had the work of disbandment in charge.

This situation, which aroused these deep sentiments, reminded us that it was such sentiments that enabled us to carry out so much of that beneficent and character forming work which can come only from

sympathy. In pursuance of this breaking up this branch discharged its last patient on April 20, 1913.

Previous to that time the work of the Hospital was carried on as usual. The health of the house had been excellent, and the children's wards were filled to their capacity. The Kindergarten was continued under the management of Miss Wallace, who had been the efficient principal since its establishment in the Hospital. Our thanks are due to The New York Kindergarten Association for maintaining this good work, which has been of inestimable benefit to the little children under its care and a great factor in their physical and mental development.

We owe also a debt of gratitude to our Chaplain, the Rev. Mr. Roosevelt, for his unfailing interest in the spiritual welfare of our inmates. Through the generosity of Mrs. Berwind and Mrs. Kingsland, the classes in cooking and kindergarten games for the nursery maids were continued until the Hospital closed.

We celebrated Thanksgiving and Christmas in the usual way and both festivals were greatly enjoyed by everyone. Two musical entertainments were given, one by Dr. McLeish and Mr. Embs, and the other by Mrs. Brommell and her friends.

All of the equipment of the house including surgical appliances, medicine, furniture of every description which could be used in the 61st Street Branch was transferred to it.

This, and the sale of the remaining equipment, furnishings and fittings, when added to the work of discharging the inmates and gradually terminating the work made a very laborious occupation for the House Committee and much more laborious for the Superintendent, Miss Hunt and her Assistant and Secretary, Miss Dixon, who continued to give to us in these taxing conditions the faithful and efficient service rendered by them for so many years.

The Superintendent in writing about the Institution and referring to the general feeling prevalent among our old employees says:

"Although its work is closed forever, the Nursery & Child's Hospital will live long in the hearts of those who have received its aid in times of trouble, and many will remember happy days of childhood spent under its roof."

Trusting that the future of our Institution may be even more full than our past of records and memories of beneficent services well performed. I am, Yours respectfully,

MARY MILDRED SULLIVAN,

Chairman, House Committee, Lexington Avenue Branch.

Report of the House Committee.

61st Street Branch

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:



THE 61st Street House Committee was appointed by the president on December 11, 1912, and since that date nine regular monthly meetings have been held at the Hospital. It was voted in May to discontinue the meetings during June, July, August and September. With the exception of the summer months, weekly visitors have been appointed from the Committee whose duty it is to visit the Hospital in all its departments and then to write a report of the week's investigation in the Visitor's Book to be read at the next regular meeting.

The Christmas Celebration this year lasted for three days as it would have been impossible to have all the women and children on one day without dangerous crowding. The decorated tree stood in one of the wards and the presents were distributed from it to the children and women of the various departments. The following is a list of those who received presents:

- 500 Children of the Boarding-Out Department.
- 300 Children of the Out-Door Department.
- 100 Children in the House.
- 40 Women Inmates.
- 10 Scrub Women.
- 20 Nurses.
- 12 Men.

Total 982

Miss Calhoun bought the few presents and the many, many toys, with the money which she received in answer to an appeal which she sent out shortly before Christmas her receipts amounting to about \$567.50.

The Lenten Sewing Class of the 61st Street Branch held six meetings and made 477 articles. The receipts amounted to \$265.00 and the disbursements to \$145.63. Mrs. George A. Lung resigned as Treasurer during the month of July and sent her accounts and bank book to me. I had the bank account transferred to my name temporarily until a new treasurer is appointed. The balance in the Fulton Trust Company is \$313.58, at the present time. Many other garments have been very

generously donated and made by the Employment Society of the Church of the Incarnation and Calvary Parish House.

Fifty-three Easter plants were distributed and seemed to be very much appreciated. The money was all donated by different members of the House Committee. One of the members donated toys for all the children in the Quarantine Building.

Mrs. Witherbee received several donations for the Summer Roof Fund with which she filled the boxes on the roof with flowers, trimmed and cut the bushes and resodded the ground in the yard.

At the regular meeting in April it was arranged that three of the ladies present were to select such furniture and general equipment at the Lexington Avenue Branch as could be used at the 61st Street Hospital. This was done and in all twenty-five van loads were removed from one house to the other at \$7.00 per load. This made the moving cost \$175.00 with an additional cost of \$21.50 for packing, excelsior, etc. making a total cost of \$196.50. A list of the articles removed from the Lexington Avenue Branch can be found in the minute Book of the 61st Street House Committee, all of which have been put into immediate use, and have helped to equip the Hospital more fully than before. In July Dr. Kerley complained of the lack of supervision in the laundry and linen departments. After careful investigation it has been decided to reorganize and put the same in charge of a competent woman who will be responsible for the linen sent to and returned from the wards.

Full reports of the work done by the departments have been written by the following heads of departments: Miss Calhoun, Superintendent, Miss Ebert, Head-Nurse of Outdoor Obstetrical Department, Miss Lee, Head-Nurse of the Children's Wards, and Principal of the Training School for Nursery Maids, Miss Holmes, Head-Nurse of the Boarding-Out Department. In the last report is included the report on the summer's work at Iona Island.

The private rooms and ward on the third floor have been filled with patients during the past year and at the present time there is a waiting list. The price of a private room ranges from \$25 to \$35 per week for one person with an additional charge of \$5 for the use of the operating room, and \$25 when attended by the Hospital Staff. The price of a private room with two beds is \$15 per week for one person with the same additional charges. The price of the private ward which contains seven beds is \$10 a week for one person with the same additional charges. Most of

these patients however are attended by their own physicians. The following is a statement of the amounts received from the Private Floor and a census of the population from January 1, 1913 to November 1, 1913:

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June
Women.....	42	45	49	56	52	48
Children.....	94	104	101	97	118	97
Boarding-Out Department.....	456	488	491	484	456	470
Amount Received from Private Floor.	\$755	\$878	\$1,132	\$1,132	\$1,112	\$963

	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.
Women.....	45	48	41	44	48
Children.....	82	105	82	99	83
Boarding-Out Department.....	475	492	491	484	487
Amount Received from Private Floor.	\$1,151	\$1,139.50	\$1,214.75	\$1,187	\$1,224

Respectfully submitted,

BERTHA LA BAU BROWNE,
Chairman of the 61st Street House Committee.

Report of the Charity Ball Committee.

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:



THE Charity Ball of January 30th, 1913, was equal in success to any of its predecessors. The Annual Reports of the Ball necessarily show some similarity as its history during the past twenty-five years can contain no startling feature because, though the development of the Ball during that period has been great, it has been gradual.

The financial outcome of the Ball of 1913 was beyond expectation, the net return being over sixteen thousand dollars.

One of the important features of the Ball is the activity of the men on the Floor Committee, both before the Ball and at the Ball, and this Committee believes that their activity has much to do with its Social popularity. They have introduced into the Opening March many new features that add to the impressiveness and dignity of the occasion. As the Floor Committee and the Charity Ball Society in a body marched by the Managers on their way to the Ball Room, every one was impressed by their fine personnel.

Among the ten ladies who were associated with me on this Income Producing Committee and who devoted much time to it I must express great thanks and appreciation to Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee for her work as Treasurer; to Mrs. Henry Clay Adams for her work as Secretary, involving the arduous work of obtaining the Patrons and attending to the printing; to Mrs. Charles F. Roe who made such satisfactory sales of the Boxes.

Besides the work of Mr. Sullivan, Chairman of the Floor Committee we appreciate and express our thanks for the work of his able and interested Vice-Chairmen, Mr. Frederick S. Woodruff, Col. Arthur F. Schermerhorn and Mr. James Clark McGuire.

I am, Faithfully yours,

MARY MILDRED SULLIVAN,
Chairman of Charity Ball Committee.

Report of the Charity Ball Society.

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:



IN the Fall of 1909 this Society was organized from a number of young men who were interested in the Ball but who were too numerous to place upon the Floor Committee.

The officers of the Society keep the members—now about 425 men—informed of the date and other matters relating to the Ball and ask them to keep their friends informed.

New York is now so full of social attractions that unless some people take enough interest in an event to devote personal time to reminding others, it is forgotten.

The members of the very efficient committees for the Ball of 1913 were:

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

GEORGE H. SULLIVAN, *Chairman*
DANIEL C. ADAMS, *Second Chairman*
MARCEL STEINBRUGGE, *Secretary*
STOWE PHELPS
WHITNEY MORRILL
THERON A. STRONG
W. HALSTEAD VANDER POEL

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

WM. R. MALONEY, *Chairman*
WM. B. BOULTON, JR., *Secretary*
C. DOUGLAS GREEN, *Treasurer*
WM. HERBERT ADAMS
GEORGE W. CARPENTER
NICHOLAS DANFORTH
DOUGLAS GIBBONS
SIDNEY P. HENSHAW
SHELTON E. MARTIN
LEONARD SULLIVAN

I am, Respectfully yours,

GEORGE H. SULLIVAN,
President, Charity Ball Society
Chairman of Floor Committee
Chairman of Music Committee

Saint Christopher League.

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:



HIS little body of about forty young men and women are organized for the double purpose or mixed purposes of Charity work and Social pleasure. This combination of interests works exceedingly well under their excellent management.

They still maintained the series of four dances and the experience and reputation of the preceding years enabled them to gather together a most attractive set of young women and young men who, though not in the League, materially assist it in the management and financial results of the Annual Play which they give in order to obtain the money which they contribute to this Institution.

That amount has been \$600 annually for several years.

The work of preparation of the Play, the rehearsing and all business matters was excellently done, and the Play most attractively rendered.

The present Officers and Members of the League are:

President

MISS ELEANOR DUBOIS

Vice-President

MISS LENA CURTIS

Secretary

MISS ELINOR LAPHAM

Treasurer

MR. ALVAN W. PERRY

Members

MISS ISABEL T. BAIRD
MISS ELEANOR BARTLETT
MISS LENA R. CURTIS
MISS MILDRED CURTIS
MISS CHARLOTTE CHALMERS
MISS HELEN DURKEE
MISS ELEANOR DUBOIS
MISS KATHARINE DUBOIS

MISS ANNE DORMAN
MISS DOROTHY FOX
MISS ALICE GUERNSEY
MRS. E. KIRK HASKELL
MISS ELINOR LAPHAM
MISS ELLA MARIAN LINDLEY
MISS PRISCILLA LOCKWOOD
MISS ELEANOR LOCKWOOD

Members

MISS ANNABEL MAYO-SMITH
MISS FLORENCE ROGERS
MISS GRACE ROGERS
MISS MARIAN SWIFT
MISS ELIZABETH TAYLOR
MISS DOROTHY TAYLOR

MISS LISA TODD
MISS CLOVER TODD
MISS KATHARINE THAW
MISS MARIE LOUISE VIETOR
MISS MARIAN WHITMAN
MISS MARJORIE P. WOODFORD

MISS DOROTHY P. WOODFORD

MR. PAUL WELLINGTON ALEXANDER
MR. WILLIAM S. ALLEN
MR. HENRY B. ALLEN
MR. W. EDGAR BAKER, JR.
MR. OLIVER B. CAPEN
MR. CHARLES L. COLE
MR. HAROLD S. DEMING
MR. N. HILLYER EGGLESTON
MR. KARL T. FREDERICK
MR. DWIGHT FRANKLIN
MR. DAVID GOODNOW
MR. E. KIRK HASKELL
MR. ARTHUR STEDMAN HILLS
MR. JOHN I. KANE

MR. B. MEREDITH LANGSTAFF
MR. ALLAN LEFFERTS
MR. ROBERT MCC. MARSH
MR. EDMUND W. PEASLEE, JR.
MR. ALVAN WILLISTON PERRY
MR. JOHN F. RUSSEL, JR.
MR. ARTHUR RUHL
MR. FERDINAND SANFORD
MR. GEORGE H. SULLIVAN
MR. HENRY PEMBERTON STURGES
MR. HERVEY STUDDIFORD
MR. JOHN M. P. THATCHER
MR. FREDERICK A. VIETOR
MR. PAUL WELLES

MR. WILLIAM H. ZINSSER

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE H. SULLIVAN,

*Member of the League and Representative therein of
the New York Nursery and Childs' Hospital.*

Report of the Medical Board.

For the Year Ending September 30, 1913

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:



THE enclosed statistical report shows but few cases in the Lexington Avenue house owing to the fact that the house was closed last spring and the service became very light prior to its closing.

The work of the Pediatric Department of the Hospital has been much improved during the past year. The training-school for nursery maids is being well conducted, while the service has been improved by the establishment of an admittance ward on the fifth floor; by the installation of a new apparatus for washing babies on the seventh floor; by the installation of a new operating room, equipped largely with apparatus from the operating room at the Lexington Avenue house; by a new diet kitchen which is well equipped with everything desirable for practical work; and by a roof enclosure with adjoining changing room which is available for use both in summer and in winter.

All of these improvements increase the usefulness of the institution and make it more sought after by desirable internes.

The Medical Board wish to thank the Board of Managers for their hearty cooperation in securing such improvements as they felt were desirable for the institution.

Very truly yours,

ROWLAND G. FREEMAN,
Secretary of the Medical Board.

Medical Report, 61st Street Branch.

October 1st, 1912 to October 1, 1913

Indoors, 61st Street House

Women awaiting confinement October 1st, 1912.....	5
Women delivered remaining October 1st, 1912.....	42
Women admitted for confinement to October 1st, 1913.....	356
Delivered women admitted.....	23
Number of confinements to October 1st, 1913.....	354
Hospital cases.....	81

Discharged, 61st Street House

Women undelivered.....	9
Women delivered.....	358
Hospital cases.....	75
Deaths, women.....	4
Deaths, babies.....	23
Still births.....	20

Operations—Genecological

Appendectomy.....	4
Myomectomy and appendectomy..	2
Secondary Perineorrhaphy external shortening of ligaments.....	1

Operations—Genecological—Cont'd.

Salpingo-Oophorectomy and appendectomy.....	1
Dilatation and curettage Trachelorrhaphy and secondary perineorrhaphy	1
Removal of Ovarion Cyst.....	1
Dilatation, curettage and secondary perineorrhaphy.....	1
Salpingectomy and ventral suspension of uterus.....	1
Hysterectomy.....	3
Dilatation, curettage and removal of hemorrhoids.....	1
Trachelorrhaphy, perineorrhaphy, double salpingoophrectomy.....	1
Carcinoma of Uterus (Hysterectomy).	1
Secondary perineorrhaphy.....	4
Curettage, Trachelorrhaphy, Perineorrhaphy, Suspension and Appendectomy.....	1
Hemorrhoidectomy.....	1
Dilatation, curettage, colæporrhaphy and ventral fixation of uterus.....	1
Children:	
Mastoid, Radical operation.....	2
Adenoidectomy and Tonsillectomy.	7
Inguinal Hernia (Radical Cure)....	1

Obstetrical Operations

	61st Street House		Lexington Ave. House	
	Indoor	Outdoor	Indoor	Total
Caesarean Section.....	3	0	0	3
High Forceps.....	4	1	1	6
Medium Forceps.....	17	7	1	25
Low Forceps.....	9	4	0	13
Versions.....	6	3	1	10
Curettages.....	22	4		26

Obstetrical Complications

Twins.....	7	7	1	15
Breech.....	17	27	3	47
Eclampsia.....	0	1	0	1
Placenta Previa.....	2	1	1	4
Accidental Hemorrhage.....	0	1	0	1
Prolapse of Hand.....	2	1	3	6
Prolapse of Cord.....	2	2	0	4
Nephritic Toxemia.....	1	1	0	2
Post Partum Hemorrhage.....	1	2	0	3
Transverse Presentation.....	0	3	0	3
Pernicious Vomiting.....	0	0	1	1

Medical Diseases in Children's Service

<i>Disease</i>	61st Street		Lexington Ave.	
	<i>No. Cases</i>	<i>Deaths</i>	<i>No. Cases</i>	<i>Deaths</i>
Diseases of New Born.....	23	22	2	2
Diseases of Nutrition.....	143	24	0	0
Infectious Diseases.....	80	17	1	0
Diseases of Respiratory System.....	459	26	40	3
Diseases of Digestive System.....	298	37	20	1
Diseases of Circulatory System.....	22	3	0	1
Diseases of the Nervous System.....	9	4	1	2
Diseases of Genito-Urinary System.....	103	4	5	0
Diseases of Skin.....	261	0	37	0
Diseases of Eye.....	83	1	10	0
Diseases of Ear.....	183	2	15	0
Diseases of Lymph Nodes.....	199	1	7	0
Contagious Diseases.....	60	2	0	0
Congenital Deformity.....	24	4	0	0
Miscellaneous Diseases and Conditions.....	76	1	0	0

Causes of Death

	<i>Women</i>		
	<i>Indoor</i>	<i>Outdoor</i>	<i>Total</i>
Surgical Shock following complete Hysterectomy.....	1	0	1
General Peritonitis following Hysterectomy and Fibroids	1	0	1
Caesarean Section for Eclampsia.....	1	0	1
General Carcinomatosis.....	1	0	1
Ruptured Uterus (Shock).....	0	1	1
<i>Children</i>			
Still Births.....	22	39	61
Difficult Prolonged Labor.....	1	0	1
Spina Bifida.....	1	1	2
Prematurity.....	3	10	13
Congenital Debility.....	0	7	7
Congenital Atelectasis.....	0	5	5
Hemophilia.....	0	5	5
Cerebral Compression.....	1	0	1
Acute Anemia.....	1	0	1
Congenital Rheumatism.....	1	0	1
Prematurity (Hydramnios).....	1	0	1
Anencephalous (Still Birth).....	1	0	1

Donations.

Anonymous through Dr. H. McM. Painter.....	\$3,000.00
Nursery and Child's Hospital Sewing Class to endow Bed for one year.....	254.71
Mr. Joseph Milbank, this includes \$100 formerly given by Mrs. Joseph Milbank, deceased.....	200.00
Mrs. Andrew Carnegie.....	100.00
Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt.....	100.00
The Hospital Saturday and Sunday Association through its Woman's Auxiliary, from Mrs. William M. Kingsland.....	30.00
Greenhut Siegel-Cooper Company.....	25.00
George Borgfeldt & Company.....	25.00
Mrs. D. Willis James.....	25.00
Mrs. James J. Goodwin.....	25.00
Mrs. William C. Osborn.....	25.00
Mrs. William M. Kingsland.....	25.00
Mr. W. Emlen Roosevelt.....	20.00
Dr. Edward H. Peaslee.....	20.00
Mrs. William M. Kingsland.....	20.00
Miss Julia L. Delafield.....	10.00
Miss Jessie Patterson.....	10.00
Mrs. Artemas Ward.....	10.00
Miss Helen C. Butler.....	10.00
Mr. Francis D. Pollak.....	10.00
Mr. William Floyd.....	10.00
Mr. Eugene G. Foster.....	5.00
Mrs. James Herman Aldrich.....	5.00
Poor Box, Lexington Ave.....	3.55
Total.....	\$3,968.26

Roof Shelter and Diet Kitchen Donations

Mrs. P. A. Valentine through Dr. Charles Gilmore Kerley..... \$ 750.00

Roof Shelter Donations

Mrs. Francis McClannin..... \$ 10.00

Total all Donations..... \$4,728.26

Christmas Donations.

Mrs. Henry Mills Day....	\$ 5.00	Edward de P. Livingston .	10.00
Miss Eleanor Le Roy.....	10.00	Curtis Blaisdell Co.....	5.00
Mrs. Louis J. Auerbacher.	5.00	Kny Sheerer Co.....	5.00
Mrs. Prescott Hall Butler.	10.00	Dr. Edwin D. Cragin.....	10.00
Mr. Albert Aaronson.....	5.00	Daniel C. Adams.....	5.00
L. W. Lawrence Co.....	10.00	Frank A. Hall & Sons....	3.00
F. W. Weidner Ptg. Co....	5.00	Wingfield & Taylor Bakery	10.00
Arthur G. Deatly.....	5.00	Mrs. George Augustus Lung	5.00
F. W. Hearn & Bro.....	10.00	Dr. George W. Crary.....	5.50
G. Morgan Browne.....	10.00	P. Stuyvesant Pillot.....	10.00
Dougan & Merritt.....	5.00	M. Weinstein.....	5.00
C. H. Gillespie & Son....	10.00	William Hahn.....	5.00
Colgan Mfg. Co.....	10.00	Dr. James F. McKernon ..	5.00
H. B. Claffin Co.....	10.00	Mrs. Henry S. Kingsley...	5.00
Maltzyme Co.....	1.00	Mrs. Henry Holbrook.....	10.00
Mrs. John M. Bowers.....	5.00	F. Neugass & Co.....	10.00
Miss Julia L. Delafield....	2.00	Knickerbocker Ice Co....	10.00
Merritt Elliott & Co.....	3.00	Florence L. Clark.....	100.00
John Carle & Son.....	5.00	Thomas Fusco.....	10.00
Lewis Mfg. Co.....	5.00	S. Solomon's Sons.....	10.00
Dr. Edward M. Colie, Jr...	4.00	Mrs. Henry Clay Adams..	3.00
Dr. Halstead Myers.....	10.00	Mrs. Algernon Sydney Sul-	
Lund & Miller.....	10.00	livan.....	5.00
Empire Window Cleaning		Peter Doerr.....	5.00
Co.....	2.00	Mrs. William M. Kingsland	5.00
Dr. Thos. S. Southworth...	5.00	Irving Paris.....	10.00
Jacob W. Miller.....	5.00	Jas. Hearn & Son.....	20.00
Mrs. Frederick H. Betts...	5.00	Miller Rubber Co.....	10.00
Mr. Stephen Baker.....	15.00	William Weaver Heaton ..	10.00
Dr. Edward Cook.....	5.00	Dr. Eben Foskett.....	2.00
Gustav von Glahn.....	2.00	Thos. T. Hopper.....	10.00
Dr. Allen Thomas.....	5.00	Louis Knoll & Sons.....	10.00
Mrs. John D. Wood.....	10.00	Dr. Oscar M. Schloss.....	5.00
Mrs. G. Morgan Browne...	10.00		
John T. Stanley Co.....	10.00		
Britt Leofeller & Weil....	5.00		
			\$567.50

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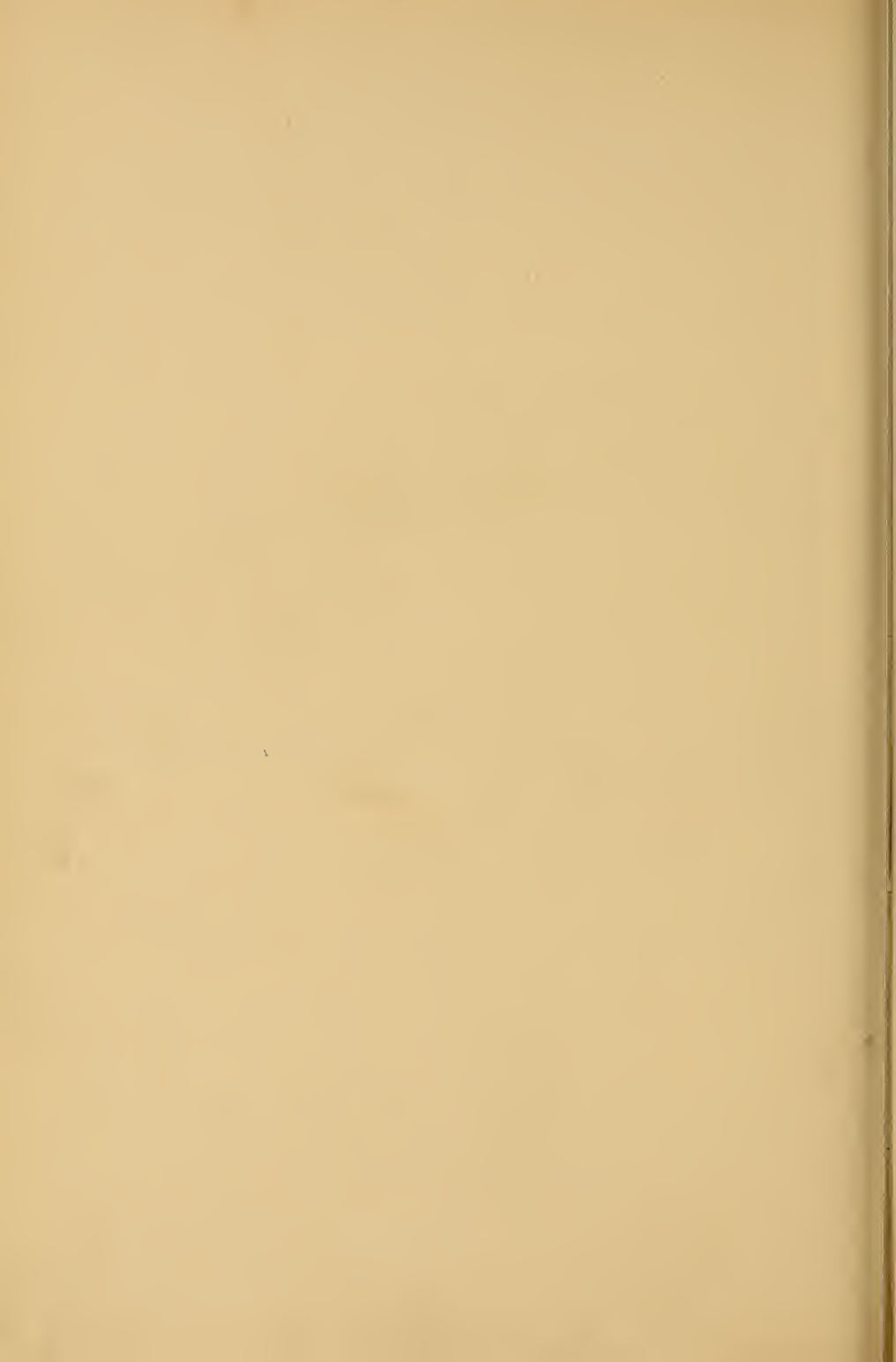
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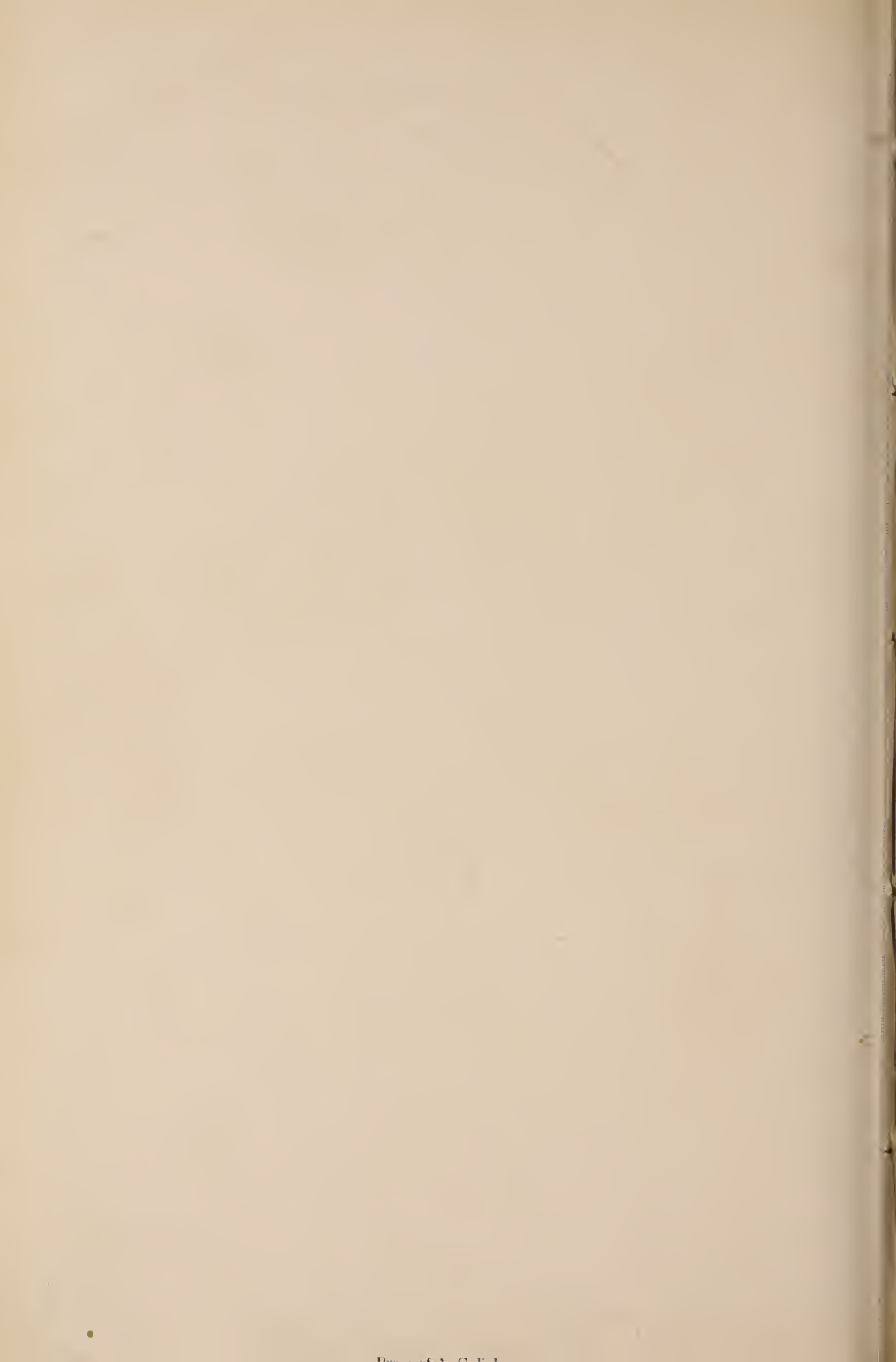
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The Institution and its Aims.



THE New York Nursery and Child's Hospital was founded in 1910, by the consolidation of the Nursery and Child's Hospital and the New York Infant Asylum.

During the years 1848 to 1854, the attention of the public was drawn by the Reports of the Superintendents of Police to the number of vagrant children in the City of New York and to the growing crime of infanticide. The officials estimated that there were 30,000 homeless children in the city limits. To help meet this evil, the Nursery and Child's Hospital was founded in 1854, under the title of "The Nursery for the Children of Poor Women." The Nursery was in St. Mark's Place and later moved to a larger house at Sixth Avenue and 15th Street. For the first few years it acted only as a nursery for the children of poor women. In 1857 its work was extended and it became also a Child's Hospital, the first to be founded in the United States. At that time, no hospital in this City received children under twelve years of age. The cornerstone of the building at 571 Lexington Avenue was laid in June, 1857. It is interesting to note that in the same year the Society gave the First

Annual Charity Ball, which has since been a fixture in the social life of the City. The building was finished just before the outbreak of the Civil War. It then served as a hospital for wounded soldiers and was not used for the children until the war was over. From 1879 to the time of the consolidation the Nursery and Child's Hospital cared for a total of 38,179 inmates. During the year 1913 this property was sold with the permission of the Supreme Court.

The New York Infant Asylum was incorporated in 1865, to take charge of foundlings and infant children of the age of two years and under and to provide for their support and education. It also provided such lying-in wards and methods of care and guidance as should prevent maternal abandonment of homeless infants and diminish the moral dangers and personal sufferings to which homeless mothers were exposed.

The charity had its origin in the efforts of the Rev. Mr. Richmond to reform a class of unfortunate young women whom he found in the Maternity Wards of Bellevue Hospital. He died before the plan could be carried through, but his widow secured a charter in 1865 and a building for the Asylum was rented at 104th Street and West End Avenue. Mrs. Richmond struggled with the problems for two years, when she died, and the work was abandoned. In 1871 the Society was reorganized. As the Annual Report of 1873 says: "Our aim is to thwart and prevent suicide, infanticide and murder, those demons that follow hard upon the track of the unfortunate, and to shield, save and restore them as well as to protect their innocent offspring."

Soon the work was extended to caring for destitute children. The mortality of these children in the institutions on the Island was admitted to be nearly 100 per cent. The nurses were women committed for drunkenness and the food of the children was ordinary cow's milk. In the summer months, very few children survived to the end of the month of August.

The revived Asylum rented a building at No. 24 Clinton Place, near Broadway, and began operations. The result exceeded the expectations of the most sanguine members of the Board, for the mortality was less than 20 per cent. as against 96 per cent. on the Island. One of the immediate results of this first year's record was the building of the Infant Asylum on Randall's Island.

In 1872, the property where the Hospital now stands, at Amsterdam Avenue and 61st Street, was purchased for \$55,000: \$16,500 cash and

the balance on mortgage—but was not occupied until April 1873. The building at No. 24 Clinton Place was not abandoned, however, until 1878.

In 1899, the Infant Asylum consolidated with the old Marion Street Maternity Hospital and the cash realized from the sale of the Marion Street property, some \$75,000, together with \$18,000 donated for the purpose, was used to build the first four stories of the present Hospital building.

The old Marion Street Maternity Hospital was incorporated in 1827, under the name of The New York Female Asylum for Lying-In Women. Its object was: "To furnish comfortable conditions and skilful attendance to respectable married women who require an asylum during the period of their confinement, and also to supply competent medical care to deserving married women at their homes under similar circumstances." At the time of its consolidation with the New York Infant Asylum, its Hospital was at No. 193 Second Avenue. Under the terms of the consolidation, one floor of the new building was and still is reserved to continue the ministrations of the Marion Street Hospital.

Under the consolidation, the work of the two corporations has been continued and enlarged. Roughly it can be classified as follows:

- (1) A Lying-in Hospital;
- (2) A Hospital for sick children;
- (3) A Nursery and Home for foundlings and poor children;

(4) A Boarding-out Department. The foundling children are placed in suitable homes and their general welfare supervised by a system of visitors from the hospital;

(5) An Outside Obstetrical Department. Physicians connected with the staff are sent to the homes of those who apply for aid;

(6) The training of nursery maids, who, after a systematic course in the care of young children, are open to employment in private families.

The Hospital is not self-supporting. It has no endowment. Notwithstanding a small per capita payment by the City for the care of its public charges, it is dependent entirely upon the generosity of its friends for the continuance of its all-important work.

Details of the various activities of the Hospital have been given in a report made by the Superintendent and the heads of departments from which have been taken the following generous extracts.

Public Maternity Department.—During the past year, we have taken

care of 242 patients on our Public Maternity Floor. The Department of Charities pays for emergency cases, that is to say the patients delivered within forty-eight hours after admission. The hospital has given over for the use of worthy women nine free beds. In these beds during the year we have taken care of 47 patients. We also have a Waiting Ward containing thirteen beds. Women are admitted to this ward several months before confinement.

We have a well equipped operating room in connection with this department.

Private Room Department.—We have a private floor consisting of seven single rooms and one double room and a private ward containing seven beds all for pay patients. These rooms and beds are in demand all the time. There is a well equipped nursery in connection with this floor that is used for the babies of the private patients. During the year we have taken care of 309 patients, and the work on this floor has been growing rapidly. The patients are generally attended by their own physicians.

The private floor and public maternity are in charge of a graduate nurse. Her duties are to have general charge of these departments and to assign the pupil nurses to the different divisions. Three pupil nurses are assigned to the public maternity ward and three to the private floor. A graduate nurse is also in charge of the operating room.

We have affiliations with the following hospitals, from whom we receive pupil nurses:

Laura Franklin, New York City.	St. Joseph's, Yonkers.
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Kings Park State, Kings Park, N.Y.	Binghamton, Binghamton.

Asylum Department.—The asylum consists of three wards. These wards are for the use of homeless mothers and their babies. At the present time we have 15 mothers and 13 babies. After delivery homeless mothers and their babies are admitted to the different wards of this department. The purpose of the asylum is to try and keep mother and babe together. The period for staying is indefinite depending largely upon the conduct of the mother. Some of the mothers have been with us for from two to three years. After the babies are three months old we pay each mother a small monthly wage, so that she may have a little money to start on when she leaves us. To earn this all women admitted to this department have certain duties assigned to them.



Diet Kitchen

The Outdoor Obstetrical Department is conducted for the purpose of assisting women who require the services of a doctor and nurse during confinement in their own homes, but are not able to pay for attendance. This Department has grown rapidly in importance and has become one of the chief activities of the Hospital.

The doctors, three in number, are on call day and night for deliveries, and see the patients every day until discharged which is usually on the ninth or tenth day if the case is normal. During the school year the staff men are assisted by students from the College of Physicians and Surgeons on 59th Street. Three graduate nurses are assigned to duty in this department.

In our Children's Department, occupying the entire roof, seventh floor, a large ward on the fifth floor and at times some beds in the quarantine building, there is never a dull minute, never a time when there is not something to be done for some one or more of the babies—in fact, there are times when it seems that all the babies need attention at the same minute. During the winter months many children are committed to the institution because of the inability of their parents to keep them fed, clothed and warmed, and the past winter, with its intense severity, sent many families seeking public aid who hitherto had managed to keep their households together. But the summer season brings the heaviest and hardest work for then come the ailments bred by improper nourishment, dirt, heat, flies and the many ills resulting from living in congested sections of the city.

With over eighty babies in the hospital at times during the hot weather, it meant a very active service. In the most intensely hot weather the children are brought down from the roof during the middle of the day, and only the early morning hours are spent there. In the winter there were very few days too severe to have some of the babies on the roof, but of course only the glass enclosed portion was available. The greatest sufferers from this outdoor treatment are the nursery maids, for if they are heavily burdened with wraps, they cannot do their work, and when insufficiently clothed they contract colds. We have somewhat alleviated this condition by supplying them with heavy sweaters, which are warm without being bulky. Without going into the hospital's statistics, I think I am correct in stating that our past year was remarkable for the fact that most of our cases admitted were new ones, that is few of the children in the boarding out department came back to the hospital wards for treatment.

We have cared for a great many malnutrition cases, and a large part of our success is due to the diet kitchen, where all formulæ are prepared by the nursery maids, under the supervision of a dietitian. One has to spend hours in a diet kitchen to really understand how wonderful it is. Everything is aseptically clean. There is a place for everything and everything is in its place—an ice box that even on the hottest days in summer registers 45 to 48 degrees, pasteurizers in which each formula is pasteurized every day, the entire year through. Here all liquid food, beef juice, orange juice, albumen water, buttermilk and broths are prepared, as well as all the cereals and solid foods for the older children. In the diet kitchen there are four pupil nursery maids and a dietitian on duty in the day time, and one pupil nursery maid at night.

It would be impossible to give anything like an adequate report of the Children's Department without going a little into the details of the **Training School for Nursery Maids** connected with it.

Each year the trained nursery maid is more in demand, each year sees the public becoming more educated to the idea that a normal healthy infant needs skilled and trained attention in order to keep it well and happy.

Our pupil nursery maids receive eight months' actual work among our children under the direction of a graduate nurse. They are also taught enough of the theory of hygiene and sanitation to make them carry out the practical work intelligently. While we do not claim to send out perfect infants' nurses, guaranteed to please every and all kinds and conditions of families, yet we do claim that a young woman whose work has been closely supervised for eight months, who has been taught by example and precept certain refinements of life, is of greater benefit to baby and mother than the untrained, ordinary domestic. It is our constant aim to maintain a high standard among the nursery maids and the admission requirements are made as rigid as is compatible with keeping the full quota of pupils in the school.

The object of the **Boarding-out Department** is to provide normal family life for infants and children who are deprived of parental care through poverty or misfortune and who do not need hospital treatment. However good institutional care may be, a child so cared for is in an abnormal environment and sadly misses the mothering and individual attention which authorities agree is necessary to both its physical and mental development.

The children committed to this institution by the Department of

Charities are admitted first to the hospital wards. As soon as the doctor declares them ready for discharge from the wards, the Boarding-Out Department finds homes for them suited to their various needs.

The homes are carefully selected. In order to file an application to board children a woman must have secured a permit from the Board of Health to the effect that the home has been investigated by a physician of the Board of Health and found to be suitable for boarding a child, and the woman a fit person to care for children. The home is then visited by a member of our Boarding-Out Department and investigated as to its hygienic conditions and desirability as a boarding home. If all is found satisfactory a child is given to her.

The work is increasing by leaps and bounds. In May 1913, we had 446 children in 225 boarding homes. In October 1914, we had 683 in 285 homes.

The pictures of babies in this report are those of some of the Boarding-out children. They show the pride that the foster mother takes in them and the care she gives them. Some of our foster mothers who can afford it have taken our children to the mountains, country or sea shore for from one to four months this summer. The children who have remained in the city during the summer have been taken on day trips to the beaches and go to the nearest park every day that the weather permits. Some are quite as brown as if they had been in the country. Through the generosity of Miss Millicent Eady, a philanthropic woman greatly interested in the welfare of children, eight of the Boarding-Out children have again had the benefit of four months at her country place at Iona Island.

One of the most interesting phases of the Boarding-Out work is the care of the tiny infants by Italian wet-nurses. The Italian women are very fond of children and take excellent care of them. Their homes are investigated by the Board of Health and the Gerry Society and are supervised by nurses from those organizations as well as by the Boarding-Out nurses. Three mornings a week in the summer time, one of the boarding-out nurses sees that the nursing babies in the Italian district are taken to the Recreation Pier and spend the morning where they will be sure of cool fresh air. The babies are not left in Italian homes after they are old enough to be weaned. The vignette on the title page is that of a baby who weighed only three pounds at birth and was given to an Italian wet nurse.

There are five visiting nurses in the Boarding-Out Department, all graduates of recognized hospitals, some with post-graduate experience in children's hospitals. The number of children visited in one day by the five nurses is usually between 50 and 60. As the boarding homes extend from Plainfield, N. J. to Mt. Vernon, N. Y., Staten Island and Roosevelt, L. I., the nurses have large districts to cover. The nursing babies are visited twice a week in winter, oftener in summer, the bottle babies once a week and the older children three times a month.

If a child is not improving or has some slight ailment it is brought in to the hospital for examination and returned to the foster mother with instructions for treatment. If ill it is usually brought into the hospital to stay until the acute stage is over and convalescence begun. Many of the foster mothers are capable of caring for acute illness in their own homes, and nurse the children through measles, whooping cough, mumps, bronchitis, and even pneumonia and scarlet fever. Of course this is done under the supervision of the nurse and an outside doctor.

To clothe these hundreds of children is a great undertaking. We aim to have their clothes attractive and durable with as little expense as possible. A good quality of cotton and cotton flannel is bought of which the greater part of the children's clothing is made. These materials at wholesale run from $5\frac{1}{2}$ to 9 cents a yard. Due to the great and continued kindness of the Employment Society of the Church of the Incarnation, of which Mrs. Gherardi Davis is president, nearly all the clothing for the children of three years and under is made for us without any expense to the hospital except for the cost of materials.

We are often asked what becomes of the children when they pass from our care. Many are returned to their parents, who have reached a position in which to provide for them. When the others are from five to seven years, they are transferred to other institutions, the Jewish children going to the various Hebrew institutions and the Protestants to the Home for the Friendless. Our little foundlings and deserted children who have no one to claim them are found permanent homes through the agency of the State Charities Aid Association. It is interesting to follow one of our foundlings from its Italian nursing home to its foster home and finally to the permanent adoption home where it will be given every advantage in life.

The New Building.



BY resolution of the Board of Directors passed on the 16th day of June, 1914, an addition to the present building not to cost over \$100,000 was authorized. Primarily the addition is to house the administrative side of the work, but naturally it permits a very general re-arrangement of the entire hospital. The President, by authority of the Board, appointed a Building Committee consisting of Messrs. Miller, Adams, Browne, Ely and Dr. Partridge to take charge with power, to appoint an architect, and to sign the necessary contracts for the work. It has appointed Mr. Charles Volz as architect. Before waiting for the detailed plans the contract for digging the foundations was let, and the work begun. This excavation is to be 50'x100' on Amsterdam Avenue, thus providing an air space of 50' behind the building which is to be 50' deep.

With the work under way the committee took up the plans as explained in the President's Report, and finally submitted to the Board of Directors at the annual meeting its opinion that an addition 50'x50' and nine stories in height could be built for about the original appropriation; but this would not fulfill the requirements of the institution and would allow for no further expansion. Whereupon the Board authorized the Committee to add a tenth story, the total cost not to exceed \$126,000. The Board was unanimous in deciding that the advantage of the extra story was well worth the extra expense and that ways and means could be found to provide the money for payment.

To give a general idea of the scope of the changes now under way we have reproduced in this report the plans for the floors containing the offices, the dining rooms, the operating room and the children's wards respectively. A glance at these will explain a part of the greatly increased facilities obtained.

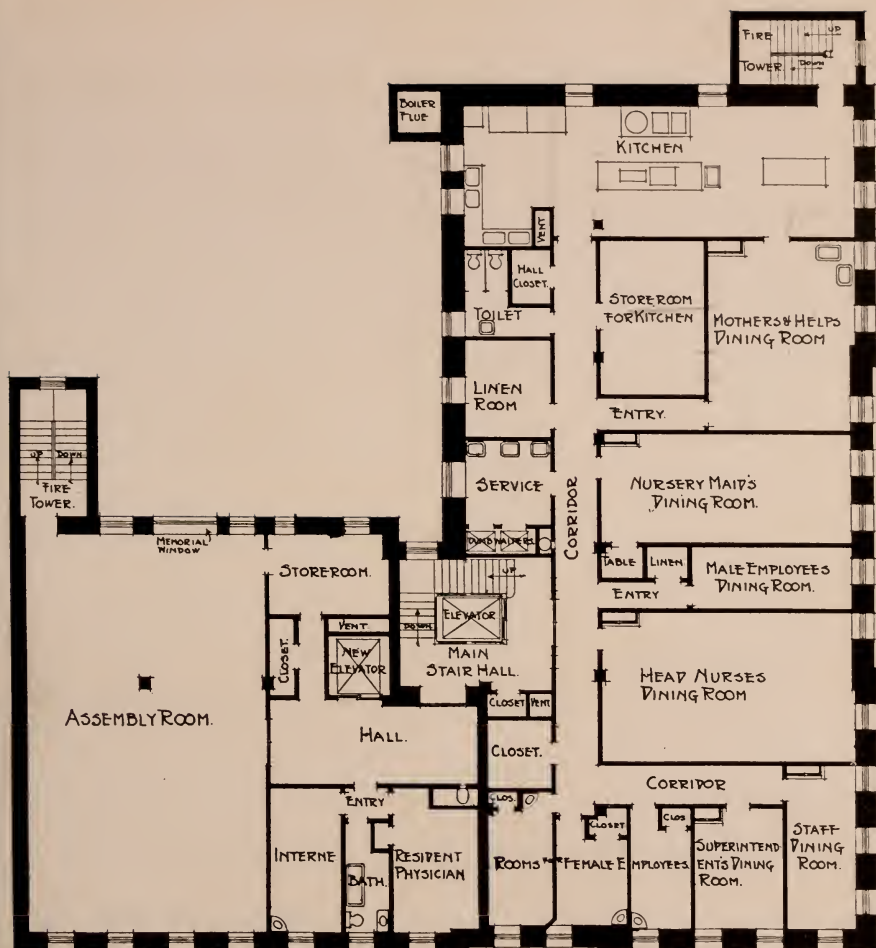
The basement will contain the new laundry (29.6'x46') with East and West windows and also a large ventilating plant. The deep excavation providing a spacious yard will also allow for a direct air current North and South through the Engineer's department in the old building. In the South-west corner is to be located a new dormitory for such male employees as may live in the building.



Plan of First or Office Floor.

The first floor as shown by the plan is entirely re-arranged. The main entrance is to be on Amsterdam Avenue and the offices will be placed to the left of the entrance in the new part. The space in the old building will be entirely given over to the Medical Board. The present entrance will be used exclusively by the patients. The Boarding Out Department will be to the left of the door and the Outdoor Department to the right.

On the second floor will be the dining rooms and kitchens in the old



Plan of Second or Dining Room Floor.

building, and in the new building the assembly room and the quarters of the resident physician.

The third floor will be given over entirely to the private patients. There are no changes here except that seven additional rooms are provided and a private bath. By a very simple plan four of these rooms can be made into two suites, each connected with its own bath.

The fourth floor, on which is now the old Marion Street Hospital ward, will have in the new part six rooms for the internes and their



Plan of Sixth or Operating Floor.

library. On the fifth floor there will be the Superintendent's suite and rooms for the head nurses. The sixth floor which is the operating floor in the present building will have more rooms for the head nurses in the new addition. The seventh has been rearranged to contain all of the children's wards. The eighth floor has rooms for the pupil nurses. The ninth and tenth floors have been given over to the nursery maids. They will be placed in dormitories. The ninth floor will have accommodations for 21 girls and a room for the person in charge of them. The tenth floor will have a recreation room and 2 smaller dormitories, one ac-



Plan of Seventh or Children's Floor.

commodating 9 and the other 12 girls. These dormitories will be separated by a wall, so that one can be used during the day as sleeping quarters for those girls who are for the time being on night duty. The alcoves will be separated by strong enamelled partitions starting one foot from the floor and extending about seven feet in height. Each will be large enough to contain a bed, a bureau and a wardrobe and will be shut off from the corridors by draw curtains. This plan saves us much space and also makes for ease in cleaning. It is also of great aid in maintaining good discipline.

The plans submitted and this brief description of them will show how necessary the addition is to our well-being. At present we have to lodge the pupil nurses outside of the hospital where every inch of space is utilized, while with the finish of the new addition we will be able at considerable saving to house our entire staff under one roof. The importance of our needs has compelled us to begin building at a time when almost all charities are curtailing their expenses to the greatest degree. We gain the advantage of obtaining the maximum results for the minimum of expense; but in taking this step it is most necessary that our friends and well wishers aid the Directors in bringing these improvements to a successful finish.



Report of the President.



THE sale of the Lexington Avenue property last year has given us both an opportunity to invest the money received therefrom in a much needed addition to our 61st St. building and has enabled us to remove the old structures which had become unfitted for the needs of a modern institution.

The Board after due deliberation decided that our financial condition warranted an expense for a new building to the amount of \$100,000, and at a meeting held on June 16th, passed a resolution to proceed at once to construct a proper fire proof administration building on the Amsterdam Avenue side of the property, and authorized a Building Committee, consisting of the President, Dr. E. L. Partridge, Messrs. G. Morgan Browne, D. C. Adams and Moses Ely to proceed with the work.

This committee has sought advice from the ladies of the Board, from the Medical Department and from all sources which might throw light upon the general requirements, both of the present and for the future. It selected Mr. Charles Volz, as architect, who has submitted preliminary plans.

In order to facilitate the beginning of construction at an early date, the old north house has been torn down, thus eliminating the danger from an adjacent non-fire proof building. The rock excavation is now well under way.

At a recent meeting of the committee at which were present certain of the Medical Department and members of the Board, the question arose, whether or not, an additional \$25,000, should be expended to provide ten stories to the new addition instead of seven. This alteration has been the subject of much thought by the Finance as well as the Building Committee, but reasons for this extra expense cannot be given within the limit of this report. It is a matter for the full Board to decide. While the President is of the opinion that our assets warrant the outlay, close consideration must be given to the additional running expenses of the larger plant.

If therefore, it be decided to expend the extra money, the Publicity Committee, and every member of the Board must realize that extraordinary efforts to obtain new subscriptions are essential.

The President wishes to express his great appreciation of the untiring and intelligent attention that the Building Committee has given to an arduous and intricate problem, and would especially call attention to the need of deciding all details at the earliest possible moment in order that the new addition can be completed during the coming year.

The enlargement of our building, and material and physical conditions has impressed upon the President, as undoubtedly upon you, the responsibility and necessity of making the new and enlarged hospital a model one in every respect both from an economic and charitable point of view.

A study of the methods under which certain bodies of a kindred nature have been conducted shows that much waste has occurred in them as well as in many American business corporations. It should be our aim to reduce such expenses as far as compatible with efficiency. The report by F. C. Townsend on hospital accounting as well as the Fifth Annual Report of the Hospital Bureau of Standards and Supplies, may give valuable ideas applicable to our future.

Limited facilities have heretofore prevented an ideal management notwithstanding the amount of intelligent effort and conscientious work of our Treasurer, the House Committee, many members of the Board, and of the employees who have served us faithfully. In order to reach the high purposes which should be our aim, attention should now be more closely given to making new by-laws and regulations fitted to our new surroundings. This accomplished, the President feels confident that many of our officers and members will be relieved of minor details and can give their time to the larger charitable objects which we wish to develop.

It seems scarcely necessary for the President to refer to the reports from the various committees hereto annexed, as both through their thoroughness and detailed information the operations of the last year are most intelligently set forth.

Respectfully,

J. W. MILLER,

President

Report of the Executive Committee.

TO THE PRESIDENT AND THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

THE administration has become so well organized that the duties of the Executive Committee are becoming more of a routine nature. In the Spring the Committee supervised the reorganization of the laundry service, and appointed a supervisor of the laundry and the linen room. Some 2000 pieces go through the laundry daily. A notable increase in the efficiency of the administration of this important division of the hospital service has been the immediate result of this change. For instance, at present no washing has to be done on Sundays.

The Committee has taken additional steps to reduce the risk of fire. Fire-proof doors have been placed in the laundry and the wooden dryer removed. A time clock has been installed and a special night watchman has been engaged who makes his rounds every hour.

At the request of the Medical Board the Executive Committee authorized the use of additional free beds up to the number of fifteen in the children's wards.

Respectfully yours,

E. L. PARTRIDGE,

Chairman.



Report of the Treasurer.

TO THE PRESIDENT AND THE
BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

I submit herewith my report for the fiscal year from October 1, 1913 to September 30, 1914, with tables compiled from the books of the corporation showing

- (1) *Cash receipts and disbursements.*
- (2) *Comparative balance sheets* with schedules of real estate, bonds and mortgages, and stocks and bonds, annexed.
- (3) *Tables of revenue and expenses*, including analysis of expenses, analysis of cost of food per day for each person fed at the institution, amounts charged to the City of New York, and County of Westchester for care and support of inmates.

The stocks and bonds belonging to the corporation have not been re-valued as of September 30, 1914, the close of the fiscal year, as it was impossible to ascertain the market value at that time. With the approval of the Finance and Auditing Committee of the Board of Directors and Messrs. Cole & Swazey, auditors, the values have been left as of the preceding year with the exception of those securities which have been purchased since September 30, 1913. These are carried at cost. The bonds and mortgages are taken at their face value with interest added where overdue.

During the fiscal year the Linsly residuary legacy was paid in full to the corporation consisting of:

Cash.....	\$22,729.30
undivided $\frac{1}{3}$ interest in Charles I. Weinstein mortgage 1263 Fifth Avenue New York City (Total mortgage \$60,000) (\$1000 on account of the principal of this mortgage was paid off during the year to the corporation).....	20,000.00
undivided $\frac{1}{3}$ interest in Rachel Rubin mortgage 461 East 183rd Street, New York City; (Total mortgage \$20,000). (This mortgage was paid in full during the year).....	6,666.67
<i>Total</i>	<u>\$49,395.97</u>

In addition the corporation is entitled to a one-third remainder interest in a trust fund for \$40,000 for the benefit of Loretta R. Linsly under the will of Johanna Linsly which trust is limited to endure during the life of Loretta R. Linsly or until her remarriage. This remainder interest

has been entered in the books of the corporation at the value of \$1. For convenience of management and by virtue of an agreement dated the 13th day of February, 1914, between the New York Nursery & Child's Hospital, the Presbyterian Hospital and the Society for the Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled, the three residuary legatees under the Linsly will, and the United States Trust Company, the two above mentioned mortgages were placed in the hands of the United States Trust Company for management on commission, in the interest of the owners. As at the close of the preceding fiscal year the value of the Linsly legacy was carried on the books of the corporation at \$8,083.34 it being impossible to ascertain its precise value, there has been a net gain of assets in this connection of \$41,313.63.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Directors dated February 10, 1914, all legacies have been credited to capital account and not to income.

No expenses were capitalized during the year, no money has been borrowed and no indebtedness incurred except for current expenses. The operating loss amounting to \$6,595.46 was written off the capital account after the close of the year. The net gain of \$2,181.44 was secured on securities sold and mortgages paid off during the year. No income from the Stephen Baker Trust Fund and only a fraction of a year's income from the Linsly Estate legacy was credited to income account. The operating loss would have been proportionately diminished had these items been received in full.

The New York, New Haven & Hartford gold debenture 6s mentioned in the last Treasurer's report were never issued and the contract for their purchase was accordingly cancelled.

The net gain in assets on September 30, 1914 as compared with September 30, 1913 is \$46,060.39.

The Treasurer's accounts have been audited by Messrs. Cole & Swazey, Bank Examiners and Auditors, 170 Broadway, New York City, and their report to the Finance and Auditing Committee agrees with the figures given herein.

Respectfully submitted,

G. MORGAN BROWNE,

Treasurer.

Table I.
Receipts and Disbursements of Cash.
From Cash Book from October 1, 1913,
to September 30, 1914.

Cash on hand and in bank *October 1, 1913*..... \$41,711.21

RECEIPTS

City of New York.....	\$80,895.65	
Proceeds sale of \$50,000 New York City 4½s (1963).....	53,411.24	
Stephen Baker, sole trustee, received check in payment of Morris Marans mortgage principal and interest.....	40,372.22	
Linsly Estate legacy in part.....	22,729.30	
Interest and Dividends.....	22,726.61	
Pay Patients.....	16,909.29	
Charity Ball.....	16,227.09	
Endowed Beds, Mrs. John W. Gates.....	7,500.00	
Rachel Rubin Mortgage principal in full.....	6,650.00	
Donations.....	4,010.00	
Proceeds sale of \$4500 Mobile & Ohio R. R. 6s.....	5,101.87	
Florence Cahen Mortgage on account principal.....	3,000.00	
Hospital Saturday & Sunday Association.....	2,491.49	
Charles I. Weinstein mortgage on account principal.....	997.50	
Miscellaneous Revenue.....	769.08	
Accrued interest purchased.....	722.18	
Annual Endowed Beds St. Christopher League for year 1913 \$600, for 1914, \$700.....	1,300.00	
Rent Receivable.....	320.00	
Annual Dues.....	275.00	
Westchester County.....	270.53	
Robert Tag mortgage on account principal.....	250.00	
Unpaid inmates premiums turned in by Superintendent.....	103.50	
Nassau County.....	73.80	
61st Street House Expenses refunds.....	68.35	
Advance payments by pay patients turned in by superintendent.....	55.00	
Staten Island Place sale of products.....	25.00	
Refund from Day & Heaton N. Y. City 4½s Sept. 1960.....	25.00	
General Expense refund.....	2.89	\$287,282.59
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		\$328,993.80

DISBURSEMENTS

Accounts Payable.....	\$155,419.92	
Bonds Purchased.....	65,973.75	
Stephen Baker, as sole trustee of Permanent Building Fund of N. Y. Nursery & Child's Hospital proceeds of Morris Marans mortgage.....	40,372.22	
Bought Robert Tag Mortgage 208-210 West 17th Street.....	26,000.00	
Paid Greenlawn Farm mortgage principal in full.....	3,000.00	
Interest Purchased.....	727.85	
New Building.....	80.00	\$291,573.74
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CASH SEPTEMBER 30, 1914

The Fulton Trust Company.....	\$25,422.97	
The Corn Exchange Bank.....	8,593.65	
The Fifth Avenue Bank.....	3,403.44	
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		\$37,420.06
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		\$328,993.80

Table II.

Balance Sheet, October 1, 1913.

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
PERMANENT ASSETS		PERMANENT LIABILITIES	
Real Estate.....	\$218,757.10	Capital.....	\$732,213.87
Bonds and Mortgages.....	192,250.00	Endowed Beds.....	12,500.00
Stocks and Bonds.....	247,513.63	Mortgages Payable.....	3,000.00
Stephen Baker Trustee Building Fund.....	45,208.16	CURRENT LIABILITIES	
CURRENT ASSETS		Accounts Payable.....	10,892.16
Cash.....	\$ 41,711.21	Legacies Suspense Account.....	8,083.34
City of New York.....	12,441.48		
Westchester County.....	78.80		
Nassau County.....	9.45		
Interest on bonds purchased accrued not due.....	536.20		
Lucy H. Calhoun, Supt.....	100.00		
Linsly Residuary Estate.....	8,083.34		
	\$766,689.37		\$766,689.37

Balance Sheet, October 1, 1914.

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
PERMANENT ASSETS		PERMANENT LIABILITIES	
Real Estate Schedule "A".....	\$218,812.10	Capital October 1, 1913.....	\$732,213.87
Bonds and Mortgages Schedule "B".....	234,000.00	Net additions to capital.....	\$53,239.19
Stocks and Bonds Schedule "C".....	257,149.88	Less operating loss.....	6,595.46
Stephen Baker Trustee Permanent Building and Endowment Fund.....	\$45,208.16		46,643.73
Interest to Sept. 30, 1914.....	1,502.28	Capital October 1, 1914.....	\$778,857.60
	46,710.44	Endowed Beds.....	20,000.00
Linsly Trust Fund.....	1.00		
	\$756,673.42		\$798,857.60
CURRENT ASSETS		CURRENT LIABILITIES	
Due by City of New York.....	\$ 16,736.04	Accounts Payable.....	\$ 13,734.71
Due by Westchester County.....	21.78		
Interest on bonds purchased accrued but not due.....	193.53		
Due by Lucy H. Calhoun, Supt.: Cash advanced.....	\$100.00		
Collections for Sept. 1914.....	1,447.48		
	1,547.48		
	\$ 18,498.83		
Cash.....	37,420.06		
	\$812,592.31		\$812,592.31

Report of the Finance and Auditing Committee.

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:



THE Committee on Finance and Auditing of the New York Nursery & Childs Hospital has the honor to report that it has examined, with Mr. G. Morgan Browne, Treasurer, and Mr. Swazey, public accountant, negotiable stocks and bonds and finds the whole amount as listed in the Treasurer's report. The securities are in the private box of the New York Nursery & Childs Hospital in the United States Safe Deposit Company, and are accessible only to any two members of this committee. The bonds and mortgages listed in the Treasurer's report, and in his custody, are secured upon real estate; are properly recorded and assigned to the New York Nursery & Childs Hospital, and there is no default in the payment of interest upon any of them.

Acting in accordance with the resolutions passed by the Board of Directors April 28th, 1914, this committee sold \$50,000.00 New York City 4½ per cent bonds, receiving therefor a total of \$53,411.24 and under the same resolutions the following securities were purchased:

July 31st, '14.	\$13,000.	N. Y. C. & H. R. R. R. Co. 1st 3½s @ 79 ex interest, commission added.	\$10,286.25
Aug. 3d, '14.	\$10,000.	Southern Pacific Convertible 5s @ 95 ex interest, commission added...	9,512.50
	\$10,000.	Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Convertible 4½s @ 94 ex interest and commission added.....	9,412.50
	\$10,000.	Southern Pacific Convertible 4s @ 79½ ex interest and commission added.....	7,962.50
	\$10,000.	New York City 4½s (1960) @ 99½ ex interest and commission added..	9,956.25
		Total	\$47,130.00

In September, 1914, Mr. Stephen Baker, Trustee of the Permanent & Building Fund, notified this committee that he would turn over

\$46,717.98 being the amount of funds in his possession. This committee thereupon set aside the following securities :

\$12,000.	N. Y. C. & H. R. R. R. Co. 1st 3½s @ 79 ex interest and commission added	\$9,495.00
\$10,000.	Southern Pacific Convertible 5s @ 95 ex interest and commission added.	9,512.50
\$10,000.	Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Convertible 4½s @ 94 ex interest and commission added	9,412.50
\$10,000.	Southern Pacific Convertible 4s @ 79½ ex interest and commission added	7,962.50
\$10,000.	New York City 4½s (1960) @ 99½ ex interest and commission added.	9,956.25
	Total	\$46,338.75

and there was deposited \$379.23 in the Fulton Trust Company. The above securities and deposit are set aside specifically in the Endowment & Building Fund. The securities have been placed in a separate box in the United States Safe Deposit Company vault and are accessible only by any two members of the Finance and Auditing Committee. The income is paid to the New York Nursery & Childs Hospital.

We refer with pleasure to the Treasurer's report, which shows a marked increase of assets of the Institution during the past year.

Very respectfully yours,

WM. W. HEATON,

Chairman, Finance and Auditing Committee.



Report of the House Committee.

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:



DURING the past year nine regular meetings have been held at the Hospital and with the exception of the summer months weekly visitors have been appointed from the Committee to investigate and report in writing on the general condition of the Hospital.

The Christmas celebration was planned and carried out as follows: The five children's wards each had a small tree, decorated by the nursery maids, under the inspection of the Head Nurse, Miss Lee, the presents being distributed Christmas morning. The Quarantine wards also had a small tree trimmed by the nurses in quarantine. On Saturday, December 27, and Monday, December 29, Miss Ebert the head nurse of the Out-Door Obstetrical Department had the mothers and babies at the Clinic where toys, candies, and oranges were given to each child present.

On Tuesday, December 30, the Christmas Tree festival was held at the Hospital for the women inmates and their children and the children of the Boarding-Out Department over four years old and their foster mothers. These included 143 children and 98 foster mothers. An entertainment was given by a man, including sleight of hand tricks and a Punch and Judy show at 2.30 P. M. and lasted an hour. Presents were then distributed from the tree by a Santa Claus. Tea given by the ladies of the House Committee was served at 4.30 P. M. and the distribution of presents to the staff and nurses was made by Commodore Miller. The hospital was appropriately decorated with Christmas greens, ordered by Mrs. Witherbee, and also laurel donated by Dr. Peaslee. The remainder of the Boarding-Out children numbering about 349 were brought in by their foster mothers during the week beginning December 22nd to December 30th when Miss Holmes the head nurse gave each child a toy, candy and oranges. A total of 1059 persons received presents.

Six meetings were held at the different houses of the ladies on the House Committee for the benefit of the Lenten Sewing Class and 315 garments were finished and given to the Hospital. Many other garments

have been very generously donated and made by the Employment Society of the Church of the Incarnation and Calvary Parish House.

Mrs. Witherbee attended to the purchasing of 53 plants which were placed in the various wards at Easter and greatly appreciated by the inmates of the Hospital. She also had charge of the summer roof fund which means the care of the bushes and grounds in the yard, and filling the boxes on the roof with flowers. The different members of the House Committee contributed generously to the above funds.

It has been arranged with the Rev. G. Halstad Watkins of the New York Protestant Episcopal City Mission Society to change the time and place of holding the weekly religious service. It is now held on Sunday at 7.30 P.M. in the reception room of the Hospital and a better attendance is expected.

During the past year few changes have been made throughout the Hospital. The bathroom on the fifth floor children's ward was equipped with an automatic water heating boiler. This is of great importance as it is used at all times to give the new admissions to the hospital a bath.

The work of the asylum has fallen off considerably. Owing to the tearing down of one of the old buildings to make room for a new administration building it has become necessary to dispense with one asylum ward. There are now accommodations for eighteen mothers and babies in this department.

The maternity work in Ward 6 consists in looking after the comfort of the patients, to demonstrate to the pupil nurses just the proper care to be given mother and child, holding classes for the senior and junior nurses different evenings during the week. The nursing on this floor is done by pupil nurses who come for their maternity training from hospitals affiliated with the institution. There are seven affiliations and the work of the nurses is divided as follows: Clinic 2, Delivery Room 1, Night duty 2, Private Floor 4, Public Maternity Ward 4.

The pupil nurses are on duty not less than nine hours from 7 A.M. to 7 P.M. with one half hour each for lunch and dinner. They have breakfast before going on duty, two hours daily and four hours Sundays and holidays off duty and one afternoon a week. These hours however are subject to the requirements of the work. When not on duty or in the class or lecture room, the pupil's time is at her own disposal subject to the rules of the school. The pupil nurses receive instruction in Ward and Nursery work, Delivery Room, Private Floor, Clinic and Out-Door Department.

In case of sickness all pupil nurses are cared for gratuitously and receive the professional services of the resident physician. Time lost during illness or for any other reason must be made up. Examinations are held at the close of the course. The standing of the pupil nurses is based upon the general character of their work both practical and theoretical. The diploma of the Hospital is awarded to those who have completed satisfactorily the full term and have passed the final examinations.

The service of the Out-Door Obstetrical Department embraces the district extending from 23rd Street to 104th Street on the West Side. This department consists of: *First*, the maternity service, *second*, the children's clinic, *third*, the Gynecological clinic.

On each day excepting Sundays and holidays a clinic is held between the hours of two to four, for anti patrum examinations. The women are examined and given a card number to correspond with the record of the findings at the time of the examination. These records are kept on file. When labor sets in the card is sent to the hospital, the doctor reviews the record and familiarizes himself with the case and responds to the call. This requires the continuous services of three doctors and four nurses. The doctors are on call both day and night and are assisted by the students of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Columbia University. Within the past year there were over 1000 applicants and 817 deliveries. Many of these applicants came only for diagnosis.

The first four days after delivery the nurse calls and attends the mother and baby and instruction is given in the care and nursing of the baby. Finding anything abnormal, she reports to the doctor, who calls and treats the condition. After the nurse's four visits the doctor calls until the case is dismissed, which is usually the tenth or eleventh day in a normal case.

We have three graduate nurses in this department. One graduate has entire charge, one assistant makes the majority of the out-door calls and when necessary she is assisted by a pupil nurse. Henry Street Settlement provides a colored nurse for the care of the colored patients.

The children's clinic is for the care and treatment of the babies. It is open every day between the hours of ten and twelve, excepting Sundays and holidays. The average cases are from fifteen to thirty daily.

The Gynecological clinic is open two days each week on Wednesdays

and Fridays from two to four. The clinic is equipped with its own sterilizers and supplies are made for all the out-door work.

Respectfully submitted,

BERTHA LA BAU BROWNE,

Chairman of House Committee.



Report of the Charity Ball Committee.

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:



VERY year I am more and more inclined to emphasize the word THE in the name of The Charity Ball because the number of our competitors increases and there are now so many Balls given for charitable purposes, that I fear lest at times the public may forget our historical and semi-civic pre-eminence.

During the ninety days of intensive work in preparation for our Ball of February 5th, 1914, we all expected that the depressing financial conditions then prevailing would result in a reduced attendance and reduced receipts.

This anxiety caused the Committee and especially the men on the Floor Committee and Charity Ball Society to redouble their efforts in the nature of personal reminders sent to a multitude of their friends.

The result of our united efforts was that our attendance was the largest of which we have any existing record—being 3,008 by count of the tickets received and our net receipts also exceeded all previous amounts of recent years—being over Sixteen thousand dollars. Many years ago when there was no other Charity Ball, and not such other competition we did reach a similar figure.

I take pleasure in saying that all of this success was earned by unremitting work by all members of the Committee and the Floor Committee though the most taxing details were attended to by Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee, Mrs. Robert Nicol as Treasurer; Mrs. Henry Clay Adams, as Secretary and Mrs. George H. Benjamin in charge of the Boxes.

The men managing the Charity Ball Society before the Ball and the Floor Committee at the Ball deserve all praise.

I am, Faithfully yours,

MARY MILDRED SULLIVAN,

Chairman of Charity Ball Committee.

Report of the Charity Ball Society.

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:



THE men on the Executive and Membership Committees of this Society did most effective work preceding the Ball of February 6, 1914.

They increased the membership to about 475, and kept them interested by circular letters.

They also, through the members reached many of their friends.

The working members are included in these Committees.

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Very truly yours,

GEORGE H. SULLIVAN,

President of Charity Ball Society and Chairman of Floor Committee.

Report of the St. Christopher League.

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:



HE work of this League is very efficient in the direction of holding together a group of young people who by means of the money they earn by a play each year are able to contribute to the support of the Hospital by maintaining a bed.

I regret that some way has not yet been found of interesting them directly in the work of the Hospital. This was the original hope of the Founders. The work of this year was of the usual nature and was as usual excellently carried out.

The present officers and members of the League are:

MISS ELEANOR DuBOIS, *President*
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Very truly yours,

GEORGE H. SULLIVAN,

*Member of the League and Representative therein of
the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital.*

Report of the Medical Board.

For the Year ending September 30th, 1914.

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:



THE following statistical reports of the medical work of the Nursery and Child's Hospital show a greatly increased activity last year in both the obstetrical and pediatric divisions. Thus the number of cases confined during the year in the building has been increased from 354 to 421, while in the children's services the important respiratory cases have increased from 182 to 459 and of the digestive from 160 to 298. This increased activity in the Pediatric service has been largely due to the liberality of the Managers in allowing a greater number of free beds.

We believe that the Hospital is now doing better work and is more useful to the community it serves than ever before.

Very truly yours,

ROWLAND G. FREEMAN,

Secretary of the Medical Board.

Medical Report.

October 1st, 1913, to October 1st, 1914.

Indoor Department.

Women awaiting confinement October 1, 1913.....	2
Women delivered remaining October 1, 1913.....	42
Women admitted for confinement to October 1, 1914.....	459
Delivered Women admitted.....	21
Number of confinements to October 1, 1914.....	421
Hospital cases.....	67
Children admitted.....	726
Children born in institution (Male)....	213
Children born in institution (Female)..	183

Discharged.

Women undelivered.....	16
Women delivered.....	448
Hospital cases.....	71
Deaths (Women).....	12
Deaths (Children).....	155
Still births.....	19

Medical Diseases in Children's Service.

	<i>Cases</i>	<i>Deaths</i>
Diseases of the new born.....	70	29
Diseases of Nutrition.....	265	24
Infectious Diseases.....	14	3
Diseases of Respiratory System.....	182	43
Diseases of the Digestive System.....	160	35
Diseases of the Circulatory System.....	14	2
Diseases of the Nervous System.....	35	4
Diseases of the Genito-Urinary System.....	69	1
Diseases of the Skin.....	240	0
Diseases of the Eye.....	59	0
Diseases of the Ear.....	135	4
Diseases of the Lymph nodes.....	235	3
Contagious diseases.....	141	6
Congenital deformity.....	5	3
Diseases of the Osseous System.....	21	1
Miscellaneous diseases.....	48	1

Operations.

Excision of Tumor of Breast.....	2
Posterior Gastro-Enterostomy for Carcinoma of stomach.....	1
Appendectomy.....	4
Herniotomy.....	1
Mayo's operation for umbilical hernia..	1
Pan-Hysterectomy for Carcinoma of Uterus.....	1
Supra-Vaginal Hysterectomy for Fibroids	2
Correction of posterior displacement of Uterus.....	3
Excision of Polypus of Uterus.....	1
Amputation of cervix of Uterus.....	2
Trachelorrhaphy.....	3
Anterior Colporrhaphy.....	2
Posterior Colporrhaphy.....	9
Removal of Ovarian Cyst.....	3
Resection of Fallopian Tubes.....	3
Resection of Ovaries.....	5
Excision of Intra-ligamentous cyst of right ovary.....	1
Dilation and Curettage.....	8
Sterility—Dilatation and Curettage—Stem pessary.....	2
Sterility—Dilatation and Curettage—Dudley's Operation.....	1
Termination of Pregnancy—Toxemia of Pregnancy.....	1
Termination of Pregnancy—Pulmonary Tuberculosis.....	1
Incision of Ischio-Rectal Abscess.....	1

Operations—Children.

Hibb's Operation for Potts disease....	1
Tonsillectomy, Adenoidectomy.....	17
Adenoidectomy.....	24
Operation for Hare-lip and partial cleft palate.....	1
Operation for Hare-lip.....	1
Herniotomy.....	2
Radical Mastoidotomy.....	3
Intubation.....	2
Tracheotomy.....	1

Obstetrical Complications.

	<i>Indoor</i>	<i>Outdoors</i>	<i>Total</i>
Breech	9	26	35
Transverse	6	2	8
Face	1	3	4
Twins	3	4	7
Presenting Cord	4	3	7
Hand Presentation	0	1	1
Placenta Previa	1	1	2
Retained Placenta	0	1	1
Postpartum Hemorrhage	0	1	1
Bartholonian Abscess	1	1	2
Eclampsia	2	0	2
Toxemia of Pregnancy	4	0	4
Pernicious Vomiting	1	0	1

Obstetrical Operations.

	<i>Indoor</i>	<i>Outdoor</i>	<i>Total</i>
Caesarean Section	7	0	7
Vaginal Caesarean Section	1	0	1
High Forceps	12	4	16
Medium Forceps	19	12	31
Low Forceps	19	11	30
Versions	3	2	5
Induced Labors	9	2	11
Craniotomy	1	2	3
Curettage	16	8	24

Outdoor Obstetrical Department.

Number of Post Partum cases under observation October 1, 1914.

Mothers	40
Babies	36
Applications received	1,292
Confinements	817
Number of Tenements visited	8,987
Referred to hospital (mothers)	24
Referred to hospital (babies)	65

Deaths

Mothers	0
Babies	30
Still births	39

Causes of Death—Indoors.

Mothers

Lobar Pneumonia complicating child birth	1
Septicemia from a retained macerated fetus	1
Carcinoma of the stomach, intestinal obstruction	1
Acute Nephritis of Pregnancy with Uremia and convulsions	1
Septicemia following child birth at term	2
Puerperal Sepsis following normal delivery at term—acute dilatation of stomach	1
Malignant Endocarditis	1
Eclampsia—Convulsions	1
Toxemia of Pregnancy	1
Lobar pneumonia following child birth	1
Gastro-Intestinal Paresis—following Caesarean section—Chronic diffuse Nephritis	1

Deaths—Children.

	<i>Indoors</i>	<i>Outdoors</i>	<i>Total</i>
Still births	19	39	58
Prematurity	2	6	8
Congenital Debility	0	9	9
Cerebral Hemorrhage	0	2	2
Atelectasis	4	5	9
Hemorrhagic disease of the new born	1	6	7
Acute Anemia	1	0	1
Congenital Syphilis	2	0	2
Anencephalus	1	0	1
Extrophy of the intestines	1	0	1
Caul	0	1	1
Diaphragmatic Hernia	0	1	1
Chondrodystrophic Foctalis	0	1	1
Brow Meningocele	0	1	1
Spina-bifida	1	0	1
Pyloric spasm	0	1	1
Whooping-cough (convulsions)	0	1	1
Broncho-Pneumonia	2	5	7

Donations of Money Received by Treasurer.

October 1st, 1913 to September 30th, 1914.

Anonymous through Dr. H. McM. Painter.....	\$3,000.00
Mr. Joseph Milbank.....	200.00
Mr. W. R. Coe, Bathroom Ward 5.....	175.00
Mrs. Andrew Carnegie.....	100.00
Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt.....	100.00
Dr. Charles G. Kerley, Bathroom Ward 5.....	75.00
Mrs. Edward J. Berwind.....	45.00
Peter Cooper Golden Wedding Fund.....	35.00
Mr. Lispenard Stewart.....	25.00
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George Borgfeldt & Company.....	25.00
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Miss Julia L. Delafield.....	10.00
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Mrs. Joseph L. B. Mayer.....	10.00
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Mr. Eugene G. Foster.....	5.00
Mrs. James Herman Aldrich.....	5.00
Mr. W. P. Herrick.....	5.00
Total.....	\$4,005.00

Donations in Kind.

THE NEW YORK NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL gratefully acknowledges the receipt of clothing, food, toys, services and miscellaneous articles from the following donors during the year ending September 30th, 1914.

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Mrs. DeLancey Nicoll	Anonymous, New Rochelle
Young Women's Christian Assn. 124th St. Branch	Mr. Charles Volz

In addition, the following Societies have donated to the Hospital, a total of 12,569 garments during the past year.

St. Christopher League	Lenten Sewing Class of the N. Y. Nursery and Child's Hospital
Calvary Church	Employment Society of the Church of the Incarnation
Helping Hand Association of St. Thomas' House	Needle Work Guild
Helping Hand Society of All Souls' Church	

Christmas Donations.

1913.

Mrs. Henry Mills Day	\$ 5.00	Mr. Lesley J. Pearson	\$10.00
Dr. James R. McKernon	5.00	Mrs. Allen M. Thomas	5.00
Mr. Daniel C. Adams	5.00	Mr. Charles Biele	5.00
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Mrs. Jacob M. Gidding	2.00	Dr. Edward L. Partridge	10.00
Mrs. Vanderbilt	50.00		

Endowed Beds.

In Perpetuity.

Mrs. Guy Fairfax Whiting, in memory of her mother, to be called the
Mary J. Van Doren Bed

Miss Martha Potter, in memory of Mary Wiltse.

Miss Francis de Peyster, in memory of Frederic James de Peyster.

Mrs. Walter Graeme Ladd, in memory of her nephew,
John T. Willets, Jr.

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For Our Year.

The St. Christopher League, two beds.



Form of Bequest

I give and bequeath to the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital (a New York Corporation) the sum of

to be applied to the Charitable uses and purposes of said Corporation.

Support of Beds

\$ 350 will support a Bed for one year

\$3500 will support a Bed for life of donor

£7500 will support a Bed in perpetuity



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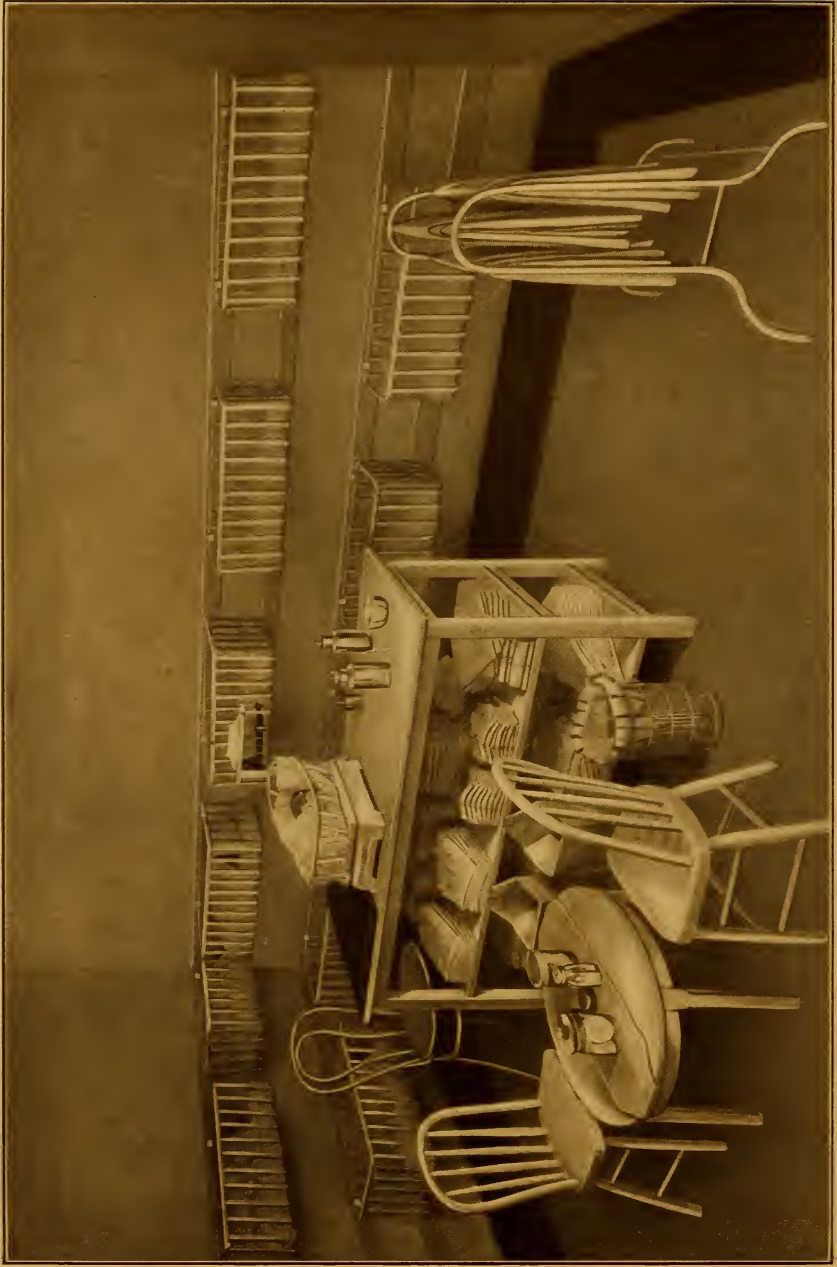


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History of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital



THE work now carried on by the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital, succeeding to all the activities and to all the traditions of the oldest nursery, the oldest child's hospital, and the oldest maternity hospital which sent doctors to the homes of the poor at the time of child-birth in the City of New York, was first begun in 1823.

The present corporation was formed by the consolidation of the Nursery and Child's Hospital with the New York Infant Asylum which had formerly consolidated with the old Marion Street Maternity Hospital. Each of these institutions was a pioneer in its particular line of endeavor.

The old Marion Street Maternity Hospital was organized in 1823 and incorporated in 1827 as "The New York Female Asylum for Lying-In Women" and was so called for the next seventy years. Its object was: "To furnish comfortable conditions and skillful attendance to respectable married women who require an asylum during the period of their confinement, and also to supply competent medical care to deserving married women at their homes under similar circumstances." It was the first institution of its kind to care for poor respectable women and was the pioneer in the city in sending physicians to the homes of

the poor to attend at childbirth. In 1830 it bought two lots in Orange Street now Marion Street near Prince Street for \$2750, and built a three-story building with a forty-five foot front and a depth of sixty feet. This was its headquarters for fifty-five years. In 1885 it moved to 139 Second Avenue where it continued its quiet and unostentatious charity until 1899 when it consolidated with the New York Infant Asylum.

The 69th Annual Report of the Marion Street Hospital thus summarizes its work—"Born in 1823, it has had a useful career for sixty-nine years. From its commencement it has had the service of the best medical talent of the city. The first consultants were Thomas Cock, Gilbert Smith, John Watts, Ansel W. Ives, and J. C. Bliss, all prominent men in this city. . . . As to the benefits the institution has conferred on the poor, it can point to 5542 confinements within its walls and 16,690 in its Out-Door Department."

Under the terms of the consolidation with the New York Infant Asylum, one floor of the present building of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital was and still is reserved to continue the ministrations of the Marion Street Hospital. The present Out-Door Department of our Hospital follows the plan adopted in 1823 and is only limited by the money that can be found to support it and by the number of doctors that can be accommodated by our building. During the past year the Out-Door Obstetrical Department attended 894 women in childbirth.

The Nursery and Child's Hospital with the name of "The Nursery for the Children of Poor Women" was founded in 1854 through the efforts of Mrs. Cornelius DuBois, who for more than thirty years thereafter continued as its First Directress. One day, when driving in the streets of New York City, she was startled by screams from an upper story of a tenement and looked up to see a child caught by a fallen sash hanging from a window. With the help of neighbors, she broke into the room and released the child. She found that it had been left alone while its parents were at work. Her attention was thus first called to the need existing in New York City for the proper care of children.

In an address on her "Thirty Years' Experience in Hospital Work" published in the annual report of the Hospital for 1886, Mrs. DuBois tells of the immediate occasion of the founding of the Nursery and Child's Hospital as follows:

"In February 1854 the story was told of a wet nurse's child found in a damp basement room in a basket under the bed on which a woman lay ill with smallpox, whose infant had died of that frightful disease. This

poor woman was paid a high price for the care of the infant, whose mother was not allowed to visit it for fear of carrying contagious disease from a tenement house to the child of a wealthy mother. The story was told with many additional horrors to two ladies and inquiries were made at once of a leading physician as to the fate of wet nurses' infants. His answer was "As a rule all infants of wet nurses die and generally from neglect." Next day one of these ladies had collected \$900. The second day \$850, and in three months \$10,000 was obtained. The idea was started on February 5th, on April 10th a charter was obtained and on the 1st of May the nursery for the children of poor women was opened."

The conditions that existed in New York City in the '50's is told by Mrs. DuBois in the Annual Report of the Hospital for 1879.

"Your attention is called to the condition of the poor children of New York before the nursery was founded. Dr. Elisha Harris gives the following statement. 'In 1854 to 1859 about 1000 infants were farmed out per year, ninety out of one hundred would not live to see their first birthday. In a single hut on the river side above Thirty-fourth Street, it was common to find four or five young infants lying on the floor, with a single nurse who gave them bottle food until they died. The Alms-house Governors paid so much a week until they all died. They would be marked dead on their books and that was the last of them. The expense in 1859 was over fifty thousand dollars for the support of the children in these houses that were worse than no houses at all.'"

"In one week after the Nursery was opened every bed was filled with the children of wet nurses who had paid high board for their infants. They were brought from the best places that could then be found, so emaciated from want, so filthy from neglect, that no nurse could be found willing to take charge of them. No one would cut off the hair matted in the sores, or anoint the diseased bodies. One of the managers had to attend personally and it took months to produce the moral effect necessary to induce these women to perform this duty, and then only by showing the mothers that unless they would do as they wished others to do to them, their own loved ones might be reduced to the same disgusting condition. During the winter of 1856-7 the Rev. S. B. Holliday published many articles in the newspapers to arouse public sentiment in regard to the cruelties practised on infants and children. The articles were headed "Murder of the Innocents" and the end was accomplished. At first the stories were not believed. The Almshouse Governors were

horrified at finding that the foundlings and deserted infants they boarded out died of want, disease and cruelty.

“Hon. Isaac Townsend whose kind heart induced him to investigate the facts wrote a report in which he pleaded for a Foundling Hospital where he believed the children would be well cared for. He died before his desire was accomplished.”

The first quarters of the new charity were in St. Mark's Place and shortly after it opened, it became necessary to find additional room. With cholera in the City and the heat intense, it became suddenly evident that the house “was overcrowded, that our numbers must be divided or our children must die. The next house was found to be vacant and not an hour could be lost. The key of our basement door fitted and women with pails and brushes were sent in to clean the house while the manager on duty drove to the office of the owner with a check for a quarter's rent in advance. He was glad to deliver up the keys of a house he did not expect to rent in July and he does not know to this day that while he was leasing the house it was already occupied.”

In 1856 the Nursery acquired one of the wooden cottages which had been used by the New York Hospital while its stone wing was being constructed. When abandoned by the New York Hospital, the cottage was moved to the Tonnele Estate at 14th Street and 6th Avenue where the Nursery followed it. In 1857 the cornerstone of the building at Lexington Avenue and 51st Street was laid.

The question of funds was as acute in the early days as it is at present, and the Annual Reports show the many means adopted to raise money for the charity. In 1865 Mr. Bierstadt contributed the proceeds of the first exhibition of his magnificent picture “A Storm in the Rocky Mountains”; and the sum of \$455.75 was realized from the exhibition of Huntington's historical painting “Mrs. Washington's Reception Day” placed “at our disposal for a month by the voluntary kindness of its owner, Mr. A. T. Stewart.” The greatest single item of revenue, however, was obtained from the Annual Charity Ball inaugurated in 1857, and through all these years maintained and made a great financial and social success by the ladies interested in this charity.

In 1858 the Building Committee consisting of Erastus Brooks, Cornelius DuBois, Mary A. DuBois, Augusta M. Little and Peter McCarty reported that “the new edifice (the cornerstone of which was laid on June 22nd last) will be completed about the middle of April and ready for occupancy by May 17th. It is believed that, for the limited means

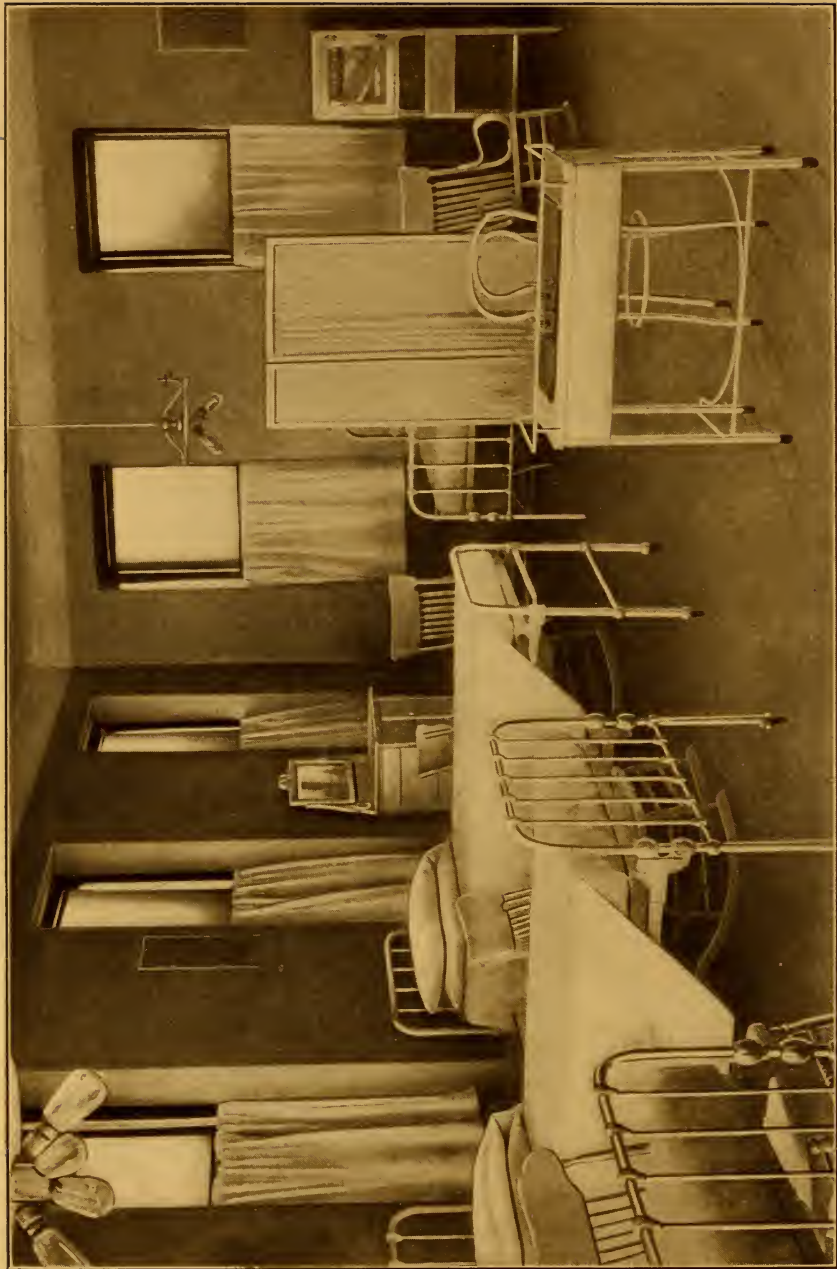
provided, a better building for the purpose intended, will be erected, than any other which has ever been built in this City." But the fair promise as to completion was not fulfilled as the "edifice" was not finished until just before the outbreak of the War of the Rebellion. The necessities of our wounded soldiers was then the first duty of all, and for four years the building in question was resigned to their use and recognized as a "Soldier's Home."

"During the war," says Mrs. DuBois, "many had seen how admirably this building was arranged, and it was only after many contests that it was finally restored and occupied as originally designed. The Roman Catholics wanted it for a school. The North-Eastern Dispensary (which was commenced in the basement of our 51st Street Nursery) wished to claim it, and the militia tried to get it for an armory. The history of these contests would be amusing, but would take too much time to relate. Aided by Senators Erastus Brooks and Spencer, by Manton Marble, Esq., and by the firmness and kindness of Mayor Gunther, the Nursery overcame all obstacles and triumphed, the Common Council granting them a perpetual lease of the building and lots at the corner of Lexington Avenue and 51st Street." From 1879 to the time of its consolidation the Nursery and Child's Hospital cared for a total of 38,179 inmates.

It maintained its quarters at 51st Street until 1913 when the Supreme Court granted an application permitting the corporation to sell the property. With the proceeds of this sale, the new wing of the hospital on 61st Street and Amsterdam Avenue, which has just been completed and is about to be formally opened has been built.

In 1870 Mrs. Algernon Sydney Sullivan began her active connection with the Hospital and was at once made its Secretary. From then until today she has continued her great and valued services to the institution as Secretary, as Third, Second and First Directress and now as Vice-President of the consolidated Hospital, as a member of the Executive Committee, and for the past thirty-four years President of the Charity Ball. In 1870 also the Nursery opened its Country Home on Staten Island where for the following ten years the children in its charge, particularly the sickly ones, were sent in order to be in the open air. At the end of the ten years the main buildings of the Home caught fire and were burned.

Although the Nursery and Child's Hospital began its work as a nursery, it soon found it necessary to provide care for its sick children



A Section of the Old Marion Street Maternity Ward

and to a certain extent, it did so almost from the beginning. It did not, however, legally broaden its scope until several years after its founding. The primary object, however, for which the New York Infant Asylum was founded in 1865 was to take charge of foundlings and infant children of the age of two years and under and to provide for their support and education. It also provided such lying-in wards and methods of care and guidance as should prevent maternal abandonment of homeless infants and diminish the moral dangers and personal sufferings to which homeless mothers were exposed.

This charity had its origin in the efforts of the Rev. Mr. Richmond to reform a class of unfortunate young women whom he found in the Maternity Wards of Bellevue Hospital. He died before his plan could be carried through, but his widow in 1865 secured a charter and a building for the Asylum was rented at 104th Street and West End Avenue. Mrs. Richmond struggled for two years with the problems confronting the Asylum, when she died, and the work was abandoned. In 1871 the Society was reorganized through the efforts of Miss Alice Sanford and her father General Sanford. "The method proposed to carry out Mr. Richmond's plan was to open a house for unfortunate women where they could be received several months before confinement and where they could remain nine to ten months after," says Dr. Stephen Smith in an address to the Board of Managers at the Annual meeting in June, 1900. "This Home," he continues, "was to be under the care of a competent matron with a woman physician, and to be pervaded by those moral and religious influences most likely to elevate the character of its inmates. To this end also a number of influential ladies were invited and became active members of the Board. It was on this feature of our reorganization that the permanent establishment of the Asylum rested. It was essentially a woman's work and not until such skilled hands and sympathetic minds as Miss Sanford, Mrs. Gibbons, and Mrs. Garrison were brought into the governing board was success assured."

The Charity Commissioners of the City of New York fixed the rate at which the City was to pay for destitute children at \$1.33 per week. "The Society accepted the situation, rented a building in 8th Street near Broadway and began operations. The result sustained the assertions of the most sanguine members of the Board for the mortality scarcely exceeded nine per cent against ninety-six per cent. on the Island."

"It is difficult," says Dr. Smith, "to estimate the vast influence of that first year's experiment on the saving of child life in the City of New

York. The Commissioners of Charity immediately took the alarm and built and equipped the Infant Asylum on Randall's Island where the mortality was reduced to less than twenty per cent. The Nursery and Child's Hospital, under Mrs. DuBois, secured a change of the law placing that institution on the same basis as this asylum, and from that date the mortality of children in its care has been little more than twelve per cent. Following that Sister Irene obtained a charter for the Foundling Asylum based on the law of the Infant Asylum, and with the care of two thousand children in the most variable condition as regards the prospect of living has a mortality of less than twenty per cent. Still other institutions have been founded on the basis of this Asylum and are meeting with the same success in saving child life."

In 1872, the New York Infant Asylum bought the property where the present Hospital stands, at Amsterdam Avenue and 61st Street, for \$55,000—\$16,500 cash and the balance on mortgage—but the building was not occupied until April, 1873. The house at No. 24 Clinton Place was not abandoned, however, until 1878.

In 1899, the New York Infant Asylum consolidated with the old Marion Street Maternity Hospital and the cash realized from the sale of the Marion Street property, some \$75,000, together with \$18,000 donated for the purpose, was used to build the first four stories of the present Hospital building.

In 1910 the New York Infant Asylum was consolidated with the Nursery and Child's Hospital under the name of New York Nursery and Child's Hospital. Under this consolidation, the work of the two corporations has been continued and enlarged. Roughly this work can be classified as follows:

- (1) A Lying-In Hospital;
- (2) A Hospital for sick children;

(3) A Boarding-out Department, supplanting the nursery in the Building. The foundling children are placed in suitable homes and their general welfare supervised by visitors from the hospital;

(4) An Outside Obstetrical Department, continuing the work begun by the Old Marion Street Maternity Hospital. Physicians connected with the staff are sent to the homes of those who apply for aid;

(5) The training of nursery maids, who, after a systematic course in the care of young children, are open to employment in private families.

A moment's thought will show that this division involves the care of the healthy child and the care of women at childbirth and of sick children.

Today the most advanced social worker endeavors to make the healthy foundling one of a family group. This necessitates the removal of the child from the nursery and placing it in a boarding-out home. To the founders this might well seem like encouraging the very evil to fight which the Nursery was established. But contrast the thought of six hundred odd healthy young children under the care of the institution during the past year herded under one roof, no matter how nearly ideal the system may be, with those same six hundred children boarded out in three hundred and fifty homes located within a radius of twenty miles of the hospital, each child visited from once to twice a week, according to its age and condition, by one of six trained nurses, all under the direct supervision of the head of the Boarding-Out Department, no woman being allowed to have a boarding-out child until her house and character and experience have been investigated and she has qualified under the strict rules of the Department. The latter is the method we have adopted to carry on the work formerly done in a nursery. Begun some fifteen years ago, it has gradually entirely superseded the "herding" system. We now care for more children than formerly and we have better results. That the system is not yet perfected is, of course, true, but that it is the surest way to help our little foundlings and waifs to better health, there seems little doubt. Without oversight, the babies might be abused as in the old days, and the essence of the new plan lies in constant, thorough and skilled supervision. With care and sympathy, however, the child attaches itself to its foster mother and the foster mother to it and the foundling knows what it is to be coddled when unhappy.

Although the foster mothers frequently nurse the babies through severe illnesses, yet theoretically and as a general rule, the child when ill is returned to the Hospital and placed in the wards until it has recovered.

There are always from eighty to one hundred sick children in the wards of the Hospital. They are roomed in the three children's wards on the seventh floor, and sometimes another ward in the quarantine building is pressed into service. The shelter on the roof of the old building is also devoted to the children. The entire children's service is under the supervision of a graduate nurse who is aided by the girls who are in training as nursery maids. These young women are given an eight months' course in the care of children and upon graduation we help to obtain for them positions as nursemaids.

Besides the children's service, the Hospital maintains a maternity service. During the past year the public wards have cared for three

hundred and fifteen patients. The Department of Charities of the City pays for emergency cases and the hospital maintains nine free beds for the care of worthy women. These beds have been used by thirty women during the past year. There is also a waiting ward containing thirteen beds to which women are admitted several months before delivery.

The third floor has seven rooms, single and ensuite, for private patients. These rooms are in constant demand and during the past



A Boarding Out Child

year this floor has cared for three hundred and twenty-three women. In the new addition seven more rooms have been provided. There is also a well equipped nursery in connection with this floor for the use of the babies of the private patients. In addition to the private rooms, there is maintained a semi-private ward where women are cared for at a very moderate charge during confinement.

Another activity which has recently grown rapidly in importance is the Out Door Obstetrical Department. This work has generally supplanted the work of the old Marion Street Maternity Hospital Wards.

There are still maintained separate wards for the care of the respectable married woman, but very few patients of this class are received. Almost entirely the Hospital now goes to the homes of these women instead of having them come to the Hospital. The woman who wishes to avail herself of this service registers at the Hospital, and at the time of her confinement, she is attended by one of the three doctors attached to this department and by one of the nurses. During the past year eight hundred and ninety-four women were cared for in their homes. The Dispensary connected with this Department has cared for thirty-four hundred and forty patients.

For the care of the sick, graduate and pupil nurses are in attendance. A graduate nurse is in charge of each department of the Hospital and she is aided by pupil nurses. The latter come to us for three months from affiliated hospitals in which they are taking a general course in nursing. It is planned to offer to the pupil nurses of the affiliated hospitals a further course in the care of children.

For all these activities, coupled with the up-keep of the new building the need of funds is always present. The Hospital is not self-supporting. It has no endowment. Notwithstanding a small per capita payment by the City for the care of its public charges, it is dependent entirely upon the generosity of its friends for the support of its all-important work, which was begun in 1823 and has been continually carried on for ninety-three years.

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A Private Room

Report of the President



ON the date of the last annual report the old "North House" had been torn down and the work of excavation for the new building begun; an appropriation of \$100,000 having been made for its construction. This amount was subsequently increased to \$125,000.

During the past year, and after the adoption of valuable recommendations received from members of the Board and others, many minor changes and improvements have, as the work progressed, been made. The President has to thank the other members of the Building Committee for the conscientious efforts they have given to their duties.

There has been expended to date on the new building \$80,130.75. It is fast approaching completion and ought to be ready for occupancy about the end of December. It, together with the alterations to the old building essential to unite the two into one institution, gives us an enlarged hospital fitted with modern appliances and able to fulfill both the medical and charitable purposes which have ever been our aim.

It is self evident, however, that even through practising the utmost economy, the annual expenses of the larger plant will exceed our present income, the loss from operating last year being \$4,669.90. Attention is also called to the fact that the appropriation for the new building does not include its furniture; this will probably amount to from \$8,000 to \$10,000. It, therefore, becomes also necessary to increase our capital by at least \$100,000, unless we can obtain voluntary contributions to defray the expenses for furniture. This can be accomplished perhaps through the generosity of our members and friends who may be induced to fit out certain rooms: such rooms to have in them a tablet in memory of any person they may designate. This practice has been followed with much success by other institutions. Mr. Baldwin, the Chairman of the Publicity Committee, states that he will be glad to furnish the cost of furnishing the different rooms to anyone desiring that information. It is recommended that small groups be organized—each one to take up the work of fitting out, at least, one room. In this connection I gratefully acknowledge the donations of funds to furnish rooms by Mrs. F. S. Witherbee, by Mrs. J. M. Bowers, by Mrs. Edwin S. Steese, by Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Heaton, by Mrs. Henry D. Nicoll and her

family in memory of Dr. Nicoll and also by a patient of Dr. Fellowes Davis. Also through the efforts of Dr. Painter and Dr. Davis gifts have been received for the purpose of equipping and furnishing the new quarters of the Out-Door Department.

Miss Calhoun having resigned as Superintendent on October 1, 1915, the Executive Committee, after a thorough investigation of all the applicants, appointed, on October 10th, Miss Rye Morley, Superintendent. Miss Morley came to the hospital with the highest recommendations, and since her appointment has lived up to the excellent record she gained in other institutions. I bespeak your assistance in her behalf as the extra labor thrown on the new Superintendent during the period of reconstruction will be most arduous.

Mr. G. Morgan Browne has signified his intention to resign as Treasurer. You will appreciate with me what a loss this may be to our institution. For fifteen years he has not only taken care of our finances, but given much time and made almost daily visits to the hospital attending to routine matters and relieving the Directors of details not essentially a part of a treasurer's work.

In the death of Mrs. Prescott Hall Butler, for many years one of our Directors, this hospital lost one of its most loyal supporters, the members of the Board a devoted friend, and the City of New York a personality active in many branches of charity.

To the Chairmen of the various committees, and to the many others who during the past year have assisted so much, not only in details, but in the broader scope of the general policy to make the new and enlarged hospital worthy of the cause for which it was founded, the President gives his warmest thanks.

The hospital is now reaching a point in its history where even still better results may be obtained in the boarding-out department and for the women who come to the institution for shelter and comfort in their time of need. It might be well, therefore, for the Directors to consider the advisability of employing a social worker who can investigate the needs of the poor and give intelligent relief and instruction to a patient; such social service nurses or workers are, it is understood, trained by other institutions for the special work of caring for mothers and babies, and keeping in touch with the many friendless women who apply for admission.

The question of a graduate dietitian for the hospital is also worthy

of consideration. The correct and sanitary preparation of the diet for the inmates of a hospital is a matter of importance which is often overlooked by many institutions.

Whether or not the monthly allowance which has been paid in the past to pupil nurses can not be dispensed with by affiliations with representative training schools of the City and State, is also worthy of consideration.

Respectfully,

JACOB W. MILLER,

President.

Report of the Executive Committee

TO THE PRESIDENT AND THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS:



THE Executive Committee has had a most important year. While the details of the new Building were entrusted to a Special Building Committee, most of the changes in the old building and the many questions of renovations and repairs which thorough observation and study brought to light, were passed upon by this Committee. This included a decision on many questions of painting and plumbing and electrical equipment.

During the summer our superintendent, Miss Calhoun, resigned and a sub-committee met the various candidates for the position. Upon its recommendation, Miss Rye Morley was engaged as superintendent and entered upon her duties on October 10th.

The engaging of a new superintendent necessarily carried with it the question of how the facilities obtained by the new building might best be utilized. To your Chairman and the members, it seemed important that the details of the hospital work should be entrusted to experienced hands, skilled in the needs and equipment of a modern institution such as ours gave great promise of becoming. I am happy to say that the plans of your committee are bearing fruit and that the coming year should see a great increase in the number of persons aided by us, an improvement in the esprit de corps of our administrative staff and also in the quality of the care given to those whom we assist.

In the Boarding-out Department Dr. Haynes and Miss Holmes have submitted to your Committee a detailed plan for greater supervision of the work of the department, enabling the persons in charge by means of a card index to keep a closer and more complete watch on the children under their care. The plan has, in a general way, been approved by the Executive Committee and as soon as the new offices are ready it will be put into effect.

An important addition as an aid to the successful care and treatment of our women and children has been accomplished through the location in our new building of a well organized, properly equipped laboratory for serological and bacteriological work with a salaried externe pathologist.

Through the generosity of Dr. Painter, a complete and modern equipment has been provided for the Out-door Obstetrical Department, and thus another need has been provided for.

The St. Christopher League continues efficient service in our behalf, at this time providing for the full equipment of our new children's ward.

With the new era that is opening before us, it is a pleasure and an inspiration to acknowledge the generosity of our friends knowing that as we make known to them our needs we can be sure that they will help us find the means to meet them.

EDWARD L. PARTRIDGE,

Chairman.



Report of the Treasurer

TO THE PRESIDENT AND THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

I submit herewith my report for the fiscal year from October 1, 1914, to September 30, 1915, with tables compiled from the books of the corporation showing:

- (1) *Cash receipts and disbursements.*
- (2) *Comparative balance sheets* with schedules of real estate, bonds and mortgages, and stocks and bonds, annexed.
- (3) *Tables of revenue and expenses*, including analysis of expenses, amounts charged to the City of New York and County of Westchester for care and support of inmates.

The stocks and bonds belonging to the corporation have been re-valued at their prices as of September 30, 1915, the close of the fiscal year.

The only legacy received during the year was \$1500 from the Estate of John Howard Wright which was credited direct to capital pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Directors passed February 10, 1914.

During the fiscal year the sum of \$80,130.75 was paid out on account of construction of the new building on Amsterdam Avenue. The total contracts for excavation and construction for this building amount to about \$125,000, exclusive of repairs and alterations to the present buildings made necessary by the new construction and exclusive of furniture and equipment.

No expenses were capitalized during the year. No money has been borrowed and no indebtedness incurred except for current expenses and the contracts for the new building above mentioned.

The operating loss amounting to \$4,669.90 was written off the capital account after the close of the year.

The net loss in assets on September 30, 1915, as compared with September 30, 1914, is \$16,273.46.

The treasurer's accounts have been audited by Messrs. J. I. Cole, Son & Company, 170 Broadway, New York City, and their report to the Finance and Auditing Committee agrees with the figures given herein.

Respectfully submitted,

J. MORGAN BROWNE,

Treasurer.

Table I.

Receipts and Disbursements of Cash

From Cash Book from October 1, 1914 to September 30, 1915

Cash on hand and in bank October 1, 1914 \$37,420.06

RECEIPTS

City of New York	\$102,580.50	
Building Fund, etc.	46,717.98	
Interest and Dividends	25,195.12	
Sold \$25,000 Great Northern, Northern Pacific, C. B. Q. joint 4s	24,068.65	
Pay Patients	15,549.90	
Charity Ball	12,784.92	
Florence Cahen mortgage principal in full	5,500.00	
Donations	5,352.30	
David Pollack mortgage, on account principal	3,000.00	
Hospital Saturday and Sunday Association	1,572.13	
Legacy (Estate John Howard Wright)	1,500.00	
Annual Endowed Beds (from St. Christopher League)	700.00	
Miscellaneous Revenue	619.59	
Robert Tag mortgage, paid on account principal	500.00	
Rent Receivable	350.00	
Associate Members Dues	290.00	
Annual Dues	260.00	
Interest Purchased	193.53	
Staten Island Place	153.50	
Westchester County	68.34	
House Expenses Refunds	58.83	
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry. Co. sale of rights pfd.	9.38	
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry. Co. sale of rights common	1.50	\$247,026.17

\$284,446.23

DISBURSEMENTS

Accounts Payable	\$169,327.11	
New Building	80,050.75	\$249,377.86

CASH

The Fulton Trust Company	\$30,355.82	
The Fifth Avenue Bank	3,846.54	
The Corn Exchange Bank	486.78	
The Fulton Trust Company (Permanent Endowment Fund)	379.23	\$35,068.37

\$284,446.23

Table II.

Balance Sheet, October 1, 1914

ASSETS	LIABILITIES
PERMANENT ASSETS	PERMANENT LIABILITIES
Real Estate.....\$218,812.10	Capital.....\$778,857.60
Bonds and Mortgages..... 234,000.00	Endowed Beds..... 20,000.00
Stocks and Bonds..... 257,149.88	
Stephen Baker Trustee Permanent Building and Endowment Fund..... 46,710.44	CURRENT LIABILITIES
Linsly Trust Fund..... 1.00	Accounts Payable.....\$ 13,734.71
CURRENT ASSETS	
Cash..... \$37,420.06	
Due by City of New York..... 16,736.04	
Due by Westchester County..... 21.78	
Interest on bonds purchased, accrued but not due..... 193.53	
Due by Lucy H. Calhoun, Supt. 1,547.48	
\$812,592.31	\$812,592.31

Balance Sheet, October 1, 1915

ASSETS	LIABILITIES
PERMANENT ASSETS	PERMANENT LIABILITIES
Real Estate Schedule "A".....\$298,709.35	Capital October 1, 1914.....\$778,857.60
Bonds and Mortgages Schedule "B"..... 224,750.00	Less Net depreciation on securities.....\$13,104.56
Stocks and Bonds Schedule "C" 172,748.25	Operating Loss 4,669.90
Securities constituting Permanent Endowment Fund Schedule "D"..... 47,564.23	\$17,774.46
Including \$379.23 of cash	Cr. by John Howard Wright legacy...\$1,500.00
	Est. value of A. C. Brown legacy.... 1.00
CURRENT ASSETS	\$1,501.00 \$16,273.46
Due by City of New York.....\$ 17,906.47	Amount transferred to Permanent Endowment Fund..... 47,564.23
Due by Westchester Co..... 50.60	\$63,837.69
Due by Lucy H. Calhoun, Supt. (Balance)..... 1,225.82	Capital October 1, 1915.....\$715,019.91
Linsly Trust Fund..... 1.00	Endowed Beds..... 20,000.00
Estate of Augustus C. Brown.... 1.00	Permanent Endowment Fund.. 47,564.23
Interest on bonds sold, accrued but not due..... 25.00	CURRENT LIABILITIES
Cash..... 34,689.14	Accounts Payable.....\$ 15,086.72
\$797,670.86	\$797,670.86

Report of the Financing and Auditing Committee

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

THE Committee on Finance and Auditing of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital has the honor to report that Mr. George E. Roosevelt, Treasurer, Mr. G. Morgan Browne, myself and Mr. John I. Cole, Public Accountant, made a careful examination of all the negotiable stocks and bonds of this institution, which are in the United States Safe Deposit Company's vaults in the private box of this hospital, accessible only to any two members of this Committee. The securities were found as reported by the accounts of the Treasurer. The bonds and mortgages are in the custody of the Treasurer and are properly recorded and assigned to the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital. There is no default in the payment of interest upon any of them.

Under authority granted this Committee, the securities of this institution, set aside as Permanent and Building Fund, viz:

\$12,000	N. Y. C. & H. R. R. Co. 1st 3½% bonds
\$10,000	Southern Pacific Convertible 5% bonds
\$10,000	Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Convertible 4½% bonds
\$10,000	Southern Pacific Convertible 4% bonds
\$10,000	New York City 4½% bonds of 1960

were transferred to the general fund securities and the following bonds and mortgages substituted therefor, viz:

David Pollock.....	\$15,000
David Pollock.....	16,000
David Pollock.....	16,000
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	\$47,000

The transfer was made for salable securities to apply on payments for the new hospital building, which on December 8, 1915 was paid for, except about \$9,000.

Respectfully submitted,

WM. WEAVER HEATON,

Chairman Finance and Auditing Committee.

Report of the House Committee

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:



INCE I was elected Chairman of the House Committee in January, 1915, seven meetings have been held at the Hospital. At each meeting four ladies were appointed as visitors for the ensuing month and the reports of visitors for the previous month were had, and action thereon taken when necessary.

At the January meeting the Lenten Sewing Class was organized. After five meetings the members reported over four hundred and fifty garments made and delivered to the Hospital.

Funds remaining from the Sewing Class subscriptions were invested in material for uniform warm coats to be worn by children when on the roof. These were made by the Hospital seamstress.

In March the Committee investigated the quality and quantity of food served in the Hospital. A more varied diet was suggested by some of the ladies and proved acceptable and as economical as the food served previously.

The Committee considered various questions in regard to the conduct of the Hospital as recommended by the Executive Committee and also suggested a number of sanitary measures which were successfully carried out.

The new assembly room permitted of a larger Christmas Festival than usual for the distribution of presents could be made in one day. At one end of the room was placed a large Christmas Tree and around it the presents were grouped. To the Festival came the inmates of the Hospital, the Boarding Out Children, and the women of the Out Door Department. To each were given presents and fruit and candy. There were in all over eight hundred recipients of Christmas gifts. There were besides remembrances for all the doctors and nurses and tea for the guests. It was a very happy party, and our thanks are due to Mrs. Witherbee for her interest in overseeing all the arrangements.

At Easter Mrs. Witherbee collected the fund for plants for the wards and rooms of the Hospital, and later she invested the surplus money in plants and shrubs for the roof and garden. Members of the House Committee contributed generously to this fund.

I wish to call attention to Mrs. Day's untiring and invaluable interest in the welfare of the Hospital, to which she made many visits during the summer months when the superintendent was ill and on her vacation.

Respectfully submitted,

MAUD HEATON STEESE,

Chairman of House Committee.

Report of the Charity Ball Committee

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:



THE Charity Ball of February 2nd, 1915, was in a financial way something of a disappointment to those workers who did not realize that the entire Nation was suffering a great mental and business depression, and also had unexpected demands for financial aid from the unfortunate non-combatants of the warring countries in Europe. All charitable enterprises suffered, and we were no exception, insofar as we netted less than \$13,000, whereas in recent previous years we have netted about \$16,000. But even so, the financial result was many times worth the great effort made by the Committee and all of the men and women who rendered it aid.

The great efforts on the part of the Committee and its associated bodies of men and women had the important result that it made the Ball more popular among our social friends than it has been in recent years.

The policy of the management and of its associated bodies has been that the work of any one year must not only be of a kind to help the Ball in that particular year, but to aid to its prestige, popularity and influence for succeeding years.

It is in following that purpose that the Ball has maintained its dignity and its social qualities, and not yielded to some temporary temptations to introduce special features which, if introduced, would have gradually lowered the social tone of the Ball and deprived it of its peculiar charm.

The eighty men on the Charity Ball Floor Committee continued their activity in the field of publicity through the medium of the Charity Ball Society which they have organized and managed. I wish to commend the small group of men who handled the Floor Committee on the night of the Ball, having the management of the opening march and the full control and supervision of the Ball during the evening.

I feel that we should express our warm thanks and appreciation to Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee for her work as Treasurer and to Mrs. Henry Clay Adams for her work as Secretary, which involved the arduous work of obtaining the patrons and attending to the voluminous printing, and

to Mrs. George H. Benjamin who was most efficient in the sale of the boxes. Mrs. Robert Nicol again assumed the task of collecting and arranging the news items and having them published in the New York papers. This is difficult work and her services have always been appreciated.

The plans of the work of Mr. Sullivan, Chairman of the Floor Committee and President of the Charity Ball Society were efficiently carried out by the gentlemen who consented to assist him. In addition to the former, we may mention Major Charles Elliott Warren, Mr. John F. Daniell, Mr. James C. McGuire, Mr. A. R. Whitney, Jr., Mr. Sydney P. Henshaw, Mr. Alfred Houston, and Mr. Frank S. Dellenbaugh, Jr.

MARY MILDRED SULLIVAN,

Chairman of the Charity Ball Committee.



Report of the Charity Ball Society

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:



HE Charity Ball Society is annually managed by the Floor Committee as an aid to it in the efforts to interest the Social Public in the Ball. It is composed of young men active in the Social life of New York.

Their duty is to remind their friends of the Ball, the date, and the objects and to interest them to attend.

For four weeks before the Ball the subcommittees of the Floor Committee which has charge of the Society issue many circulars and personal letters to keep them interested and supplied with information to pass on to their friends.

This work is well organized, but nevertheless requires labor and constant attention from the various subchairmen.

These subcommittees increased the membership from 475 to 700 during the month preceding the Ball of February 2, 1915.

The Committees attending to most of this work are as follows:

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Chairman: GEORGE H. SULLIVAN, 16 West 11th Street

Vice-Chairman: EDWARD SIMMONS HALL, 129 East 54th Street

Secretary: ALFRED HOUSTON, 115 Broadway

FREDERICK S. DALLEBAUGH, JR. WM. R. MALONEY, JR.

C. DOUGLAS GREEN

SIDNEY P. HENSHAW

STOWE PHELPS

HOWARD A. PLUMMER

JOHN T. TERRY

FRANK C. LITTLETON

DANIEL RUNKLE

MARCEL STEINBRUGGE

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

Chairman: FREDERICK S. DALLEBAUGH, JR., 165 Broadway

Secretary: WILLIAM R. MALONEY, JR., 37 Wall Street

W. H. ADAMS

HENRY BARTOL

L. H. PAUL CHAPIN

DOUGLAS ELLIMAN

JOHN ELLIOTT

DOUGLAS GIBBONS

JOHN T. HARRISON

HAROLD E. HERRICK

SHEPARD KRECH

JOHN H. MARCHMONT

G. B. DI MOISE

HENRY S. PARKER

MARSHALL PRENTISS

H. HARTLEY RAMSAY

HENRY B. STIMSON

J. NORRISH THORNE

JAMES C. THORNTON


CHARLES H. WELLING

GEORGE H. SULLIVAN

*President of the Charity Ball Society
and Chairman of the Floor Committee*

The Women's Charity Ball Auxiliary

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

HE success of the Charity Ball Society had been so great, having increased to such an extent that it now numbers over five hundred of the representative young men of the City, that this year a Woman's Charity Ball Auxiliary has been started. Its aim, similar to that of the Charity Ball Society, is to enlarge its membership with women who would interest others in the work of the Hospital and endeavor to increase the popularity and attendance of the annual Charity Ball.

This Auxiliary met with instant success. The first meeting was held on Wednesday, December 30, 1914, at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel. Twenty-six women attended. A Committee of Organization was appointed as follows Mrs. A. C. Clarkson, Mrs. Russell Hoadley, Jr. Mrs. Hugh Rankin, Mrs. W. E. Baker, Jr., Miss Guernsey, Miss S. Warren, Mrs. E. E. Meacham, Mrs. Adrian H. Larkin, Mrs. Leary and Miss Darlington, Secretary. After this there was held a meeting every Wednesday morning during January up to the time of the Ball (February 2nd), and a meeting after the Ball on February 8th.

In the addresses made and interchange of ideas and plans, these gatherings were of great interest to those who attended them and were of very great material benefit to the Ball.

In the six meetings held a total of 142 women attended. The smallest meeting having 15, and the largest meeting 34, present. Mr. George H. Sullivan was there to explain the workings of the Charity Ball Society and to be of assistance; and Mr. Edward Simmons Hall, of the Charity Ball Society acted as Secretary.

The part played by this Women's Charity Ball Auxiliary in the final results of the Ball was so great that thanks must be given to the ladies above mentioned for their special interest in the undertaking and their uncommon endeavors towards the furtherance of our great work.

Respectfully,

GEORGE H. SULLIVAN, *Acting Secretary.*

MARY MILDRED SULLIVAN, *Chairman.*



St. Christopher Ward

Report of the St. Christopher League



AMONG the organizations allied with the activities of the Hospital none has given more enthusiastic or more valuable aid than the Saint Christopher League. This Society, which was organized in 1910, consists of sixty-two young men and women. It also has the guidance and help of thirty-six patronesses. The League gives three dances and an entertainment of some kind each winter at the Plaza, the proceeds of which are donated to the Hospital. During the first years of its existence the League was able to maintain a bed in the free wards. More recently the proceeds have been sufficient to support two beds annually.

The first Dance of this season was given on December 10, 1915, and was a most pronounced success. The Entertainment which followed on December 17, took the form of a musical novelty styled "Chansons du Jour." The first scene represented a huge shoe, the home of Mother Goose, inhabited by seventeen Day Nursery children and one kitten. The children enacted scenes from Mother Goose while Mrs. Vivian Burnett sang the melodies. More musical acts were participated in by Miss Dorothy Fox, Miss Ruth Rhein, Mr. Henry Parsons, Mr. Paul Bonner and Mr. Woodruff Rogers supported by many other members of the League in fancy dances. A distinct feature of the entertainment was a "Skating Dance" later followed by a "Swan Dance" by Miss Anne Means, 2nd, of Boston, who came on especially for the event. Both of these dances were highly enjoyed by the large audience.

The completion of the new wing of the Hospital has enabled the League to enlarge its connection with the Hospital. The new childrens' ward on the seventh floor is to be furnished and maintained by the League, and is called the Saint Christopher Ward.

This ward is planned to be the most modern and best equipped children's ward in any hospital in the City. It is divided into two parts by a glass partition running the length of the room. By other glass partitions placed at right angles to the main one and to the walls, small alcoves are provided large enough for a single crib. By this means fear of contagion is reduced to a minimum. Adjoining the ward is a nursery with the cribs attached to the wall in a double row. The two wash rooms are equipped with slabs for bathing the babies. The hose is

attached to a boiler in which the water is automatically kept at a given temperature thus avoiding any possibility of carelessness on the part of an attendant. There is also connected with the ward a hot room for the care of children born prematurely. Everything connected with the ward is finished in white. The Saint Christopher Ward will accommodate nineteen or twenty children.

With this new incentive the League confidently looks to its members to maintain its part of the agreement that has been made by its officers with the Hospital for the maintenance of the ward as its special aim.


ISABEL I. BAIRD,
Secretary



Little Miss Muffet

Report of the Medical Board

TO THE PRESIDENT AND THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

HE Medical Report for the year past is enclosed herewith. There are no points of special interest to which the Medical Board wishes to draw attention.

The Board begs, however, to congratulate the Directors upon the completion of the new building and to express the confident expectation that it will mark the beginning of a new era in the history of the Hospital. Gradually it will be possible to improve the character of both house-staff and nurses as well as make more accurate methods of treatment in all departments.

The Medical Board feels also impelled to say that the opportunities afforded by the new building impose upon all the officers of the Hospital the duty of aiding to raise the standard of the work done to the highest possible point. There is now no reason why the service of this Hospital should not be one of the finest in this country. The attainment of this end, however, means increased funds for salaries, for an increased executive force and for laboratory facilities for medical and surgical work. The fact that the Hospital has absolutely no adequate laboratory facilities can no longer be ignored. No one who is conversant with modern medical work can for a moment question the necessity of laboratories in conjunction with the wards of the hospital. It is doubtful if a hospital in this city is so sadly in need of these facilities as our own. The Medical Board believes that here and in the development of the executive force lies the most pressing need of the immediate future.

Very respectfully,

H. McM. PAINTER,
Chairman Medical Board.

Medical Report

October 1st, 1914, to October 1st, 1915

Indoor Department—Admissions.

Women awaiting delivery, Oct. 1, 1914..	3
Women delivered.....	40
Children.....	75
Hospital cases.....	4

Admitted for Delivery from Oct. 1, 1914, to Oct. 1, 1915.

Women.....	598
Admitted, delivered.....	28
Children.....	790
Hospital cases.....	74

Born in:

Female.....	297
Male.....	257

Discharges.

Women undelivered.....	26
Women delivered.....	599
Children.....	1132
Hospital cases.....	74
Deaths (Women).....	6
Deaths (Children).....	215
Still births.....	31

Medical Diseases in Children's Service.

	Cases	Deaths
Diseases of new born.....	45	15
Diseases of nutrition.....	106	27
Infectious diseases.....	76	6
Respiratory Tract.....	508	70
Digestive Tract.....	380	69
Circulatory system.....	10	3
Nervous System.....	30	10
Genito-urinary tract.....	45	7
Skin.....	164	1
Eye.....	47	0
Ear.....	172	0
Lymph Nodes.....	30	0
Contagion.....	160	2
Congenital deformities.....	12	0

Medical Diseases in Children—Cont.

	Cases	Deaths
Diseases of Osseous system....	122	0
Hypertrophied tonsils.....	187	0
Miscellaneous.....	16	0

Gynecological Operations.

	Cases
Curettagc for incomplete abortion....	9
Dilatation and curettage.....	15
Dilatation and curettage, perineorrhaphy, double salpingectomy left oophorectomy and appendectomy and Alexandrian operation.....	1
Removal of fibroid through anterior cul de sac.....	1
Dilatation and curettage, Alexandrian operation, appendectomy.....	1
Supravaginal hysterectomy, double salpingo-oophorectomy, appendectomy.....	1
Supravaginal hysterectomy.....	2
Perineorrhaphy.....	2
Double salpingo-oophorectomy, hysterectomy.....	1
Curettagc, right oophorectomy, appendectomy.....	1
Curettagc for marginal placenta prævia	1
Left salpingo-oophorectomy, right salpingectomy, ventral suspension....	1
Hysterectomy, double salpingectomy, right oophorectomy.....	1
Curettagc, right salpingectomy, appendectomy.....	1
Right oophorectomy.....	1
Curettagc, ventral suspension, appendectomy.....	1
Dilatation and curettage, perineorrhaphy and Gilliam suspension.....	1
Dilatation, right oophorectomy, shortening of round ligaments.....	1
Nerve resection for pruritis vulvæ.....	1
Right salpingo-oophorectomy.....	1
Bilateral salpingo-oophorectomy and ventral suspension.....	1
Dilatation and curettage, ventral fixation, appendectomy.....	1

Tonsilectomy Operations—Children.

Tonsilectomy and Adenoidectomy	91
Adenoidectomy	2
Thoracentesis for empyema	1
Resection of rib for empyema	1
Osteotomy for Genu valgus	2
Osteotomy for bow legs	3
Right Mastoidectomy	1
Bone curettment for tubular osteomyelitis	1

Miscellaneous Operations.

Tumors of breast	2
Tonsilectomy and adenoidectomy (adult)	2
Excision of osteoma of humerus	1

Miscellaneous Operations—Cont.

Appendectomy	6
Thyroidectomy	1
Removal of fibromata of foot	1
Herniotomy	1

Obstetrical Operations.

Forceps:—High	5
Medium	23
Low	28
Bagging at term	24
Version and breech extraction	8
Cæsarian section	5
Vaginal Cæsarian section	1
Version with craniotomy	1

<i>Application of Forceps</i>	Obstetrical Complications.		<i>Indoor</i>	<i>Outdoor</i>	<i>Total</i>
High			6	5	11
Medium			17	5	22
Low			33	14	47

Presentations.

Breech	21	28	49
Face	2	3	5
Brow	1	1	2
Prolapsed Cord	4	4	8
Prolapsed Hand	0	5	5
Transverse	1	3	4
Twins	4	11	15
Versions	7	5	12
Induced Labors	24	6	30
Marginal Placenta Prævia	2	1	3
Post Partum Hemorrhage	5	2	7
Eclampsia	5	2	7
Embryotomy	1	0	1
Puerperal Mania	1	0	1
Retained Placenta	0	1	1
Still Births	31	43	74

Outdoor Obstetrical Department.

Number of post partum cases under observation October 1, 1915.

Mothers	28
Babies	26
Applications for delivery received	2,155
Confinements	931

Outdoor Obstetrical Department—Cont.

Visits to Tenements

Staff	4,543
White nurses	3,050
Colored nurses.....	1,536

Deaths

Mothers.....	0
Babies.....	20
Still births.....	40

Total Visits to Clinic

Gynecological.....	867
Babies.....	5,772
Cases	1,662

Obstetrical Deaths—Adults—Indoors.

Puerperal Sepsis.....	1
Post partum hemorrhage.....	1
Eclampsia with convulsions.....	1
Forceps delivery after prolonged labor, cervical tear and peritonitis.....	1
Placenta prævia and version—hemorrhage.....	1
Peritonitis after ruptured appendix.....	1

Obstetrical Deaths—Children.

	Indoors	Outdoors	Total
Prematurity.....	6	7	13
Atalectasis.....	1	5	6
Cerebral hemorrhage.....	2	1	3
Marasmus.....	1	2	3
Congenital heart lesions.....	2	1	3
Congenital debility.....	0	2	2
Bronchitis gastro-enteritis.....	0	1	1
Gastro-enteritis and hemorrhage from cord.....	0	1	1
Broncho Pneumonia.....	2	1	3
Hemorrhagic disease of the new born.....	1	0	1
Gastro-enteritis.....	1	0	1
Monstrosities.....	2	0	2
Acute Nephritis.....	1	0	1

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History of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital



THE work now carried on by the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital, succeeding to all the activities and to all the traditions of the oldest nursery, the oldest child's hospital, and the oldest maternity hospital in the City of New York, which sent doctors to the homes of the poor at the time of childbirth, was begun in 1823. The present corporation was formed by the consolidation of the Nursery and Child's Hospital with the New York Infant Asylum which had formerly consolidated with the old Marion Street Maternity Hospital. Each of these institutions was a pioneer in its particular line of endeavor.

The old Marion Street Maternity Hospital was organized in 1823 and incorporated in 1827 as "The New York Female Asylum for Lying-In Women" and was so called for the next seventy years. Its object was: "To furnish comfortable conditions and skillful attendance to respectable married women who require an asylum during the period of their confinement, and also to supply competent medical care to deserving married women at their homes under similar circumstances." It was the first institution of its kind to care for poor respectable women and was the pioneer in the city in sending physicians to the homes of the poor to attend at childbirth. In

1830 it bought two lots in Orange, now Marion, Street, near Prince Street, for \$2,750, and built a three-story building with a forty-five foot front and a depth of sixty feet. This was its headquarters for fifty-five years. In 1885 it moved to 139 Second Avenue where it continued its quiet and unostentatious charity until 1899, when it consolidated with the New York Infant Asylum.

Under the terms of this consolidation one floor of the present building was and still is reserved to continue the ministrations of the Marion Street Hospital.

The Nursery and Child's Hospital with the name of "The Nursery for the Children of Poor Women" was founded in 1854 through the efforts of Mrs. Cornelius DuBois, who for more than thirty years thereafter continued as its First Directress. One day, when driving in the streets of New York City, she was startled by screams from an upper story of a tenement and looked up to see a child caught by a fallen sash hanging from a window. With the help of neighbors, she broke into the room and released the child. She found that it had been left alone while its parents were at work. Inquiries then made showed her the need existing in New York City for the proper care of children.

In the Annual Report of the Hospital for 1879 Mrs. DuBois says:

"Your attention is called to the condition of the poor children of New York before the nursery was founded. Dr. Elisha Harris gives the following statement: 'In 1854 to 1859 about 1,000 infants were farmed out per year, ninety out of one hundred would not live to see their first birthday. In a single hut on the river side above Thirty-fourth Street, it was common to find four or five young infants lying on the floor, with a single nurse who gave them bottle food until they died. The Almshouse Governors paid so much a week until they all died. They would be marked dead on their books and that was the last of them. The expense in 1859 was over fifty thousand dollars for the support of the children in these houses that were worse than no houses at all.'"

In one week after the Nursery was opened every bed was filled with the children of wet nurses.

The first quarters of the new charity were in St. Mark's Place, and shortly after it opened it became necessary to find additional room. With cholera in the city and the heat intense, it became suddenly evident that the house "was overcrowded, that our numbers must be divided or our children must die. The next house was found to be vacant and not an hour could be lost. The key of our basement door fitted and women with pails and brushes were sent in to clean the house while the manager on duty drove to

the office of the owner with a check for a quarter's rent in advance. He was glad to deliver up the keys of a house he did not expect to rent in July and he does not know to this day that while he was leasing the house it was already occupied."

In 1856 the Nursery acquired one of the wooden cottages which had been used by the New York Hospital while its stone wing was being constructed. When abandoned by the New York Hospital, the cottage was moved to the Tonnele Estate at 14th Street and 6th Avenue, where the Nursery followed it. In 1857 the cornerstone of the building at Lexington Avenue and 51st Street was laid, but during the Civil War the building was used as a hospital for soldiers. From 1879 to 1910 the Nursery and Child's Hospital cared for a total of 38,179 inmates.

The question of funds was as acute in the early days as it is at present, and the Annual Reports show the many means adopted to raise money for the charity. In 1865 Mr. Bierstadt contributed the proceeds of the first exhibition of his magnificent picture "A Storm in the Rocky Mountains"; and the sum of \$455.75 was realized from the exhibition of Huntington's historical painting "Mrs. Washington's Reception Day," placed "at our disposal for a month by the voluntary kindness of its owner, Mr. A. T. Stewart." The greatest single item of revenue, however, was obtained from the annual Charity Ball inaugurated in 1857, and through all these years maintained and made a great financial and social success by the ladies interested in this charity.

In 1870 the Nursery opened its Country Home on Staten Island, where for the following ten years the children in its charge, particularly the sickly ones, were sent in order to be in the open air. At the end of the ten years the main buildings of the Home caught fire and were burned.

Although the Nursery and Child's Hospital began its work as a nursery, it soon found it necessary to provide care for its sick children, and to a certain extent it did so almost from the beginning. It did not, however, legally broaden its scope until several years after its founding. The primary object, however, for which the New York Infant Asylum was founded in 1865 was to take charge of foundlings and infant children of the age of two years and under and to provide for their support and education. It also provided such lying-in wards and methods of care and guidance as should prevent maternal abandonment of homeless infants and diminish the moral dangers and personal sufferings to which homeless mothers were exposed.

The Infant Asylum had its origin in the efforts of the Rev. Mr. Richmond to reform a class of unfortunate young women whom he found in the Maternity Wards of Bellevue Hospital. He died before his plan could be carried through, but his widow in 1865 secured a charter, and a building for

the Asylum was rented at 104th Street and West End Avenue. Mrs. Richmond struggled for two years with the problems confronting the Asylum, when she died, and the work was abandoned. In 1871 the Society was reorganized through the efforts of Miss Alice Sanford and her father, General Sanford.

The Charity Commissioners of the City of New York fixed the rate at which the City was to pay for destitute children at \$1.33 per week. "The Society accepted the situation, rented a building at 8th Street near Broadway and began operations," says Dr. Stephen Smith. The result sustained the assertions of the most sanguine members of the Board, for the mortality scarcely exceeded nine per cent., against ninety-six per cent. on the Island. "It is difficult to estimate the vast influence of that first year's experiment on the saving of child life in the City of New York. The Commissioners of Charity immediately took the alarm and built and equipped the Infant Asylum on Randall's Island, where the mortality was reduced to less than twenty per cent. The Nursery and Child's Hospital, under Mrs. DuBois, secured a change of the law placing that institution on the same basis as this asylum, and from that date the mortality of children in its care has been little more than twelve per cent. Following that Sister Irene obtained a charter for the Foundling Asylum based on the law of the Infant Asylum, and with the care of two thousand children in the most variable condition as regards the prospect of living, has a mortality of less than twenty per cent. Still other institutions have been founded on the basis of this Asylum and are meeting with the same success in saving child life."

In 1872, the New York Infant Asylum bought the property where the present Hospital stands, at Amsterdam Avenue and 61st Street, for \$55,000—\$16,500 cash and the balance on mortgage—but the building was not occupied until April, 1873. The house at No. 24 Clinton Place was not abandoned, however, until 1878.

In 1899, the New York Infant Asylum consolidated with the old Marion Street Maternity Hospital and the cash realized from the sale of the Marion Street property, some \$75,000, together with \$18,000 donated for the purpose, was used to help build part of the present Hospital building.

In 1910 the New York Infant Asylum was consolidated with the Nursery and Child's Hospital under the name of New York Nursery and Child's Hospital. Under this consolidation the work of the two corporations has been continued and enlarged. The work of the Hospital can be classified as follows:

- (1) A Lying-In Hospital;
- (2) A Hospital for sick children;



A new arrival in the "Premature Nursery"

(3) A Boarding-Out Department, supplanting the nursery in the building. The foundling children are placed in suitable homes and their general welfare supervised by visitors from the hospital;

(4) An Outside Obstetrical Department, continuing the work begun by the Old Marion Street Maternity Hospital. Physicians connected with the staff are sent to the homes of those who apply for aid;

(5) The training of nursery maids, who, after a systematic course in the care of young children, are open to employment in private families.

There are always from eighty to one hundred sick children in the wards of the Hospital. They are roomed in the three children's wards on the seventh floor, and sometimes another ward in the quarantine building is pressed into service. The shelter on the roof of the old building is also devoted to the children. The entire children's service is under the supervision of a graduate nurse who is aided by the girls who are in training as nursery maids. These young women are given an eight months' course in the care of children and upon graduation they are helped to obtain positions as nursemaids.

Besides the children's service, the Hospital maintains a maternity service. During the past year the public wards have cared for four hundred and twenty-nine patients. The Department of Charities of the City pays for emergency cases and the Hospital maintains nine free beds for the care of worthy

women. One hundred and sixty-one women were treated in these beds during the past year. There is also a waiting ward containing thirteen beds, to which women are admitted several months before delivery.

The third floor has fifteen rooms, single and en suite, for private patients. These rooms are in constant demand and during the past year this floor has cared for three hundred and fifty-seven women. There is also a well equipped nursery in connection with this floor for the use of the babies of the private patients. In addition to the private rooms, there is maintained a semi-private ward where women are cared for at a very moderate charge during confinement. This had forty-seven women in 1916.

Another activity which has recently grown rapidly in importance is the Out-Door Obstetrical Department. This work has generally supplanted the work of the old Marion Street Maternity Hospital Wards. Almost entirely the Hospital now goes to the homes of these women instead of having them come to the Hospital. The woman who wishes to avail herself of this service registers at the Hospital, and at the time of her confinement she is attended by one of the three doctors attached to this department and by one of the nurses. During the past year eight hundred and eighty-nine women were cared for in their homes and there were twelve hundred and six applications for delivery. The Dispensary connected with this department has cared for thirty-nine hundred and fifty-three patients.

For the care of the sick, graduate and pupil nurses are in attendance. A graduate nurse is in charge of each department of the Hospital and she is aided by pupil nurses. The latter come to us for three months from affiliated hospitals in which they are taking a general course in nursing. It is planned to offer to the pupil nurses of the affiliated hospitals a further course in the care of children. The Hospital now receives pupil nurses from the Presbyterian Hospital, St. Luke's Hospital, and the Post-Graduate Hospital.



A Boarding-Out Child

The Boarding-Out Department



HE system of boarding-out the dependent children of a community in private homes is not a new, untried experiment either in the United States or abroad.

In Great Britain the boarding-out system has been in constantly increasing use since the first quarter of the nineteenth century; while in this country, since 1867, when the Massachusetts Infant Asylum began to place its children in family homes, the tendency all along the line has been away from institutional care and towards family life, which Dr. Jacob A. Riis has called "the children's birthright."

The Russell Sage Foundation of New York City, after years of study and investigation of the methods of child care, thoroughly endorses the boarding-out system. Hastings Hart, LL.D., Director of its child-helping department, writes:

"There has been a very remarkable change of public sentiment in recent years on the subject of institutional care of children and the care of children in family homes. There was held in the City of Washington three years ago a conference known as the White House Conference, devoted to the discussion of the welfare of dependent and neglected children. For many years there had been a vigorous controversy carried on between those who advocated the orphan asylum plan of dealing with children and the placing-out system. In that conference was represented a great variety of interests, State Boards of Charities, State Boards of Control, Children's Aid Societies, Children's Home Societies, Societies for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, Orphan Asylums, Children's Homes and Children's Reformatories, of every shade of religious opinion. To the astonishment of everybody, after a two days' session, that conference adopted unanimously a platform which declared emphatically and unanimously to the following effect: They started with the proposition that home life is the most precious possession of the child; every child should enjoy the privilege of a family home, either in the home of its own parents, if that home is fit or can be made fit, or else in the family of foster parents. In conclusion, it is practically the unanimous opinion among people who run orphanages in the United States that a suitable family home for the child is to be preferred to institutional care."

The boarding-out of children in selected private families under the supervision of workers trained in the care of sick and well children, and

in methods of investigation, has nothing in common with the old system of "baby farming," under which almost any indigent female who wished to turn an honest or dishonest penny could get children to board for the asking and keep them or apprentice them out at will, responsible to no one in particular. This abuse, which flourished wherever methods of investigation and inspection were lax, has long since disappeared in every community which cares intelligently for its dependent children.

Though New York remained for many years under the dominance of the old institutional idea, it has since made up in enthusiasm for its former reluctance to assimilate the new idea, the City Department of Charities itself now taking over a large part of the work of placing children in private homes.

The New York Nursery and Child's Hospital was among the first of the New York institutions to place its children in private families. It started this branch of its work in 1902, and for many years all of its dependent children have been so cared for, the hospital building fulfilling its true function of the temporary care of acutely sick children.

About 1,000 of the dependent children of the City of New York come under the charge of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital during each year. The number in care at any one time varies, the high-water mark of 750 being reached during the late epidemic of poliomyelitis, the present number being 633. The ages of the children range from a few days to seven years, the majority at present being between three and four years of age.

So we have a three-fold problem—(1) to provide wet-nurses for our youngest infants, (2) foster-mothers of experience and intelligence to attend to the feeding of the bottle babies, and (3) the relatively easy task of finding homes for children from two to seven years of age.

The aim of the Boarding-Out Department is to provide normal family life for each child in a private home, with as much preliminary care in the hospital as may be necessary for the curing of illness, the remedying of physical defects, and the establishment of the need of any course of treatment to be carried out in the boarding home for the betterment of the physical or mental condition of the child.

The nursing staff of the Boarding-Out Department consists of a supervisor and five other graduate nurses, all of whom have had post-graduate experience in children's work. During the summer months this number is increased to six. There is also an Italian interpreter. One of the attending physicians is the medical director of this department and to him are referred for decision all important matters concerning the health of the children in the boarding homes.

Before being placed in private homes, the children are given a complete physical examination. When a child is found to be free from communicable disease, from remediable defect, and is as near normal health as the Hospital can make it, it is turned over to the Boarding-Out Department to be found a home suited to its needs.

These homes are situated within a radius of twenty miles of New York, and extend from Plainfield, N. J., to Roosevelt, L. I., and Mount Vernon, N. Y. Of the 293 homes in use at the present time, the greater number are in suburban or country districts, only 37 being in Manhattan and 44 in Brooklyn, while 76 are in Long Island outside of Brooklyn, 53 in Bronx and Westchester Counties, 10 in or near Yonkers, 38 in Staten Island and 35 in northern New Jersey.

They are self-respecting middle class homes, many of them well-to-do, and none of them, with the possible exception of a few wet-nurse homes, feeling the pinch of poverty. They are never dependent for their support on the money received for the board of the children.

They are homes approved by their local Boards of Health. A preliminary interview is always held with the applicant at the Hospital by the head of the Boarding-Out Department. In this way much useless investigation is avoided. The number of applicants has always been greatly in excess of our need, so that we have been able to hold to a high standard in the selection of our boarding-homes.

No applicant is considered whose income is less than \$10 a week or whose husband or adult son is out of work. The homes of widows are used only in unusual cases, as their income is usually small and as we also desire our children to be in a well balanced family group, not merely in charge of a caretaker. We believe our children get more of the mother's interest where she has no young children of her own, or boarding children from other agencies, so we accept no home where there are children under school age.

Then comes the problem of fitting the child to the home.

Our youngest infants are placed in the homes of Italian wet-nurses if possible. The wet-nurses are difficult to find, but all our infants at present are so provided for. We have in all twenty wet-nurses. We get astonishingly good results in the babies entrusted to them, whatever their physical condition at first. Recently we sent to wet-nurses a tiny premature baby of four and one-half pounds, temperature on admission 94 degrees, done up in its cotton-wool jacket, and a wasted, marasmic baby of ten months, weighing only nine pounds, who had not been able to gain on modified milk, and who, the doctors considered, should have a month or two of breast-feeding. So far we have been fully justified in taking both risks. The wet-nurse homes are visited twice a week by the nurses, oftener if necessary. The little premature

baby is visited every day. The natural love of the Italian wet-nurses for babies is great, and it is very sad when the babies are taken away at weaning time. An Italian woman has never asked in our Hospital, "How much am I to be paid for nursing this baby?" It is always, "I want a baby to take home." Premature babies weighing as little as three pounds have been successfully raised by them.

Most of the women who apply to us to board children want "runabouts," and we have to look far and wide for good homes for bottle babies. So much carefulness and exactness is required that many women are not willing to undertake the responsibility. We find enough to supply our need, but never have many in reserve. Our bottle babies are visited once a week, or oftener if necessary, by the nurses, who instruct the women in the preparation of the baby's formula and in infant hygiene.

Little difficulty is experienced in obtaining homes for the children from walking age to seven years. Our main problems are finding foster-mothers who will aid in the mental as well as the physical development of the child, and those who will care for the physically and mentally backward child.

The older children are visited three times a month. Those who are attending school are also visited there. The nurses submit written reports of all visits and these are kept on file. A weight chart of each child is also kept. These are of great value in determining the progress of the child, as well as the efficiency of the foster-mother.

In case of illness the child is brought to the Hospital for treatment whenever it is judged advisable to do so. Minor illnesses and cases of contagion are usually cared for in the boarding-homes, a private physician having charge of the case. There has been but one death and one complication from any case of contagion cared for in our boarding-homes, which contrasts sharply with the large death rate among our cases when sent to contagion hospitals.

Over fifty of our children are adopted each year. As we do not feel that we are equipped to undertake this form of child-placing we are glad to have it done for us by the Placing-Out Department of the State Charities Aid Association. During the year 1916 they placed in homes for adoption fifty-five of our children, thirty of whom were foundlings. As we admitted only thirty-five foundlings during the year it is easily seen what an excellent chance these waifs have of permanent home life.

The report of the inspection by the Bureau of Institutional Inspection of the Department of Public Charities of the City of New York, dated November, 1916, says:

"In May, 1916, the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital on request of the Department of Public Charities supplied the list of 562 homes in

which on that date 598 children, city charges, were being boarded. The location of these homes is shown in the following table:

Long Island	142 ✓	25%
Manhattan	87-	15%
Bronx	71-	12%
New Jersey	72	12%
Staten Island	70 ✓	12%
Brooklyn	63 ✓	11%
Scattering	57	13%

“Between November 8, 1916, and January 1, 1917, careful investigations were made of fifty-five of these homes, in which one hundred and eighteen children were living.

On Long Island (Astoria, Corona, Jamaica, Long Island City)	16
In Manhattan	12
In Brooklyn	10
On Staten Island	7
In New Jersey	6
In the Bronx	4

“It was the purpose that homes visited be typical of the entire group. Visits were made at all hours of the day and in the evening. The youngest child seen in any home was four months old, a twin, being wet-nursed by an Italian mother on East 122nd Street, Manhattan. There was no other child boarding in this home. The oldest child found in any of these homes was eight years, in a group of five, on Jersey City Heights. The survey established satisfactorily that the homes chosen and supervised by the Boarding-Out Department of the New York Nursery and Child’s Hospital are of high standards and that supervision, active, constructive and efficient, is maintained of the homes and the children boarding there.

“The boarding home in Jersey City is taking care of three little ones, three, two and one and a half years of age. The home is an old-fashioned, two-family house with a yard where the children play together. The children sleep in big, sunny rooms, each in a crib or cradle; each one has a tooth-brush, comb and towel. The children’s physical condition proves that the food is abundant and wholesome, and the little fellows’ happiness and their evident fondness for the home and family are gratifying proof of a normal, happy life.

“The foster-mother reports that the nurse of the New York Nursery and Child’s Hospital is coming once a week—in this instance the youngest child’s physical condition on discharge to the home demanding special supervision.

“Seventeen other homes of the fifty-five were giving such excellent care to their foster children that conditions were beyond criticism or suggestions.

“A number of other homes failed to measure up to a 100 per cent. standard only in such details as the use of a common towel, the sleeping of two children together, etc.”

Report of the President

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE NEW YORK NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL:



THE history of our Hospital is the story of organized charity in New York. From 1823 to 1916 the institution, while keeping the traditions and sentiment of the early days, has advanced with the growing and changing ideas concerning economic co-operation, until today we find a single, modern, up-to-date building, operating with the latest scientific plant, the best medical personnel, and a board of devoted members actuated with the spirit of our forbears and in harmony with the work of the State and the City, for the benefit of a class to whom the community owes a cheerful and willing debt.

My connection with the work dates from the days of the old Marion Street Hospital, some twenty years ago, when Dr. Henry D. Nicoll, ever the foe of waste of effort through lack of combination, succeeded in uniting two institutions. Following his wise example, we now see three hospitals under one roof, with possibilities for the future of untold value.

Mr. Ely's excellent brief in last year's report is both historic and worthy to be read by all. Your President would only add thereto his great appreciation of the manner in which all his associates, sinking personal tradition and natural pride in their individual organizations, have seconded his efforts for the one building devoted to one common purpose.

Among these associates not only should be numbered the Directors, the active committees and other boards of the institution, but the collateral societies. The most prominent among these are the men and women who have for sixty years kept the Charity Ball before the minds of the social world. The name of the Sullivan family naturally comes to our minds in this connection for grateful thanks. Few, perhaps, appreciate how many young men and women are each year giving valuable time and aid to the success of the ball.

The aid given by the St. Christopher League merits our great recognition. These young ladies must have added to the pleasure of themselves and others, through their interesting performances, a sense of duty well done.

Thanks are due to Mrs. Gherardi Davis and her associates in the Employment Society of the Church of the Incarnation—Mrs. David Bennett King, Miss Augusta Parkin and Mrs. Julia A. M. Bacon, who have supplied during the past year quantities of material and articles for the hospital.

The President would reiterate his suggestion that the Publicity Committee obtain a list of the individual members of all the above co-operating activities, and that through that list a wide ramifying interest would be obtained to advance the cause to which we are all so devoted.



The Fourth Floor Nursery

Since my last year's report the new addition to the Hospital has not only been completed, but many alterations, and consequent increased expenses, were a necessary incident to improving the old building up to modern standards. In the accomplishment of this we are indebted to our regular subscribers, and also to the persons who so generously furnished and dedicated rooms as memorials to the departed.


I have confined the major part of this report to the various agencies which assisted us in meeting the large and increasing expenses necessary for an up-to-date hospital. The absolute necessity of a large permanent capital is apparent to us all. We should have a larger annual contributing list, but it is especially incumbent that each and all should work for legacies or bequests to the institution so that we shall not draw in the future, as we have during the past year, from our meagre capital fund. This result can only be obtained by individual and persistent effort at a time when the claims upon the community for international charity are so great. In drawing specific attention to this matter I would ask your special notice of the report of the Treasurer and the other statements of our various committees. Our work must be enlarged to meet the needs of the times, and its scope must be worthy of our past.

In resigning the position of President, permit me to express my most sincere thanks for the honor of having been accorded that office for eight years, and for all the helpful assistance given me by everyone connected with the hospital.

JACOB W. MILLER.

Report of the Executive Committee

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

HE Hospital has greatly increased its prestige, through its service, during the past year. Thus, in the year ending September 30, 1915, we cared for: Private patients (women), 496; Part pay patients (women), 114; Public charge patients (women and children), 735; a total of 1,345. For the year ending September 30, 1916, the figures are: Private patients (Increase, 121), 619; Part pay patients (Decrease, 20), 94; Public charge patients (Increase, 510), 1,245; a total of 1,958; increase over 1915, 613. The Clinic also shows an increase of 284 new cases treated, the number in 1916 being 4,618. The "Free hospital days," in the sense the term is used by the United Hospital Fund have increased 15,011 during these two periods, or from 7,592 in 1915, to 22,603 in 1916. At the same time, the quality of care and nursing has correspondingly improved, the class of pupil nurses is better, for we now have affiliations with larger hospitals, the most noteworthy being the Presbyterian Hospital, St. Luke's Hospital, and the Post Graduate Hospital.

The great increase in the cost of commodities has made itself felt with us. The charitable work, particularly on the Hospital side, has been increasing to a very great degree, and this, in addition to the cost of supplies, has meant increased expenditure.

The chief aim of the Executive Committee, during the past year, has been to supervise carefully all expenses, and to make the income available for the support of the Hospital serve as far as possible. The cost of supplies and increased demand upon us by the sick poor has led your Committee to urge constantly, and it still urges, the Directors to resort to every means available to increase the revenues of the Corporation.

The point was not reached during the past year, when the constant deficit required your Committee to recommend the curtailment of the activities of the Hospital, because it felt that as soon as the Board realized the full extent of the need, some means would be found to meet the emergency. The Executive Committee desires to lay great stress upon the fact that, to meet current expenses, our invested funds are being drawn upon, and, unless sources of revenue appear soon, some of our work must be discontinued. Whatever work is done should be kept at the high state of efficiency which *now* has been reached.

To help meet the stress, the Executive Committee recommends that immediate steps be taken to have the City render payment to us for all classes of patients sent to us by the City, and that a re-adjustment be made which will provide some revenue from medicines which are dispensed at the Clinic.

We desire to call special attention to the anonymous gift of \$4,000 to be used to erect wards on our roof, an addition of great value to sick and convalescent women and children which will be known as the "Sunshine Wards." We acknowledge the gift from Mr. and Mrs. Howard J. Hildt, of the Nursery on the fifth floor, known as the Barbara Belknap Hildt Nursery, and greatly appreciate the donation by the House Committee, of the salary of a Social Worker, who will do much in the way of moral and physical help to the women of the Hospital and of the Clinic. Private rooms have been furnished in the new building by Mrs. Witherbee, by Mrs. John M. Bowers, by Mrs. Henry D. Nicoll and her children, in memory of Dr. Henry D. Nicoll; by Mrs. William Weaver Heaton, Mrs. Edwin S. Steese and William Wilson Heaton in memory of Eliza Wilson Baird, by the Lenten Sewing Class of the Hospital, and one room by money subscribed through Dr. Fellowes Davis.

The Saint Christopher League, in accordance with its agreement, again has donated the sum of \$1,000 for the maintenance of its Children's Ward.

It is worthy of note that, during the epidemic of infantile paralysis of last summer, eight cases, only, developed among our 625 boarding out children with but two deaths, and that we stood ready to answer the call of the City authorities for any service within our power which might be needed.

I venture to say that there has never been a time in the history of this institution when it has merited more enthusiastic support than it does at the present time.

EDWARD L. PARTRIDGE,
Chairman.

Report of the Treasurer

TO THE PRESIDENT AND THE
BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

Herewith find my report of the fiscal year from October 1, 1915, to September 30, 1916, with tables showing

1. Cash receipts and disbursements.
2. Comparative balance sheets.
3. Detail of current expenses.
4. Schedule of mortgages, securities, real estate.
5. Donations, annual subscriptions.

ENDOWMENTS AND LEGACIES.

A bed was endowed in perpetuity by Mrs. John W. Gates, to be known as the "Charles G. Gates Free Bed."

A legacy of \$6,000 was received from the Estate of Augustus C. Brown.

NEW BUILDING.

Was formally opened April 11, 1916.

Total cost of construction	\$127,936.65
Furnishing and Equipment.....	14,451.58
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	\$142,388.23

Of the above amount, \$47,805.90 was expended in 1916 and charged to Land and Buildings Account, increasing the Capital Account accordingly.

DEFICIT.

The actual operating deficit for the year was \$79,729.97. This amount was charged to Expense. Of this amount a considerable sum, estimated at \$40,000, was expended to harmonize the Old Building with the work of the New Building, to provide necessary equipment and for other unusual expenses.

The deficit of \$79,729.97 was written off the Capital Account. An increase in the market value of stocks and bonds on hand, \$12,694.00, was added to the Capital Account.

\$65,000 of bonds, realizing \$61,547.53, have been sold through the year at a book profit of \$1,602.53 to place the Hospital in funds.

Monthly audits have been made by Messrs. John I. Cole, Son & Co., Auditors, 170 Broadway, New York, and their reports agree with the figures given herein.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE EMLÉN ROOSEVELT,
Treasurer.

Table I.

Receipts and Disbursements of Cash

From Cash Book from October 1st, 1915
to September 30th, 1916

CASH

On hand and in banks October 1, 1915..... \$35,068.37

RECEIPTS

City of New York.....	\$102,608.82	
Interests and Dividends.....	21,616.27	
Pay Patients	20,829.13	
Sold \$18,000 Atch. Top. & Santa Fe Gen. 4s.....	16,653.75	
Sold \$17,000 Reading R. R. Co. 4s.....	16,128.45	
Charity Ball	13,921.31	
Sold \$10,000 N. Y. City 4½s.....	10,040.53	
Sold \$10,000 Chicago Mil. & St. Paul Conv. 4½s.....	9,987.40	
Donations	8,777.71	
Sold \$10,000 Southern Pacific Conv. 4s.....	8,737.40	
Louise A. Lieb Mortgage, Principal in full.....	8,000.00	
Endowed Beds	7,500.00	
Legacy (Estate Augustus C. Brown).....	6,000.00	
Miscellaneous Revenue	1,323.38	
United Hospital Fund of N. Y.....	1,196.31	
Robert Tag, Mortgage paid on account principal.....	500.00	
House Expenses Refunds	374.15	
Rent Receivable	337.50	
Associate Members' Dues	300.00	
Annual Dues	280.00	
Westchester County	196.55	
Out Door Obstetrical Fund.....	165.00	
Advance Payment by Pay Patients.....	156.00	
Fresh Air Fund	150.00	
Unpaid Inmates Premiums	28.00	
Interest Purchased	25.00	
	\$255,832.66	

DISBURSEMENTS

Accounts Payable	\$235,817.13	\$290,901.03
New Building	47,805.90	
Out Door Obstetrical Emerg. Fund Disbursements.....	20.00	
Fresh Air Fund Disbursements.....	10.00	
	\$283,653.03	

CASH SEPTEMBER 30, 1916

Corn Exchange Bank	\$3,780.03	
Fulton Trust Company	2,897.25	
Fulton Trust Company (Permanent Endowment Fund).....	570.72	
	\$7,248.00	
	\$290,901.03	

Table II.

Balance Sheet, October 1, 1915

ASSETS	LIABILITIES		
PERMANENT ASSETS	PERMANENT LIABILITIES		
Real Estate Schedule "A".....	\$298,709.35	Capital October 1, 1914.....	\$778,857.60
Bonds and Mortgages Schedule "B"	224,750.00	Less Net depreciation on securities	\$13,104.56
Stocks and Bonds Schedule "C"	172,748.25	Operating Loss	4,669.90
Securities constituting Permanent Endowment Fund Schedule "D"	47,564.23		\$17,774.46
Including \$379.23 of cash.		Cr. by John Howard	
		Wright legacy	\$1,500.00
		Est. value of A. C.	
		Brown legacy	1.00
			\$1,501.00
		Amount transferred to Permanent Endowment Fund.....	47,564.23
			\$63,837.69
		Capital October 1, 1915.....	\$715,019.91
Due by City of New York....	\$ 17,906.47	Endowed Beds.....	20,000.00
Due by Westchester County ...	50.60	Permanent Endowment Fund..	47,564.23
Due by Lucy H. Calhoun, Supt. (Balance)	1,225.82		
Linsly Trust Fund.....	1.00		
Estate of Augustus C. Brown...	1.00		
Interest on bonds sold, accrued but not due.....	25.00		
Cash	34,689.14		
	\$797,670.86		

Balance Sheet, October 1st, 1916

ASSETS	LIABILITIES		
PERMANENT ASSETS	PERMANENT LIABILITIES		
Land and Buildings.....	\$346,515.25	Capital October 1, 1915.....	\$715,019.91
Bonds and Mortgages.....	169,500.00	Operating Loss	\$79,729.97
Stocks and Bonds.....	172,682.25	Cr. Net increase on securities	14,296.53
Securities constituting Permanent Endowment Fund, including \$570.72 of cash....	47,570.72		\$65,433.44
		Interest on Bank Balance Permanent Endowment Fund.	6.49
			65,439.93
		Augustus C. Brown legacy....	6,000.00
		Est. value of Augusta C. Chapin legacy	1.00
		Capital October 1, 1916.....	\$655,580.98
Due by City of New York....	\$18,363.08	Endowed Beds	27,500.00
Due by Rye Morley, Supt. (Balance)	3,656.99	Permanent Endowment Fund.	47,570.72
Linsly Trust Fund.....	1.00		
Estate Augustus C. Brown....	1.00		
Estate Augusta C. Chapin....	1.00		
Cash	6,677.28		
	\$764,968.57		

Table III.

Detail of Current Expenses

Items Adjusted to the Fiscal Year

OPERATING EXPENSES

Meat and Fish	\$10,594.01
Bread and Flour	1,989.68
Butter and Eggs	5,027.50
Other Groceries	4,454.39
Fruit and Vegetables	2,991.32
Milk	5,806.42
Ice	1,096.40
Drugs and Medical Supplies.....	7,051.87
Prepared Food	71.48
Wines and Liquors.....	13.75
Surgical Instruments and Repairs.....	472.91
Salaries	24,537.69
Household Goods and Utensils.....	4,502.32
Clothing, Boots and Shoes.....	12,830.23
Engineers' Supplies	1,506.39
House and Machinery Repairs.....	41,144.27
Furniture and Fixtures.....	14,451.58
Stationery and Printing	1,816.75
Fuel and Light	7,137.35
Telephone	680.83
Salaries and Wages	26,223.37
Superintendent Petty Cash	641.61
Miscellaneous Household Expense.....	1,892.98
Insurance	999.66
Hospital Bureau	504.00
Rent	540.00
Out-Door Department	598.19
Carfare and Miscellaneous.....	1,865.07
Ambulance	4.00
Boarding-Out Department Payroll.....	68,751.45
Pathological Department	1,012.30
Undertaker	3.50
	\$251,213.27

GENERAL EXPENSES

Treasurer's Office Salaries	\$1,760.00
Legal	75.00
Audit	450.00
Bond	47.50
Publicity	153.00
Stationery, Printing and Postage.....	16.68
Insurance	18.80
Miscellaneous	1,313.03
	\$3,834.01

GRAND TOTAL	\$255,047.28
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Table IV.

Securities, Mortgages, Real Estate

				PURCHASE PRICE		MARKET AND BOOK VALUE OCTOBER 1, 1916	
\$25,000	Baltimore & Ohio 4½s..	May 9, 1913	(92¾)	\$23,187.50	(95⅞)	\$23,968.75	
25,000	Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul Gen'l 4½s	May 9, 1913	(99⅝)	24,906.25	(103)	25,750.00	
15,000	Southern Railway, M. & O. 4s	Aug. 1, 1913	(82¾)	12,431.25	(76)	11,400.00	
25,000	Union Pacific 1st Lien and Ref. 4s.....	Sept. 8, 1913	(92½ & 92¾)	23,206.25	(91⅞)	22,781.25	
17,000	New York Central R. R. Co. 1st Ref. 3½s.....	Mar. 2, 1914	(82½)	14,006.25	(83⅞)	14,173.75	
13,000	New York Central R. R. Co. 1st Ref. 3½s.....	July 31, 1914	(79)	10,286.25	(83⅞)	10,838.75	
10,000	Southern Pacific Conv. 5s	Aug. 3, 1914	(95)	9,512.50	(105½)	10,550.00	
VALUED PRICE							
75 shares	Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul Preferred	Mar. 2, 1910		\$12,075.00	(127¼)	\$9,543.75	
12 shares	Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul Common	Mar. 2, 1910		1,749.00	(96⅞)	1,153.50	
5 shares	Union Pacific Pre- ferred	Mar. 2, 1910		505.00	(84)	420.00	
5 shares	National Bank of Com- merce	Mar. 2, 1910		975.00	(174)	870.00	
BOND AND MORTGAGE							
Mt. Vernon Mortgage	5½%					\$80,000.00	
F. W. Mayer Mortgage	5%					21,500.00	
Rose Levere Mortgage	5%					10,000.00	
J. Connors Mortgage	5%					14,000.00	
Robert Tag Mortgage	4½%					24,750.00	
Charles I. Weinstein Mortgage	5%					19,000.00	
REAL ESTATE							
61st Street land and buildings.....						\$165,067.63	
Greenlawn land and buildings (Sold Dec., 1916, \$30,000).....						12,610.47	
Staten Island Place.....						40,900.50	
New Building (45 Amsterdam Avenue).....						127,936.65	
PERMANENT ENDOWMENT FUND							
David Pollack Mortgage	5½%					\$15,000.00	
David Pollack Mortgage	5½%					16,000.00	
David Pollack Mortgage	5½%					16,000.00	
Fulton Trust Company on deposit.....						570.72	

Table V.

Donations of Money Received by Treasurer

October 1st, 1915 to September 30, 1916

Edward de P. Livingston, Esq.....	\$ 10.00	(To be expended as specified by	
George Emlen Roosevelt, Esq.....	5.00	Dr. Fellowes Davis, Jr.)	—
Mrs. William M. Kingsland.....	25.00	Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee (to furn-	
Mrs. Lansdale Boardman	10.00	ish a room)	150.00
Mrs. George H. Macy	10.00	Charles Volz, Esq. (to Building	
Dr. Edward H. Peaslee	20.00	Fund, balance 30% professional	
Mrs. Edward J. Berwind.....	45.00	fee)	898.71
Mrs. F. T. Busk	2.00	Saint Christopher League (to furn-	
Mrs. Alfred Jaretzki	10.00	ish Ward)	1,000.00
Mrs. Alfred G. Vanderbilt	25.00	Mrs. Vanderbilt	100.00
Mrs. Isaac N. Seligman	10.00	Mrs. J. P. Morgan	25.00
Mrs. Wm. Weaver Heaton, Mrs.		Mrs. James Herman Aldrich.....	5.00
E. S. Steese and William Wil-		Mrs. William Church Osborn....	25.00
son Heaton, Esq. (furnishing a		Miss Bertha G. Brooks.....	10.00
room)	150.00	The Charlton School.....	145.00
Chas. D. Dickey, Esq.....	50.00	The Lenten Sewing Class (to furn-	
Mrs. Donald McKesson	5.00	ish a room)	150.00
Peter Cooper Golden Wedding		Mrs. Henry D. Nicoll (to furnish	
Fund	35.00	a room)	200.00
Mrs. Herman N. Karp	1.00	Howard J. Hildt, Esq. (Babies'	
Mrs. Henry Samson	1.00	Nursery, 5th floor).....	500.00
Eugene G. Foster, Esq.....	5.00	Through Dr. Edward L. Partridge	4,000.00
Mrs. Edward W. Sparrow (Babies'		Lispensard Stewart, Esq.....	25.00
Ward)	10.00	Mrs. William D. Sloane	25.00
Mrs. D. Willis James	25.00	James B. Clews, Esq.....	10.00
Norman B. Tooker, Esq.....	25.00	William R. Stewart, Esq.....	25.00
Mrs. James D'Olier (Babies'		Fourth Lake Fair Club.....	5.50
Ward)	5.00	Mrs. E. H. Harriman	25.00
George Borgfeldt & Co.	25.00	Frank S. Witherbee, Esq.....	10.00
Mrs. J. H. Alexander, Jr. (Babies'		Mrs. Theda B. P. Hill.....	2.00
Ward)	5.00	Otto L. Koscherak, Esq.....	10.00
Mrs. James J. Goodwin	25.00	Master Montgomery Hare, Jr.,	
Dunlevy Milbank, Esq.	100.00	Master Merrick Hare, Jr.	
Jeremiah Milbank, Esq.	100.00	(Through Dr. Rowland G. Free-	
Mrs. Bradley Martin (Babies'		man)	100.00
Ward)	50.00	Mrs. James B. Fosburg (Babies'	
Mrs. E. L. Ballard (Babies' Ward)	10.00	Ward)	45.00
Mrs. Andrew Carnegie	100.00	Anonymous through Rye Morley,	
Wm. J. Schieffelin, Jr., Esq.	2.50	Supt. (Magazines)	15.00
Mrs. Joseph Pulitzer	20.00	Anonymous through Rye Morley,	
George J. Gould, Esq.....	250.00	Supt. (Magazines)	10.00
(To be expended as specified by			
Dr. Fellowes Davis, Jr.)			\$8,787.71
E. T. Jeffery, Esq.	100.00		

Christmas Donations 1916

Merritt, Elliott & Co., Inc.....	\$ 5.00	Mrs. John A. Roebling.....	10.00
Mrs. Jas. H. Aldrich.....	10.00	Lispensard Stewart, Esq.....	10.00
Mrs. M. B. DuBois.....	10.00	Mrs. Eugene G. Foster.....	5.00
Mrs. Chas. D. Dickey.....	10.00	Mrs. Harold F. Hadden.....	10.00
Mrs. J. J. Goodwin.....	10.00	Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee.....	10.00
Mrs. Justine B. Koscherak.....	10.00	J. Thompson Willing, Esq.....	1.00
Edward N. Tailer, Esq.....	5.00	Miss Emily Clatworthy.....	5.00
Dr. Wilbur Ward.....	5.00	Mrs. L. H. Lapham.....	10.00
Mrs. Simon Baruch.....	5.00	Lund & Miller.....	20.00
Mr. & Mrs. D. B. Forster.....	5.00	Dr. Robert G. Reese.....	10.00
Miss Florence Zerega.....	5.00	Mrs. Algernon Sydney Sullivan....	5.00
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Saint Elizabeth's Guild	\$150.00
Mrs. Joseph F. Simmons.....	10.00
Mrs. Simon Baruch.....	5.00
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	\$165.00

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Saint Elizabeth's Guild.....	\$150.00
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TO THE PRESIDENT AND THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

Supplementing the formal report, the Treasurer wishes to call the attention of the Board to the extraordinarily large deficit in Annual Operating Expenses that the Hospital is now facing.


This condition has been largely brought about through an increase and a greater efficiency in the Hospital's work.

The good the Hospital is doing should not be discontinued, and the responsibility of raising funds to carry it on should be assumed by the Board. The Treasurer cannot urge too strongly upon you the necessity of making the raising of adequate funds the paramount question before you.

GEORGE EMLÉN ROOSEVELT,
Treasurer.

Report of the Finance and Auditing Committee

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

 HIS Committee has the honor to report that the usual examination of the securities with the public accountants, Messrs. John I. Cole, Son & Company, has been made, and the Treasurer's report contains a list thereof. The securities are in a private box of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital at the United States Safe Deposit Company, and are accessible only to any two members of this Committee. The bonds and mortgages listed in the Treasurer's report, and in his custody, are secured upon real estate; are properly recorded and assigned to the institution. There has been no default in the payment of interest upon any of them.

The public accountants report an increased value of the investments of approximately \$12,000 and that all the vouchers for the expenditures have been checked with the expense book and found correct. The Treasurer's report herewith gives a detailed statement of all the assets and liabilities of the hospital.

The institution is confronted with vastly increased work in its enlarged building and a consequent increase of expenses. It is urged upon every member of the Board that immediate action should be taken to increase our funds, for there is a great work to be done and the requirements for the next year are largely increased.

WM. W. HEATON.

Chairman.

Report of the House Committee

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

THE House Committee meets on the first Tuesday of each month and receives the report of the members who have visited the Hospital during the preceding month, one of them for each week. In organizing the committee for the past year, we have had Mrs. Baker representing the St. Christopher League, Mrs. de Peyster, representing the Lenten Sewing Class, Mrs. Sullivan, the St. Elizabeth's Guild, a new sub-committee which furnishes money and clothing for the Out-door Obstetrical Department in case of need, and Mrs. Gherardi Davis representing the Employment Society of the Church of the Incarnation. During 1916 this Employment Society made up 5,253 pieces of clothing for the Hospital. The material for these articles was supplied by the Hospital. The work, however, was done without any cost to us by the Society. Thanks are due to its officers, Mrs. Gherardi Davis, Mrs. David Bennett King and Miss Augusta Parkin, and to the Parish Visitor of the Church, Mrs. Julia A. M. Bacon.

Through Mrs. Witherbee was contributed \$56 by Mrs. Day, Mrs. Steese, Mrs. Bronson, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Bowers, Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Henry D. Nicoll, Mrs. Browne, Mrs. Macy, Mrs. Berwind, Miss LeRoy and Dr. Peaslee, for Easter plants. Each ward was cheered by the Resurrection lilies and the patients derived much pleasure from this remembrance of the Easter season.

The House Committee has made itself responsible for the salary of Miss Abra Miner, who entered upon her duties as Social Worker on February 1st and already the Committee feels that the results have justified the creation of this department. She also reports to the Committee at its monthly meetings and lately Miss Holmes, Head of the Boarding-out Department, has told us some of the details of her work.

The new building was formally opened the 11th and 12th of April, 1916. Members of the House Committee, assisted by members of the St. Christopher League, served tea and showed visitors over the buildings.

The Christmas entertainment for the children on December 28th was attended by many of the House Committee and members of St. Christopher League, who were most enthusiastic.

The knowledge gained by your House Committee of the great scope and details of the work of the Hospital gives me the privilege of drawing to your attention the constant and unselfish devotion to its ideals of our superin-

tendent, Miss Morley, and of her capable assistants. Evidence of this is also brought to us from time to time by letters from persons whom they have nursed and aided and from the attending physicians.


With the splendid new building and equipment the duties of the House Committee have necessarily increased. The Chairman hopes the members will realize their added responsibilities by an active co-operation for the accomplishment of the important work that the Hospital is doing.

GRACE TREMAINE BENJAMIN,
Chairman House Committee.

Report of the Charity Ball Committee

For the Ball of February 1st, 1916

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

HE Charity Ball has values to our Hospital and the City of New York of several different kinds.

The New York public has, during the last few years, been laying increasing stress upon the value of the Ball to the City because of its being the one annual social event that had its origin sixty years ago and is a live and active organization which carries the imagination of the present young New Yorkers back to the time of their grandparents.

To our institution its primary and most obvious value is that it is the means of obtaining money for its work.

That benefit, however, is closely followed in importance by its value in bringing our Institution and its benevolent work agreeably and emphatically to the notice of all New Yorkers of wealth and position.

They may fail to read our written appeals or annual reports, and the fact that they have received our reports and appeals may be forgotten amid the multitude of similar literature daily brought to their attention, but for sixty days before the Ball every year the sense of preparation for it is in the air, and as the date draws near, every day some of the daily newspapers contain some mention of it and generally include a mention of its benevolent purposes.

With a view to increasing the number of persons who would have some real personal interest in the Ball and the preparations for it, this Committee, through its Floor Committee Chairman, Mr. George H. Sullivan, in 1909 organized the Charity Ball Society. These members have no obligations, but have been kept in sympathetic touch with the Ball and its objects, the two always purposely being mentioned conjointly. The membership, beginning with but two hundred, now numbers about seven hundred.

This body of men is constantly circularized and our experience is that the majority of them having the Ball thus constantly in mind speak of it to their friends and it becomes fixed in their thoughts from year to year as an affair of personal interest.

As these men become older they and the men of the Floor Committee naturally reach positions of greater importance, and many of them are men of influence and wealth.

I mention the above facts, with which you are somewhat familiar, because I am leading up to the expression of the hope of the Ball management that the Board of Directors would find some way of holding these incipient interests and gradually directing them towards the real work of the institution, with the ultimate expectation of enlisting their influence, service and money in the work of our institution. We have the same hope in regard to the patrons of our Ball, who fairly well represent philanthropic and successful New York.

It might be well to mail annually to each patron, Committeeman and Charity Ball Society member a very brief report of the Institution and the Ball. It might also be well to examine the list each year to ascertain which of the Committeemen of former years had reached positions to enable them to aid us in case we might arouse their desire to do so.

In brief, it seems to me that the benefit of the Ball is but half reaped when we collect only the direct financial receipts.

I repeat from last year's report that in part the success of the Charity Ball in placing itself where it is now, being recognized as one of New York's social institutions and landmarks, is due to the policy of the management, which for many years has been not to confine its vision to the Ball immediately at hand, but to regard one Ball as a stepping stone to its successors. This has been a consistent mental attitude which has encouraged the slow but persistent building up of the organization until, as I am frequently told, there is no similar social body in the United States which approaches it in excellence of organization and management.

After saying the above, I need scarcely express further commendation of the officers connected with the management. I should also mention the Woman's Charity Ball Auxiliary, which has done enough good work to indicate that it may develop into great usefulness when it finds its best methods and channels. I am hoping that it may be encouraged to develop similarly to that excellent association, The St. Christopher's League.

With all these practical possibilities in mind, it is natural that I view without discouragement the fact that since the beginning of the European War the Ball has not equalled financially the Ball of the preceding years.

The Board is deeply indebted to Mrs. F. S. Witherbee for her ever careful work as Treasurer; to Mrs. Henry Clay Adams for her laborious work as Secretary; to Mrs. George Hillard Benjamin for her successful sale of boxes, and to Mrs. Robert Nicol for continuing her duties as Press Committee.

The plans of Mr. George H. Sullivan, Chairman of the Floor Committee and President of the Charity Ball Society, were excellently carried out by his efficient associates, Major Charles Elliot Warren, Mr. James Clark McGuire, Captain John F. Daniell, Major A. R. Whitney, Jr., Mr. Edw. Simmons Hall, Mr. Sydney P. Henshaw, Mr. Marcel Steinbrugge and Mr. Daniel Runkle.

In addition to the thanks which will be expressed to them all by this Board, inasmuch as I know that this will be the last report of the Charity Ball which I shall make, I, having been the President of the Ball for more than thirty years, take the liberty of adding here my warm personal thanks to present and former members of all the various committees which have acted with me, for their cordial, helpful and unselfish co-operation, without which the Ball could never have been elevated to and maintained its present high level.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY MILDRED SULLIVAN,
Chairman of the Charity Ball Committee.

Report of the Charity Ball Society

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:



THE nature of the activities of The Charity Ball Society is now fairly well understood. It is a subordinate organization to the Floor Committee. The duty of managing it is assigned to about twenty-five men, members of the Floor Committee. The membership consists of men active in the business and social life of New York. Though the present membership of seven hundred includes some who became members in 1909 and still remain on the list, all of them are men of social position, and the longer they remain in New York acquire wider influence in business or in social life. The only duty required of these members is to remind their friends of the Ball, and to interest them to attend. They are kept reminded of the Ball and interested in it and in the hospital, by circulars which they receive about four weeks before the Ball. Experience has simplified their work, but nevertheless it requires attention, and the men on the Committees certainly deserve thanks for their interest, and commendation for their success. The membership during the month preceding the Ball of February 1, 1916, exceeded seven hundred.

The personnel of the committees for this work for the Ball of February 1, 1916, were as follows:

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Respectfully submitted,
GEORGE H. SULLIVAN,
*President of The Charity Ball Society
and Chairman of the Floor Committee.*

Report of the St. Christopher League



INCE its organization seven years ago, the St. Christopher League has made ever increasing donations to the work of the Hospital. In the beginning the League maintained a bed in a free ward, later increased this to two beds and last year when the New Children's Ward was completed the League undertook to furnish and maintain it and it was named the St. Christopher Ward.

The League has seventy-three members, young men and women, and has the guidance and assistance of thirty-six patronesses. Three subscription dances and an entertainment are held every season, and from the proceeds of these, the donations are made to the Hospital.

The three dances were held this season at the Plaza on December 1st, January 5th and February 9th and were all pronounced successes.

The annual entertainment entitled "Much Ado About Nothing" was held on December 22nd at the Plaza and consisted of ten clever vaudeville numbers. Special features were the rendering of three of Mr. Dwight Fiske's songs by Miss Dorothy Fox, specialty dances by Miss Adelaide Beddall, and the Misses Hilda and Alice Osborn and a piano monologue by Mr. Frederick Wendt of the Comedy Club. The Kitchen Symphony, a musical novelty, proved such a refreshing and taking innovation that it was repeated by several amateur organizations during the season. The last act "Haremlik," a Persian scene, was arranged with much artistic skill and no little trouble by a group of young artists interested in the League who are connected with the Metropolitan Museum. With the Misses Katharine Culver, Marian Whitman and Katherine Turck taking the principal parts, it closed the performance with a burst of brilliancy much appreciated by the large audience.

The St. Christopher Ward, described in last year's report, is now completed and is doing a splendid work. The ward accommodates nineteen or twenty children, and is generally filled to its capacity.

The League is peculiarly fortunate in being able to participate in a work so efficiently organized and from which the community at large derives such a benefit and hopes that in the future it will be able through its members to continue the undertaking so happily begun, that of maintaining from year to year the St. Christopher Ward.

GRACE ROGERS,
Secretary.



Report of the Medical Board

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:



THE Medical Report for the past year is enclosed herewith. It seems unnecessary to call attention to any particular points in this Report. The general character of the medical work done has been gratifying to the Medical Board.

The Medical Board wishes to compliment the Superintendent and executive officers of the Hospital upon the achievements of the past year in the management of the Hospital, and also to assure the Board of Directors that they are giving their constant attention to a similar achievement in the improvement of the medical departments wherever their watchfulness can detect an opportunity.

The Laboratory in the New Building was equipped and occupied in January 1916, Miss Sarah Dupont being appointed as Pathologist. She performed her duties most efficiently until September, when she was compelled, because of illness, to resign her position. Dr. W. C. Dennis has been appointed to succeed her.

Since the appointment of the Visiting Pathologist, 490 autopsies have been performed, and the Laboratory now possesses a collection of some 5,900 histological preparations illustrating almost every phase of the pathology of infancy, and including many cases of unusual interest. This collection, and the carefully maintained records of the cases, have been used for teaching, and have afforded material for the publication of a number of scientific papers which have been published from the Laboratory by the pathologist and his co-workers.

Very respectfully,

H. McM. PAINTER,
Chairman of the Medical Board.

Pediatric Report

October 1st, 1915, to October 1st, 1916

Admissions	
Boarding-Out Department.....	456
House cases.....	408
Total	864

Diseases		
	<i>Cases</i>	<i>Deaths</i>
Premature	54	11
Diseases of New Born.....	4	4
Diseases of Nutrition.....	50	1
Infectious Diseases	220	3
Diseases Respiratory Tract..	243	27
Diseases Digestive Tract..	421	66
Diseases Circulatory System	7	1
Diseases of Nervous System	35	6
“ Genito-Urinary		
System	167	2
“ Skin	94	0
“ Eye	34	0
“ Ear	112	0
“ Nose and Throat..	16	0
“ Lymphatic System	25	0
“ Ductless Glands..	8	0
“ Osseous System..	66	0
Congenital Deformities....	4	1
Furunculosis	19	0
Phimosis	18	0
Hernia	4	0
Miscellaneous	22	2
Total	1,623	122

Surgical Operations—Children

	<i>Cases</i>
Tonsilectomy and adenectomy.....	128
Osteotomy for Genu Valgus.....	2
Osteotomy for Osteomyelitis and empyema	1
Resection of rib and drainage for empyema	1
Suture of nerve for Musculo-spinal Paralysis	1

Indoor Obstetrics	
Total number delivered.....	642
Delivered by Visiting Physicians	
(private)	178
Delivered by Resident Physician	
(private)	68
Delivered by House Staff.....	406
Presentations:	
Vertex	614
Breech	32
Face	3
Brow	1
Transverse	1
Male	312
Female	339
Premature	41
Premature Stillbirth.....	18
Stillbirth at term.....	12
Twins	9
Placenta Previa.....	7
Premature separation Placenta....	4
Post-partum hemorrhage.....	10
Eclampsia	8
Spontaneous separation Pubic bones.	1
Prolapsed hand.....	1
Congenital absence of abdominal wall, right leg and hydrocephalus cephalus	
	1
	1
Abortion	4
Induced abortion.....	2
Induced labor.....	30
Manual delivery Placenta.....	11
Version	9
Forceps Delivery:—Low	41
Medium	15
High	9
Craniotomy	3
Abdominal Cæsarean Section	14
Vaginal Cæsarean Section	7

Surgical Operations

Abdominal Cæsarean Section	13
Abdominal Cæsarean Section with Hysterectomy.....	1
Vaginal Cæsarean Section.....	7
Dilatation and curettage, perineorrhaphy and Gilliam Suspension Uterus.....	1
Right salpingo-oophorectomy.....	2
Dilatation and curettage.....	15
Dilatation, curettage and trachelorrhaphy.....	3
Section of cervix for diagnosis.....	1
Wertheim operation carcinoma cervix.....	1
Appendectomy	9
Curettage for incomplete abortion.....	12
Supra pubic Cystotomy.....	1
Supra-vaginal Hysterectomy.....	2
Vaginal Hysterectomy.....	2
Multiple Myomectomy.....	1
Double salpingectomy, left oophorectomy, and appendectomy.....	1
Dilatation and curettage, trachelorrhaphy, resection of tubes, vaginal fixation uterus and perineorrhaphy.....	1
Amputation cervix, perineorrhaphy, double salpingectomy, left oophorectomy and appendectomy	1
Dilatation and curettage, plastic left ovary, round ligament, suspension uterus and appendectomy	1
Amputation cervix and perineorrhaphy	1
Dilatation and curettage, exploratory laparotomy and separation of pelvic adhesions	1
Double salpingo-oophorectomy, myomectomy and ventral fixation uterus.....	1
Double salpingo-oophorectomy, hysterectomy and appendectomy.....	1
Vaginal section and drainage of pelvic abscess.....	2
Right salpingectomy and appendectomy.....	1
Dilatation and curettage, hysterectomy and appendectomy.....	1
Dilatation and curettage, myomectomy and round ligament suspension uterus.....	1
Laparotomy and drainage	1
Trachelorrhaphy and perineorrhaphy	2
Trachelorrhaphy, enucleation of Perinael cyst and perineorrhaphy.....	1
Left oophorectomy	1
Dilatation and curettage and appendectomy.....	1
Perineorrhaphy and excision of hemorrhoids.....	1
Pan hysterectomy	1
Myomectomy and appendectomy	1
Dilatation and curettage, trachelorrhaphy and perineorrhaphy.....	1
Repair of cystocele, left salpingo-oophorectomy and ventral suspension uterus...	1
Hysterectomy, right salpingo-oophorectomy and appendectomy.....	1
Perineorrhaphy	1
Right salpingectomy and hysterectomy	1
Right oophorectomy	1
Dilatation and curettage trachelorrhaphy, perineorrhaphy, double salpingo-oophorectomy and ventral suspension uterus	1
Vaginal section, left salpingo-oophorectomy and vaginal fixation of uterus.....	1

Resection of right tube	1
Left salpingo-oophorectomy, hysterectomy, fixation right tube, appendectomy.....	1
Trachaelorrhaphy	1
Double salpingectomy, right oophorectomy, round ligament, suspension uterus and appendectomy	1
Double salpingectomy, right oophorectomy and resection left ovary.....	1
Dilatation, curettage and Dudley operation.....	1
Right salpingo-oophorectomy, Gilliam suspension uterus and appendectomy.....	1
Left salpingo-oophorectomy and plastic right tube.....	1
Dilatation and curettage, double salpingectomy, left oophorectomy, and appen- dectomy	1
Left salpingo-oophorectomy (ectopic)	1
Curettage for therapeutic abortion.....	2
Amputation of breast	5
Excision of Hemorrhoids	2
Cystoscopic examination	3
Incision and drainage abscess breast	5
Excision of lipoma	2
Fixation right kidney and appendectomy	1
Exploratory Laparotomy	1
Excision of ingrowing toe-nail and bunion.....	2
Partial thyroidectomy	1
Incision and drainage of peri rectal abscess.....	1
Tonsilectomy (adult)	1
Adults admitted for Medical treatment and observation.....	41

Adult Deaths

Pulmonary Embolism	1
Puerperal sepsis (delivered by midwife)	1
Accidental Hemorrhage	1
Shock and exhaustion	1
Pelvic abscess with peritonitis	1

Obstetrical Deaths—Children

Prematurity	16
Atalectasis	2
Cerebral hemorrhage	1
Hemorrhagic disease of newborn	2
Congenital deformity	1

Outdoor Obstetrics

Total number delivered	889
Applications for delivery	1,206

PRESENTATIONS—

Vertex	807
Breech	41
Face	4
Brow	1
Transverse	2
Shoulder	4
Premature	30
Premature still birth	19
Still birth at term	7
Twins	12
Hydrocephalus	1
Prolapsed cord	2
Placenta Previa	4
Premature separation placenta	2
Post partum hemorrhage	3
Manual delivery placenta	1
Versions	9
<i>Application of Forceps—</i>	
Low	10
Medium	1
High .....	..

Visits to Tenements

Doctors	3,271
Students	779
White nurses	2,778
Colored nurses	1,843

Visits to Clinic

Gynecological Clinic	1,423
Children's Clinic	5,724

Donations in Kind

The New York Nursery and Child's Hospital gratefully acknowledges the receipt of clothing, food, toys, services and miscellaneous articles from the following donors during the year ending February 1st, 1917:

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In addition the following societies have donated to the Hospital a total of 16,738 garments during the past year:

Employment Society of the Church of the Incarnation	St. Marks Benevolent Society
Employment Society of the Chapel of the Incarnation	Rye League of Social Service
Employment Society of All Angel's Church	Harlem Relief Society
Employment Society of St. Thomas Parish House	Women's Benevolent Society of Calvary Parish
	Lenten Sewing Class of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital

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In Perpetuity

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Miss Frances de Peyster, in memory of Frederic James de Peyster.

Mrs. Walter Graeme Ladd, in memory of her nephew,
John T. Willets, Jr.

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Mrs. John W. Gates, in memory of her son, Charles W. Gates.



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History of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital



THE work now carried on by the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital, succeeding to all the activities and to all the traditions of the oldest nursery, the oldest child's hospital, and the oldest maternity hospital in the City of New York, which sent doctors to the homes of the poor at the time of childbirth, was begun in 1823.

The present corporation was formed by the consolidation of the Nursery and Child's Hospital with the New York Infant Asylum, which had formerly consolidated with the old Marion Street Maternity Hospital. Each of these institutions was a pioneer in its particular line of endeavor.

The old Marion Street Maternity Hospital was organized in 1823 and incorporated in 1827 as "The New York Female Asylum for Lying-In Women" and was so called for the next seventy years. Its object was: "To furnish comfortable conditions and skillful attendance to respectable married women who require an asylum during the period of their confinement, and also to supply competent medical care to deserving married women at their homes under similar circumstances." It was the first institution of its kind to care for poor respectable women and was the pioneer in the city in sending physicians to such homes to attend at childbirth. In 1830 two lots were bought on Orange, now Marion, Street, near Prince Street, for \$2,750, and a three-story building was built with a forty-five foot front and a depth of sixty feet. This was its headquarters for fifty-five years. In 1835 it moved to 139 Second Avenue, where it continued its quiet and unostentatious charity until 1899, when it consolidated with the New York Infant Asylum.

The ministrations of the Marion Street Hospital are now continued as a part of the work of this corporation.

The Nursery and Child's Hospital with the name of "The Nursery for the Children of Poor Women" was founded in 1854 through the efforts of Mrs. Cornelius DuBois, who for more than thirty years thereafter continued as its First Directress. One day, when driving in the streets of New York City, she was startled by screams from an upper story of a tenement and looking up saw a child caught by a fallen sash hanging from a window. With the help of neighbors, she broke into the room and released the child. She found that it had been left alone while its parents were at work. Inquiries then made showed her the need existing in New York City for the proper care of children.

In the Annual Report of the Hospital for 1879 Mrs. DuBois says:

“Your attention is called to the condition of the poor children of New York before the nursery was found. Dr. Elisha Harris gives the following statement: ‘In 1854 to 1859 about 1,000 infants were farmed out per year, ninety out of one hundred would not live to see their first birthday. In a single hut on the river side above Thirty-fourth Street, it was common to find four or five young infants lying on the floor, with a single nurse who gave them bottle food until they died. The Almshouse Governors paid so much a week until they all died. They would be marked dead on their books and that was the last of them. The expense in 1859 was over fifty thousand dollars for the support of the children in these houses that were worse than no houses at all.’”

In one week after the Nursery was opened every bed was filled with the children of wet nurses.

The first quarters of the new charity were in St. Mark's Place, and shortly after it opened it became necessary to find additional room. With cholera in the city and the heat intense, it became suddenly evident that the house “was overcrowded, that our numbers must be divided or our children must die. The next house was found to be vacant and not an hour could be lost. The key of our basement door fitted and women with pails and brushes were sent in to clean the house while the manager on duty drove to the office of the owner with a check for a quarter's rent in advance. He was glad to deliver up the keys of a house he did not expect to rent in July and he does not know to this day that while he was leasing the house it was already occupied.”

In 1856 the Nursery acquired one of the wooden cottages which had been used by the New York Hospital while its stone wing was being constructed. When abandoned by the New York Hospital, the cottage was moved to the Tonnele Estate at 14th Street and 6th Avenue, where the Nursery followed it. In 1857 the cornerstone of the building at Lexington Avenue and 51st Street was laid, but during the Civil War the building was used as a hospital for soldiers. From 1879 to 1910 the Nursery and Child's Hospital cared for a total of 38,179 inmates.

The question of funds was as acute in the early days as it is at present, and the Annual Reports show the many means adopted to raise money for the charity. In 1865 Mr. Bierstadt contributed the proceeds of the first exhibition of his magnificent picture “A Storm in the Rocky Mountains”; and the sum of \$455.75 was realized from the exhibition of Huntington's historical painting “Mrs. Washington's Reception Day,” placed “at our disposal for a month by the voluntary kindness of its owner, Mr. A. T. Stewart.” The greatest single item of revenue, however, was obtained from the annual Charity Ball inaugurated in 1857, and through all these years maintained and made a great financial and social success by the ladies interested in this charity.

In 1870 the Nursery opened its Country Home on Staten Island, where for the following ten years the children in its charge, particularly the sickly

ones, were sent in order to be in the open air. At the end of the ten years the main buildings of the Home caught fire and were burned.

Although the Nursery and Child's Hospital began its work as a nursery, it was soon found necessary to provide care for its sick children, and to a certain extent this had been done, almost from the beginning. It did not, however, legally broaden its scope until several years after its founding. The primary object, however, for which the New York Infant Asylum was founded in 1865 was to take charge of foundlings and infant children to the age of two years and to provide for their support and education. It also provided such lying-in wards and methods of care and guidance as should prevent maternal abandonment of homeless infants and diminish the moral dangers and personal sufferings to which homeless mothers were exposed.

The Infant Asylum had its origin in the efforts of the Rev. Mr. Richmond to reform a class of unfortunate young women whom he found in the Maternity Wards of Bellevue Hospital. He died before his plan could be carried through, but his widow in 1865 secured a charter, and a building for the Asylum was rented at 104th Street and West End Avenue. Mrs. Richmond struggled for two years with the problems confronting the Asylum, she then died, and the work was abandoned. In 1871 the Society was reorganized through the efforts of Miss Alice Sanford and her father, General Sanford.

The Charity Commissioners of the City of New York fixed the rate at which the City was to pay for destitute children at \$1.33 per week. "The Society accepted the situation, rented a building at 8th Street near Broadway and began operations," says Dr. Stephen Smith. The result sustained the assertions of the most sanguine members of the Board, for the mortality scarcely exceeded nine per cent., against ninety-six per cent. on the Island. "It is difficult to estimate the vast influence of that first year's experiment on the saving of child life in the City of New York. The Commissioners of Charity immediately took the alarm and built and equipped the Infant Asylum on Randall's Island, where the mortality was reduced to less than twenty per cent. The Nursery and Child's Hospital, under Mrs. DuBois, secured a change of the law placing that institution on the same basis as this asylum, and from that date the mortality of children in its care has been little more than twelve per cent. Following that Sister Irene obtained a charter for the Foundling Asylum based on the law of the Infant Asylum, and with the care of two thousand children in the most variable condition as regards the prospect of living, has a mortality of less than twenty per cent. Still other institutions have been founded on the basis of this Asylum and are meeting with the same success in saving child life."

In 1872, the New York Infant Asylum bought the property where the present Hospital stands, at Amsterdam Avenue and 61st Street, for \$55,000—\$16,500 cash and the balance on mortgage—but the building was not occupied until April, 1873. The house at No. 24 Clinton Place was not abandoned, however, until 1878.

In 1899, the New York Infant Asylum consolidated with the old Marion Street Maternity Hospital and the cash realized from the sale of the Marion Street property, some \$75,000, together with \$18,000 donated for the purpose, was used to help build part of the present Hospital building.

In 1910 the New York Infant Asylum was consolidated with the Nursery and Child's Hospital under the name of New York Nursery and Child's Hospital. Under this consolidation the work of the two corporations has been continued and enlarged. The work of the present Hospital can be classified as follows:

- (1) A Lying-In Hospital;
- (2) A Hospital for sick children;
- (3) A Boarding-Out Department, supplanting the nursery in the building. The foundling children are placed in suitable homes and their general welfare supervised by visitors from the Hospital;
- (4) An Outside Obstetrical Department, continuing the work begun by the Old Marion Street Maternity Hospital. Physicians connected with the staff are sent to the homes of those who apply for aid;
- (5) The training of a limited number nursery maids, who, after a systematic course in the care of young children, are open to employment in private families.

There are always from eighty to one hundred sick children in the wards of the Hospital. They are roomed in the three children's wards on the seventh floor, and sometimes another ward in the quarantine building is pressed into service. The shelter on the roof of the old building is also devoted to the children. The entire children's service is under the supervision of graduate nurses who are responsible for the care and treatment of the children, and for the training of student nurses from affiliated hospitals. These young student nurses are given a three months' course of training in the care of children, a diploma being conferred upon them at its satisfactory completion.

Besides the children's services, the Hospital maintains a maternity service. During the past year the public wards have cared for five hundred and twenty-four patients. The Department of Charities of the City pays for emergency cases and the Hospital maintains free beds for the care of worthy women. Two hundred and thirty-two women were treated in these beds during the past year.

The third and fourth floors are for the use of private and semi-private patients. These rooms are in constant demand and during the past year this floor cared for five hundred and forty women. There are also two well equipped nurseries on these floors for the use of the babies of the private patients. In addition to the private single rooms and the semi-private rooms, there is maintained two small private wards where women are cared for at a very moderate charge during confinement.

Another activity which has recently grown rapidly in importance is the Out-Door Obstetrical Department. This work has generally supplanted the work of the Old Marion Street Maternity Hospital Wards. The Hospital now goes to the homes of these women almost entirely instead of having them come to the Hospital. The woman who wishes to avail herself of this service registers at the Hospital, and at the time of her confinement she is attended by one of the three doctors attached to this department and by one of the nurses. During the past year eight hundred and eighty-four women were cared for in their homes and there were seventeen hundred and ninety-four applications for delivery. The Clinic connected with this department had eleven thousand four hundred and ninety-seven calls upon it.

For the care of the sick, graduate and student nurses are in attendance. A graduate nurse is in charge of each department of the Hospital and she is aided by student nurses. The latter come to us for three months from affiliated hospitals in which they are taking a general course in nursing. It is planned to offer to the pupil nurses of the affiliated hospitals a further course in the care of children. The Hospital now receives student nurses from the Presbyterian Hospital, St. Luke's Hospital, the Post-Graduate Hospital, the Peter Bent Brigham Hospital of Boston, Vassar Brothers Hospital of Poughkeepsie and others.

The present capacity of the Hospital is one hundred and eighty beds for children and eighty-three beds for women.

CURRENT HISTORY

In last year's Annual Report will be found a detailed article on our Boarding-Out Department; it is purposed to include, in each report, an article on some specific phase of our work so that year by year will compile an actual survey of our work and its development. This year we have taken as our subject, "The Out-Door Obstetric Department."

Out-Door Obstetrics Department



AS FAR as can be ascertained by careful search of public records, the Old Marion Street Hospital, organized in 1823, was the first institution in this country to establish a department for the care during child-birth, of poor women in their own homes. The development of this form of out-door relief into the approval of its general practice, is naturally a culmination of which to be justly proud, and our Out-Door Obstetric Department, ever mindful of such a heritage, has aimed at and maintained a standard which has kept it in the first rank among institutions rendering this sort of service to the public.

Approximately 1,500 births are attended in our Out-Door Obstetric Department a year. That means many times that number of visits to the families by our doctors and nurses.

The district covered by our Out-Door Obstetric Department extends from 24th Street to 104th Street from Fifth Avenue to the Hudson River. This territory includes a tremendous tenement population, in fact one of our blocks is among the famous "most crowded blocks in the world" claimed to house 11,000 persons. The so-called "black belt" of New York is in our jurisdiction also, necessitating our having a colored nurse and assistants who co-operate with the Henry Street Settlement in the care of these families.

The normal procedure in all cases is that a woman, anticipating motherhood, calls at the Hospital, where after examination by a physician, she is given a card, entitling her to call a doctor when needed. This card is brought in by some member of her family when the emergency arises, and a doctor and nurse respond. In case of a night call, our doctors call an assistant from The College of Physicians and Surgeons and the nurses follow the next morning for after-care work, which is continued as long as the case requires it. This means until all danger is past for the mother, and the proper care of the child has been superintended.

It is the nurse's duty to imbue those responsible, with the importance of cleanliness where the baby is concerned; to teach the mother how to bathe and dress it, to emphasize the need for fresh air and regular sleep.

When the baby is forced to depend on bottle food, the nearest milk station is recommended and the correct food formula given. In the case of premature birth, the child is taken to the Hospital and cared for in the "premature ward." Where the mother needs special care, she is also brought to the Hospital.

Our doctors carry with them bags thoroughly equipped to meet every necessity of such cases, thus reducing to a negative the possibility of infection. This service is entirely free of expense to the poor, and in cases where conditions are found to be abnormal, our Social Worker follows and sets in motion the various palliative forces which may be needed to meet the situation. Sometimes a wet-nurse may be necessary and must be found, though it is very difficult to procure enough healthy women to meet this demand.

The March 1917 issue of the Hospital Bulletin reproduced a letter written by Dr. Henry McM. Painter which ably epitomizes the physician's estimation of the value of such a department and its claim upon the sympathies and support of the public as well as gives a vivid flash-light of the whole social fabric from which are woven the needs which have developed this practical response. Dr. Painter writes:—

"The claim of the Out-Door Obstetric Department upon the sympathy and support of those who are interested in the work of the Hospital can scarcely be exaggerated. It is not only that poor women are carefully confined instead of being left to the indifferent care of an ignorant midwife, a busy underpaid doctor, or a casual neighbor. The important distinctive point about The Out-Door Department is that the women are not obliged to leave their homes.

"The records of the lying-in hospitals of the city would indicate that there are many women who are willing to leave their homes for their confinement, who even look upon the temporary seclusion in the Hospital possibly as a welcome period of rest from the cares, the anxieties and the hard work of their daily lives. There are certainly many others, however, to whom the necessity of entering the Hospital is a source of dread and foreboding. We who live in comfort and even comparative ease can scarcely realize the sacrifices which the poor make for one another. Relatives or neighbors gladly care for the children of the sick friend during the days of stress. They cheerfully make room for four or five more at the dinner table. Without complaint they mend and fend for one another in a kind of free masonry which assures a reciprocal kindness in time of need.

"But it is certain, too, that often women are so situated that this neighborly aid is not available or is not sufficient to accomplish the necessary relief. It may be that even the neighbors are unable to give aid. It may be that the husband is sober and industrious so long as the wife is at home as a restraining influence. The authorities of an out-door department often meet instances in which a woman can hold the home together and save the results of years of thrift and labor if she can remain in the house. To such

women the services of the out-patient department are a God-send. More than this, the Hospital gains ready access through the agency of the out-patient department to the homes of the people in our neighborhood, and so extends the range of the social service work.

"The criticism has often been made that patients cannot be safely cared for in an out-patient department. Such criticism discloses ignorance of the machinery of the department!"

There is a large field up-turned for social service through the intimate knowledge of home conditions with which such a department becomes acquainted; adequate post-partum care being so interwoven with hygienic surroundings and the need of guidance, instruction, and where circumstances demand it, occasionally, an enforcement of such protective laws as may be available.

John Burroughs, the well-known naturalist, writing in the magazine section of a Sunday newspaper recently, complained of the "unnecessary elaboration" in present day care of child-birth, adding that "eighty years ago, when I came into the world, one or two visits from the doctor, a little extra attention from a hired girl, and the crisis was safely passed; I doubt if it cost my parents \$5.00 to launch me safely on my career." The Outlook of May 16th, 1917, answers him through a distinguished physician who, admitting the obvious increase of cost in such cases, bases his claim of the wisdom and necessity of modern procedure on irrefutable statistics which show that infant mortality has been cut a little over one-half since the days used comparatively, by Mr. Burroughs, that whereas then, ten mothers of every hundred died from puerperal infection, to-day only one woman in every hundred meets that fate. Blindness in new-born children has been almost eliminated and gynecological diseases due to complications or accidents at time of delivery are now quite rare.

Summing up, the article concludes: "The machinery required for this sort of work is without doubt expensive but the return on this investment in human life and health is a high one."

Report of the President

TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE NEW YORK NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL:



THE vital question before us during the past year has been the raising of funds to carry on the work of the Hospital. The deficit for the fiscal year, ending September 30th, 1917, is approximately \$74,000. The Hospital has a fair principal which it has been forced to invade and is rapidly using up.

After about sixty years of moderate growth, our institution has recently been forced by the pressure of the growing need to meet modern conditions adequately, to enlarge, and so rather suddenly we find ourselves, by a sequence of circumstances enforced by this development, in the position of a large hospital for women and children. To meet this new situation successfully, it has been necessary to greatly increase the whole organization, which of course has in turn meant a compounding of running expenses in every department, to say nothing of costs in equipment. Added to this the abnormal rise in the prices of all commodities due to war conditions has further strained our resources, and finally the fact that at this specific period of our necessary growth, the charitable impulses of the community upon which we depend largely for our maintenance, have of necessity been divided by the issues growing out of our country's important war efforts. Such diversion of funds has been keenly felt by all home charities, and simultaneously (especially in our field) has come an increased demand upon our resources from the poor women and children of the city. Besides our usual work, we are caring, through the Red Cross, for the wives and children of our men in uniform.

In addition to our regular hospital activities, we have in our Boarding-Out Department the responsibility of supervising and caring for some 600-700 well children, who, otherwise, would be homeless. In this department our work is denominated by The Department of Charities of New York City as in Class I Plant I.

For more than a year now, these matters have been brought frequently to your attention but the financial problems growing out of them are far from solved; whether we have lacked endeavor, or whether circumstances exist which at this time, are not easy to meet, the fact remains, that we have received, practically, no additional income. A year ago it was decided to continue our present work, to save, where we could, without impairing the efficiency of the service, but with minds always unanimous in the determination to maintain the high standard of work set by the Hospital; and so we have continued to invade our principal in the hope that the good we were doing and the earnestness with which we were endeavoring to meet these problems would so commend our work, that funds would be forthcoming.

The Executive Committee has recently recommended a continuance of this policy, realizing, that if such measures are not finally effective and the necessary funds are not forthcoming, when we have exhausted our principal, we can at least close our doors with the consciousness of having done our

best to keep the institution alive, and, that while it was in operation, it had served well, a high purpose.


While the Executive Committee has recommended to the Board a continuance of this stoical policy, it also urges upon the Board the adoption of more earnest and persistent efforts to raise money than have been apparent in the last year, and—while the Committee firmly believes that the Hospital should continue its work, even to the complete expenditure of its principal—we affirm unequivocally that it is the duty of every Director and Member of the Corporation to devote himself or herself, unreservedly, to this one matter of raising funds.

In order to give due emphasis to our financial crisis, I will not amplify this report with other statements, relating to the activities of the Hospital, but content myself with referring to your consideration, such information upon these matters as is contained in the various annual reports of the several departments.

EDWARD L. PARTRIDGE.

Report of the Finance and Auditing Committee

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

 HIS Committee has the honor to report that the usual examination of the securities with the public accountants, Messrs. John I. Cole, Son & Company, has been made, and the Treasurer's report contains a list thereof. The securities are in a private box of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital at the United States Safe Deposit Company, and are accessible only to any two members of this Committee. The Bonds and Mortgages listed in the Treasurer's report, and in his custody, are secured upon real estate; are properly recorded and assigned to the institution.

Quoting from the report of Messrs. John I. Cole, Son & Co., we find: "This last fiscal year has been a very bad one, financially, for the Hospital. During the year, your investments have decreased from \$172,682.25 to \$81,520.00 (\$91,162.25). \$18,378.50 of this amount represents the depreciation of the market value on your Stocks and Bonds at September 30th.

"Of course, this continual loss cannot go on indefinitely and constant efforts should be made to reduce expenses, and at the same time, increase your income from every source possible.


"The Net Deficit from the year's operations amounted to \$73,860.70; this has been deducted from your Capital Account.

The institution is confronted not only with vastly increased work in its enlarged building and a consequent increase of expense but with the unprecedented curtailment in funds due to war conditions, and the steadily increasing cost of maintenance. It is urged upon every member of the Board that immediate action must be taken to increase our funds, if this great work is to be continued at its splendid standard.

EDWARD H. PEASLEE, *Chairman.*

Report of the Executive Committee

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

HE work of the Hospital for the fiscal year ending September 30th, 1917, has been of a more than usually arduous nature, due to the conditions brought about by the war. Financially we have been affected like most institutions both because contributions that might have normally come to us have been diverted, and because we have had to meet the pressure of the unprecedented and constantly increasing costs in maintenance.

The **Charity Ball** which in former years has been a source of about \$15,000.00 income to us has been given up this year because in the judgment of the Charity Ball Committee it did not seem propitious during these war times of suffering and sorrow to hold a public ball.

Our **Financial Position** has been still further strained, however, because the Hospital has rather suddenly passed from the condition of a comparatively small enterprise into a large and complicated institution. The financial deficit that the Hospital faces is so serious that unless relief comes within the year it does not seem possible that the Hospital can continue its present scale of activities beyond that time. Your Committee are not entering into this subject at greater length because detail will be found in the report of your President.

Your Committee has labored to bring about such economies in the operation of the Hospital as the times will allow, and in this connection has endorsed various radical changes, which, while incurring a present expense, will doubtless result in saving before the end of the coming year.

The **Physical Condition** of the Hospital we believe is excellent but the work has been conducted under difficulties due to the large numbers of nurses and doctors who have gone into the War Service. Too much praise cannot be given to those physicians, nurses, and other hospital workers who have so materially increased their labors and have succeeded in carrying on the compounded work of the Hospital and who have cheerfully taken over duties outside of their particular sphere.

It is not possible to mention them all by name, but we must allude to Miss Morley, the Superintendent, who in spite of a severe breakdown due to overwork, has so well carried out the general scope of the Hospital: to Miss Wood, the Assistant-Superintendent, who so ably seconded Miss Morley, and who during Miss Morley's enforced absence through illness assumed

charge: to Dr. McGreen, the resident Physician, who has accomplished an excellent medical work in addition to assuming many clerical duties: to Mr. Ellberg, the chief engineer, who has kept up the physical condition of the Hospital, and who has worked night and day to bring about in an economical manner the necessary material changes; and to Mrs. Sinclair, who has brought to all our friends an intimate knowledge of the various departments of our work.

War Service. The service of the Hospital has been accepted by the Red Cross for the care of the wives and children of our men in uniform. This service extends to the care in their homes through our out-department as well as that given within the Hospital.

The **St. Christopher League** has again donated the sum of \$1,000 for the maintenance of its children's ward, a ward that in its equipment and service is unique in the Hospital Service of the City. The League, though not giving its annual Charity entertainment, has raised its usual fund through the personal endeavors by its Members, who have won the gratitude of the Hospital and the commendation of all who have watched their arduous and purposeful work which has resulted in this fine success.

Social Service Department was established on February 1st, 1917, under Miss Miner as social worker. This department has proven of incalculable good and has filled out the modern work of a maternity hospital by its many ministrations and care of women and children who have needed other than medical assistance. Our worker averaged nine welfare visits a day. The expense of this department was sustained by funds raised through the personal efforts of the ladies of the House Committee.

Private Patients: The number of patients cared for in this department has increased 84% in the past year. Patients are accommodated either in private rooms, cubicle rooms, partitioned small wards or open wards. The general arrangements of the private floors have been made very attractive, with ample visiting and lounging quarters. We believe this department compares very favorably with similar work in other institutions.

Dispensary: Work in this department has become so heavy that a regular dispensary authorization was given to us by the State Board of Charities, and the work is being carried on under their supervision. This involved the appointment of a registrar and a general revision of our admission system, which has, however, been changed to comply with the State's requirements.

The report of the **Publicity Committee** is particularly commended to your attention. We feel that through their efforts the Hospital has made many friends and its work become more widely known to the community.

Some idea of the tremendously increased activities of the Hospital during the past fiscal year may be gained from the following:—


	1917-1916	% INCREASE	1916-1915
	NUMBER OF CASES		NUMBER OF CASES
CLINIC			
Different children treated.....	5278	77	2965
Total treatments children.....	9022	85	4879
Different women treated.....	4014	43	2802
Total treatments women.....	16056	43	11208
Women delivered in hospital.....	784	22	642
Women delivered outside of hospital.....	887	21	732
Nurses and doctors visits to tenements.....	8903	04	8576
Part pay patients.....	171	82	94
Private patients	1139	84	619
Social Service visits 7 months.....	627	—	0
BOARDING OUT DEPARTMENT			
Total different children with foster mothers	1052		1118
Number visits to children.....	13350		16770
Decreases due to city taking charge of cases through its Child Caring Bureau which is, however, to be given up.			
Different children in hospital wards.....	1965	—	1968

DANIEL C. ADAMS, *Chairman.*

Report of the Treasurer

New York, February 13, 1918.

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

N A time of great economic disturbance like the present, one scarcely expects to derive much comfort from the Treasurer's Report of an institution dependent to a certain extent upon voluntary contributions. The results of trying to keep abreast of the "high cost of living" so well known in domestic circles, on the one hand, and of contending with the more insistent and heart-rending appeals arising out of the war, on the other, are assuredly anything but encouraging. How we have fared in these matters has been fully explained in the other reports and it remains but to set forth here the figures that establish the conclusion.

The net deficit for the year is \$73,860.70 which has been charged to Capital Account. These figures, however, include a profit of \$16,264.98, derived from the sale of the Greenlawn property, and a loss of \$18,378.50, occasioned by a revaluation of our stocks and bonds to the prices current at the close of business September 30th, 1917. Thus our actual operations for the year were conducted at a loss of \$71,747.18.

During the year we sold, to provide funds for current expenses, securities of a face value of \$77,000 for \$69,440, showing a net loss of \$3,343.75 from the figures at which they stood upon our books.

No interest has been collected on the Weinstein Mortgage since May 1916. The Treasurer's accounts have been regularly audited by Messrs. John I. Cole Son & Co., 170 Broadway, New York.

An examination of the accompanying tables is earnestly recommended for a thorough understanding of the Hospital's increasingly acute financial needs.

Our Treasurer, Mr. George Emlen Roosevelt, having entered the Military Service, the undersigned assumed on June 12th, 1917, the administration of the duties of the department.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES BOUCHER,
Assistant Treasurer.

Table I.

New York Nursery and Child's Hospital

Receipts and Disbursements of Cash

From Cash Book, October 1st, 1916 to September 30th, 1917

CASH

On hand and in banks October 1st, 1916..... \$7,248.00

RECEIPTS

City of New York.....	\$105,585.46
Pay Patients	43,066.37
Sold \$25,000 Southern Pacific Ref. 4s.....	23,025.00
Interest and Dividends.....	18,300.62
Charity Ball	12,731.82
Sold \$15,000 Union Pacific Ref. 4s.....	12,220.47
Sold \$10,000 Southern Pacific Conv. 5s.....	9,775.00
Sold \$10,000 Union Pacific 1st lien and ref 4s.....	9,206.25
Sold \$10,000 Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul Gen'l 4½s.....	8,637.50
Donations	8,203.87
Sold Greenlawn Farm, land and buildings.....	8,000.00
Sold \$7,000 Atchinson, Topeka & Sante Fe Gen'l 4s.....	6,580.00
Miscellaneous Revenue	2,435.33
United Hospital Fund of New York.....	1,969.04
Annual Endowed Beds.....	1,750.00
Social Worker Fund, Donations.....	1,033.00
Legacies	929.10
Associate Members Dues.....	650.00
Robert Tag Mortgage, on account principal.....	500.00
Annual Dues	475.00
House Expenses, refunds.....	328.13
Pharmacy Receipts	294.20
Rent Receivable	250.00
Nassau County	155.44
Suffolk County	152.14
Westchester County	70.05
Fresh Air Fund.....	20.00
	\$276,343.79

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DISBURSEMENTS

Accounts Payable	\$276,852.38
Roof Shelter	2,898.50
Greenlawn Farm, land and buildings, commission, etc., Sale of Property	1,124.55
Fresh Air Fund, (Disbursements).....	20.00
Out-Door Obstetrical Emergency Fund, (Disbursements).....	45.00
	\$280,940.43

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CASH

Cash on Hand September 29th, 1917 as follows:—	
Fulton Trust Company.....	\$1,520.01
Corn Exchange Bank.....	550.84
Fulton Trust Company, (Permanent Endowment Fund).....	580.51
	\$2,651.36

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\$283,591.79

Table II.

Balance Sheet, October 1st, 1916

ASSETS	LIABILITIES
Land and Buildings.....\$346,515.25	PERMANENT LIABILITIES
Bonds and Mortgages..... 169,500.00	Capital October 1, 1915.....\$715,019.91
Stocks and Bonds..... 172,682.25	Operating Loss .....\$79,729.97
Securities constituting Permanent Endowment Fund, including \$570.72 of cash.... 47,570.72	Cr. Net increase on securities 14,296.53
	<u>\$65,433.44</u>
CURRENT ASSETS	Interest on Bank Balance Permanent Endowment Fund. 6.49
Due by City of New York.... \$18,363.08	<u>65,439.93</u>
Due by Rye Morley, Supt. (Balance) 3,656.99	\$649,579.98
Linsly Trust Fund..... 1.00	Augustus C. Brown Legacy.... 6,000.00
Estate Augustus C. Brown.... 1.00	Est. value of Augustus C. Chapin legacy 1.00
Estate Augustus C. Chapin.... 1.00	
Cash 6,677.28	Capital October 1, 1916.....\$655,580.98
	Endowed Beds 27,500.00
	Permanent Endowment Fund.. 47,570.72
	CURRENT LIABILITIES
<u>\$764,968.57</u>	Accounts Payable \$34,316.87
	<u>\$764,968.57</u>

Balance Sheet, October 1st, 1917

ASSETS	LIABILITIES
Land and Buildings.....\$333,904.78	PERMANENT LIABILITIES
Bonds and Mortgages..... 191,775.00	Capital October 1, 1916.....\$655,580.98
Stocks and Bonds..... 81,520.00	Operating Loss .....\$73,860.70
Securities constituting Permanent Endowment Fund, including \$580.51 of cash.... 47,580.51	Interest on Bank Balance Permanent Endowment Fund. 9.79
	<u>73,870.49</u>
CURRENT ASSETS	\$581,710.49
Due by City of New York.... 19,262.39	Estate of Isaac Carpenter \$929.10
Due by Rye Morley, Supt. (Balance) 5,361.79	Estate of Josephine L. Peyton 1.00
Due by Nassau County..... 85.83	Estate Benjamin Aymar Sands..... 1.00
Due by Westchester County... 24.95	<u>931.10</u>
Due by Suffolk County..... 25.71	Capital October 1, 1917.....\$582,641.59
Linsly Trust Fund..... 1.00	Endowed Beds 27,500.00
Estate Augusta C. Chapin.... 1.00	Permanent Endowment Fund.. 47,580.51
Estate Augustus C. Brown.... 1.00	CURRENT LIABILITIES
Estate Josephine L. Payton... 1.00	Accounts Payable 23,894.71
Estate Benjamin Aymar Sands. 1.00	
Cash 2,070.85	<u>\$681,616.81</u>
<u>\$681,616.81</u>	

Table III.

Detail of Current Expenses

Items Adjusted to the Fiscal Year

OPERATING EXPENSES

Meat and Fish	\$13,438.10
Bread and Flour	2,740.82
Butter and eggs	7,712.17
Other Groceries	5,382.31
Fruit and Vegetables	5,113.12
Milk	7,058.28
Ice	1,487.06
Drugs and Medical Supplies	9,573.95
Prepared Food	70.74
Wines and Liquors	13.16
Surgical Instruments and repairs	492.11
Medical Salaries	30,115.93
Household goods and utensils	6,648.86
Clothing, boots and shoes	11,800.13
Engineer's Supplies	1,232.66
House and Machinery Repairs	17,204.62
Furniture and Fixtures	2,935.37
Stationery and Printing	2,418.72
Fuel and Light	9,376.04
Telephone	1,045.56
Salaries and Wages	37,198.25
Superintendent Petty Cash	1,067.48
Miscellaneous Household Expenses	3,023.00
Insurance	556.30
Hospital Bureau	450.00
Out-Door Department	440.95
Carfare and Miscellaneous	1,955.39
Ambulance	15.00
Boarding-Out Department Pay-Roll	74,304.73
Pathological Department	1,064.33
Undertaker	10.00
Bond	10.00
Roof Shelter	3,907.16
Social Worker	834.00
Pharmacy	1,331.68
	\$262,027.98

GENERAL EXPENSES

Treasurer's Office Salaries	\$1,800.00
Legal	215.21
Audit	340.00
Bond	42.50
Publicity	3,990.75
Stationery, Printing and Postage	484.85
Miscellaneous	289.17
Taxes	138.26
	\$7,399.74
GRAND TOTAL	\$269,427.72

New York Nursery and Child's Hospital

Table IV. Securities

				PURCHASE PRICE	MARKET AND BOOK VALUE OCTOBER 1, 1917		
\$25,000	Baltimore & Ohio Conv. 4½s, 1933.....	May	9, 1913	(92¾)	\$23,187.50	(83)	\$20,750
15,000	Chic., Mil. & St. Paul Genl. 4½s, 1947.....	May	9, 1913	(99⅝)	14,943.75	(76)	11,400
15,000	Southern Ry., M. & O. Coll. Tr. 4s, 1938.....	Aug.	1, 1913	(82¾)	12,431.25	(59)	8,850
17,000	N. Y. Central Mtge. 3½s, 1997	Mar.	2, 1914	(82½)	14,006.25	(74½)	12,665
13,000	N. Y. Central Mtge. 3½s, 1997	July	31, 1914	(79)	10,286.25	(74½)	9,685
16,000	Mobile & Ohio Genl. 4s, 1938, \$7,500.....	Mar.	2, 1910		6,675.00	(55)	8,800
	2,500.....	Aug.	1, 1913	(83)	2,078.13		
	6,000.....	Jan.	7, 1914	(80)	4,812.50		
VALUED PRICE							
75 shares	Chic., Mil. & St. Paul Pfd.	Mar.	2, 1910		\$12,075.00	(100)	\$ 7,500
12 shares	Chic., Mil. & St. Paul Com.	Mar.	2, 1910		1,749.00	(55)	660
5 shares	Union Pacific Pfd.....	Mar.	2, 1910		505.00	(78)	390
5 shares	Nat. Bank of Com- merce	Mar.	2, 1910		975.00	(164)	820
							\$81,520

BONDS AND MORTGAGES

Mt. Vernon Mortgage, 5½%	\$ 80,000.00	
F. W. Meyer Mortgage, 5%	21,500.00	
Rose Levere Mortgage, 5%	10,000.00	
John Connors Mortgage, 5%	14,000.00	
Robert Tag Mortgage, 4½%	24,250.00	
Charles I. Weinstein Mortgage, 5%	19,475.00	
Edwin V. Hellowell Mortgage, 5%	22,550.00	\$191,775.00

REAL ESTATE

51st Street land and buildings.....	\$165,067.63	
Staten Island Place.....	40,900.50	
New Building (45 Amsterdam Avenue).....	127,936.65	\$333,904.78

PERMANENT ENDOWMENT FUND

David Pollack Mortgage 5½%	\$ 15,000.00	
David Pollack Mortgage 5½%	16,000.00	
David Pollack Mortgage 5½%	16,000.00	
Fulton Trust Company on deposit.....	580.51	\$ 47,580.51

Table V.

Donations of Money Received by Treasurer

October 1st, 1916 to September 30th, 1917

Anonymous	10.00	Mrs. C. A. Baynon.....	2.00
Anonymous	1.00	Mrs. Jas. W. Buchner.....	3.00
Anonymous	1.00	Miss Helen C. Butler.....	20.00
Anonymous	1.00	Mrs. Andrew Carnegie.....	100.00
Anonymous	1.00	Mrs. E. Caesar.....	1.00
Anonymous .....	.25	Mrs. S. T. Cannon.....	5.00
Anonymous .....	.26	Heyman Cohen & Sons.....	2.00
Anonymous	2.00	Mrs. Clarkson Cowl (clothing for	
Anonymous	2.00	Boarding-Out Department Chil-	
Mrs. Herman Acker.....	3.00	dren)	25.00
Mrs. James Herman Aldrich....	10.00	Clarkson Cowl, Esq. (clothing for	
Mrs. Wm. D. Andrews.....	25.00	Boarding-Out Department Chil-	
Herbert Brenon, Esq.....\$	10.00	dren)	25.00
Mrs. Edward J. Berwind.....	90.00	Heyman, Cohen & Sons.....	2.00
George Borgfeldt & Co.....	25.00	Mrs. S. J. Clarke.....	10.00
Mrs. L. J. Belloni.....	5.00	Mrs. Rose Cahen.....	1.00
Mrs. Rex E. Beach.....	5.00	Mrs. E. Caesar.....	1.00
Brig. Gen. Theodore A. Bingham	5.00	Miss Elizabeth Chapin.....	5.00
G. T. Bonnor, Esq.....	10.00	Mrs. S. J. Clarke.....	10.00
Mrs. John M. Bowers (to furnish		Mrs. Walter G. Chard.....	25.00
a room)	150.00	Geo. Cavanaugh, Esq.....	15.00
Mrs. S. W. Bowne.....	10.00	Russell H. Cowles, Esq.....	10.00
Mrs. Edward L. Ballard.....	10.00	Mrs. S. T. Cannon.....	5.00
Mrs. John C. Breckinridge.....	25.00	Mrs. G. H. Clements.....	10.00
Mrs. Wm. R. Brown.....	5.00	Mrs. W. H. Clark.....	20.00
Mrs. John M. Bowers (Century		Sydney O. Crystal, Esq.....	5.00
Fund)	100.00	Mrs. George V. Coe.....	10.00
Stephen Baker, Esq. (Century		Chas. D. Dickey, Esq.....	50.00
Fund)	100.00	Mr. D. B. Dearborn, Jr.....	10.00
Mrs. Henry R. Bond, Jr. (for con-		Dr. Fellowes Davis.....	10.00
struction of Reception Room at		D. Stuart Dodge, Esq.....	25.00
Hospital)	100.00	Mrs. F. G. Dow.....	5.00
Mrs. Alfred Bernheim.....	5.00	Arthur Du Bois, Esq.....	10.00
Mrs. Nathaniel A. Berwin.....	2.00	Mrs. Robert Dunlap.....	5.00
Mrs. F. Fordyce Barker.....	5.00	Mrs. M. E. Duff.....	2.00
Miss Harriet T. Bryce.....	5.00	William A. DuBois, Esq.....	25.00
Mrs. Brooks Brown.....	10.00	Mrs. B. Dalton.....	5.00
Mrs. Julia O. Batchelder.....	50.00	Mrs. Harry A. Day.....	5.00
Charles Ballin, Esq.....	2.00	Chas. D. Dickey, Esq. (Century	
Mrs. C. Arthur Baynon.....	5.00	Fund)	100.00
Miss Evelyn M. Breslin.....	3.00	Mrs. F. G. Dow.....	10.00
Mrs. C. T. Burkham.....	2.00	Mrs. F. S. Donaldson.....	2.00
Mrs. Simon Baruch.....	5.00	Mrs. F. R. Dennis.....	5.00
Allen J. Burchard, Esq.....	10.00	Mrs. F. G. Dow.....	10.00
Mrs. Louis J. Belloni.....	5.00	Mrs. Dudley Davis.....	5.00
Mrs. W. M. Bowes.....	1.00	Mrs. Eugene DuBois.....	10.00
Mrs. Wm. Reynolds Brown.....	5.00	Mrs. H. P. Davison.....	10.00
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		Total	\$2,271.45

Report of the House Committee

TO THE PRESIDENT AND THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS:



THE House Committee has held its monthly meetings on the first Tuesday of each month with the exception of July, August and September. The monthly reports of the Social Service Worker were read at each meeting. This service was started and maintained by The House Committee, generously assisted by the Chairman of the Executive Committee and a friend of his. The work has proven invaluable and its need has been so amply demonstrated that the Committee has voted to continue the department for the coming year. Ninety-seven welfare visits a month were the average of those made outside the institution; these visits are largely follow-up work and the numbers given allow some conception of the scope of intensive ward work necessary in such an institution as ours. Our Social Worker visits the wards every morning and becomes familiar with the cases in our care; sometimes there are home conditions which need adjustment during the mother's absence, or instruction of an ignorant mother is necessary.

At Eastertide the sum of \$52.00 was contributed by several members; this was used for flowers to bring cheer to the wards and for trimming the privet hedge and bushes in the yard and on the roof; several new privet tubs were also purchased.

The Lenten Sewing Class for 1917 held five meetings on Monday mornings at the houses of:

MRS. GEORGE H. BENJAMIN
MRS. JOHN M. BOWERS
MRS. ANSON MORAN

MRS. ALGERNON S. SULLIVAN
MRS. F. ASHTON DE PEYSTER

The members made many articles themselves and the House of Industry was paid for cutting out and finishing the work not completed in classes. About 1,400 very much needed garments were turned over to Miss Morley.

The Treasurer's report showed a balance from 1916 of.....	\$532.17
Membership dues for 1917.....	305.00
Interest on deposit in Fulton Trust Company.....	3.93
	\$841.10

The Expenses were:

Dutton for printing invitations.....	\$22.15
House of Industry for cutting and making garments.....	137.39
Donation to St. Elizabeth's Guild.....	150.00
Donation to Fresh Air Fund.....	150.00
	\$459.54

Balance in Bank.....	\$381.56
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The Hospital found it necessary to curtail expenses in many departments, owing to the pressure of the times. One of these was the sewing department, which had employed three seamstresses, so two of these were dispensed with, it was found that this was after all poor economy, and to meet this problem Mrs. Witherbee sent the hospital an extra sewing woman four days a week at her own expense.

The Junior House Committee, formed of young women and girls, hold monthly meetings and supply baby kits or outfits for a young baby which are given, under the direction of the Social Worker, to some poor girl-mother leaving the Hospital with her baby. Members of this Committee are so busy with war work of different sorts that their Chairman becomes despairing; however, fifteen members, each making two or more kits a year, are very helpful.

The management of the Hospital is so well and capably carried on under the Superintendent, Miss Morley, and her assistant, Miss Wood, that there is practically no criticism by the House Committee though sometimes suggestions are made. They are always cheerfully received and the spirit of "whatever is for the greatest good of the Hospital and patients" so uppermost with the whole organization that the greatest harmony prevails and the relations between the House Committee and the Hospital management are ideal.

GRACE TREMAIN BENJAMIN,
Chairman.

Report of the Charity Ball Society

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:



THIS year the Charity Ball Committee had ever before their minds the fact that this was the sixtieth anniversary of *The Charity Ball*, as it has been known since 1857. For three months the various committees were faithfully at work in their effort to make *The Ball* more successful than ever.

Mrs. Algernon S. Sullivan was Honorary President, and Mrs. Robert Nicol President for this year, and thanks are due to Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee as Treasurer, and Miss Lena R. Curtis, as Secretary, and to Mrs. George H. Benjamin, who had charge of the sale of the boxes.

The men managing the Charity Ball Society had their work well in hand, and thanks are due especially to Mr. Henry Gansevoort Sanford, Chairman, and the Executive Committee, who are responsible for the best of good times being enjoyed by all attending the Ball.

The Governor, Mayor, army and navy officers, and numerous distinguished guests participated in the opening march.

About 3,000 enjoyed the dance programme, furnished by the three bands.

The receipts were.....	\$15,948.59
The expenses of the Ball.....	3,216.77

Making a total profit of.....\$12,731.82
and this amount was duly turned over to Mr. George Roosevelt, Treasurer of the Nursery and Child's Hospital.

Report of the St. Christopher League



THE St. Christopher League has not held its usual dances or given a play this year, owing to the general feeling that both were inappropriate during war time. Anxious, however, not to fail in making our usual contribution to the St. Christopher Ward, we sent out two appeals for subscriptions and we are glad to say succeeded in raising something over the one thousand dollars at which we aimed. Consequently we are delighted that we can extend our support this winter as in past years.


We appreciate that it will require unusual effort to maintain the League on an active basis under the present circumstances, and as an aid in maintaining our organization intact, we have planned to hold a few informal parties during the winter and spring. In fact, one of these, a small dance, which has already been held, proved most successful. It is also our desire to continue the sewing classes for baby outfits during Lent.

Nineteen of our Members are now in the Service and yet we know from the generous response made to our appeal and the interest which the Members have shown, whether at home or in far distant camps, that it will be possible for us to continue our contributions and that the League will do its part in furthering the work of the Hospital and especially of the ward which bears its name.

GRACE B. ROGERS,
President.

Report of the Medical Board

TO THE PRESIDENT AND THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

HE past year in the Medical Department has been one of satisfactory progress. The routine of the Wards and The Outdoor Departments has been carried on adequately, notwithstanding the great difficulty in securing staff men, on account of the War. All of the Hospitals of the city have suffered because of the demands made upon their attending staff by the Federal Government, and also by reason of the fact that so many of the young men have attached themselves to different organizations in the War Department instead of applying for positions on the house staff of home Hospitals. Special Hospitals, however, such as The Nursery and Child's, have suffered even more, inasmuch as in ordinary times there are fewer men among the graduating classes from our medical schools who care to spend a year or two in the study of one special subject. The medical students of The College of Physicians and Surgeons have been of estimable service to us in carrying on our work—in fact we should have been in an almost impossible situation if they had not come to our assistance. The Medical Board feels also that the Hospital cannot sufficiently show its gratitude to Doctor McGreen, who has worked day and night, cheerfully, faithfully and uncomplainingly, much of the time with no one to help him and all of the time giving us work of a very high order.

For a long time the Medical Board has been dissatisfied with the laboratory facilities of the Hospital for pathological and bacteriological work. The Board has also felt very deeply the fact that there were no facilities for carrying on Research work in a service so important as ours. Despite the fact that the executive officers of the Hospital have devoted as large an allowance as possible to the Social Welfare work of the Hospital, it has been quite insufficient to meet the needs of the service from the point of view of the modern Social Worker. Although no part of the arrangements are yet completed, the Medical Board feels justified in stating that there will probably be placed at the disposal of the Hospital sufficient funds to develop the Social Service work of the Hospital and the Research work to such a point as will place this Hospital in the front rank of similar institutions in this country. As a part, also, of this arrangement, the Medical Board has succeeded in securing the co-operation of one of the most thoroughly organized laboratories of the city, so that hereafter all of the pathological work of the Hospital and all of the analysis necessary for diagnosis will be still more thoroughly done. Under this co-operative plan, Research work in important medical problems has already begun. The donor of these funds, which the Medical Board feels reasonably sure will be at the disposal of the Hospital

within six months, wishes to remain unknown. The contributions will be made through one of the members of the Medical Board. This will necessitate a complete re-organization of the scheme of attendance upon the Obstetric side of the Hospital. This re-organization is now being instituted.

The Medical Board wishes to make it clear that the fund thus placed at the disposal of the Hospital does not in any way relieve the Hospital of its present financial difficulties, inasmuch as none of the money is available for purposes of paying the present running expenses of the Hospital. It is the wish of the donor that the money thus available shall be used solely for increasing the scope of the work in this department and the efficiency of its present organization.

Very respectfully yours,

H. McM. PAINTER, M.D.,
Chairman.

Medical Report

October 1st, 1916, to October 1st, 1917

Pediatric Service—Admissions

Boarding-Out Department	292
House Cases	655
Total	947

Diseases

Premature	72
Diseases of Nutrition.....	258
Infectious Diseases	113
Diseases Respiratory Tract.....	154
Diseases Digestive Tract.....	232
Diseases Circulatory System.....	34
“ of Nervous System.....	43
“ Genito-Urinary System.....	112
“ Skin	39
“ Eye	17
“ Ear	129
“ Nose and Throat.....	44
Hypertrophy of Tonsils and Adenoids	303
Disease Lymphatic System.....	29
“ Osseous System	20
Burne of Body.....	7
Congenital Deformities	33
“ Syphilis	25
Furunculosis	29
Phimosis	52
Hernia	9
Miscellaneous	30
Total	1,784
Well Babies	241

2,025

Indoor Obstetrics

Total number delivered.....	965
Male	503
Female	462
Delivered by Visiting Physicians (private)	347
Delivered by Resident Physician (private)	94
Delivered by House Staff.....	524

Presentations

Vertex	922
Breech	38
Face	2
Transverse	3

Operative Deliveries

Forceps Delivery:—Low.....	110
Medium	56
High	7
Version	20
Episiotomy	10
Induced Abortion	5
Manual Delivery Placenta.....	7
Craniotomy	2
Induction of Labor.....	47

Complications

Eclampsia	5
Post-partum hemorrhage	6
Placenta Previa	5
Premature Separation Placenta	1
Prolapsed Cord	6
Twins	6
Decompensation of Heart.....	1
Pleurisy with Effusion.....	1
Pneumonia	1
Hydrocephalus	1
Imperforate Anus	1
Still Births (including miscarriages)	46

Outdoor Obstetrics

Total number delivered.....	884
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Presentations

Vertex	852
Breech	26
Face	4
Transverse	2

Application of Forceps

Low	3
Medium	1
High	0
Podalic Version	3
Manual Delivery Placenta.....	2

Complications

Premature, Separation Placenta.....	1
Prolapsed Cord	1
Puerperal Infection	1
Abortion	3
Premature Still Birth.....	10
Still Birth at Term.....	8
Twins	3
Fracture of Humerus.....	1
Pneumonia	2
Phlebitis	2

Medical Report—Cont.

Visits to Tenements

Doctors	2,936
Students	1,494
White Nurses	3,075
Colored Nurses	1,715
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Total	9,220

Visits to Clinic

Applications for delivery.....	1,710
Gynecological Clinic	1,985
Children's Clinic	9,512
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Total	13,207

October, 1916, to September, 1917

Deaths

Marasmus	30
Malnutrition	10
Gastro Enteritis	28
Mucous Colitis	1
Intestinal Obstruction	1
Broncho Pneumonia	28
Lobar Pneumonia	9
Tuberculous Meningitis	10
Cerebro Spinal Meningitis.....	1
Simple Meningitis	2
Miliary Tuberculosis	1
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	1
Endocarditis	2
Pyelitis	1
Convulsions	2
Peritonitis	1
Pulmonary Embolism	2
Furunculosis, Septicemia	1
Erysipelas	1
Pemphigus	1
Osteo-myelitis	1
Septicemia	2
Pregnancy	
Chronic Nephritis }	1
" Myocarditis }	
Chronic Salpingitis	1
Burns of Body.....	2
Atelectasis	2
Congenital Syphilis	2
Icterus Neonatorum	1
Cerebral Hemorrhage	1
Congenital Malformation of Heart....	4
Hemorrhagic Neonatorum	14
Still Births (including miscarriages)	46
Entero-Colitis	8
Prematurity	29

Surgical Operations

Exploratory Laparotomy	1
Abdominal Cesarean Section.....	17
Vaginal Cesarean Section.....	2
Dilatation and Curettage.....	70
Perineorrhaphy	20
Trachelorrhaphy	10
Anterior Colporrhaphy	3
Amputation of Cervix.....	4
Suspension of Uterus.....	22
Ventral Fixation Uterus.....	1
Appendectomy	29
Hysterectomy, Supravaginal	7
" Vaginal	4
Salpingo-oophorectomy	13
Salpingectomy	2
Oophorectomy	6
Myomectomy	2
For Pyloric Stenosis.....	1
Resection for Intestinal Obstruction..	1
Herniotomy	5
Tonsillectomy and Adenoidectomy....	257
For Hare Lip.....	1
Blood Transfusion	1
For Osteomyelitis of Humerus.....	3
Mastoidectomy	1
For Bow Legs.....	3
For Breast Abscess.....	10
Hemorrhoidectomy	5
Empyema	1
Cervical Abscess	3

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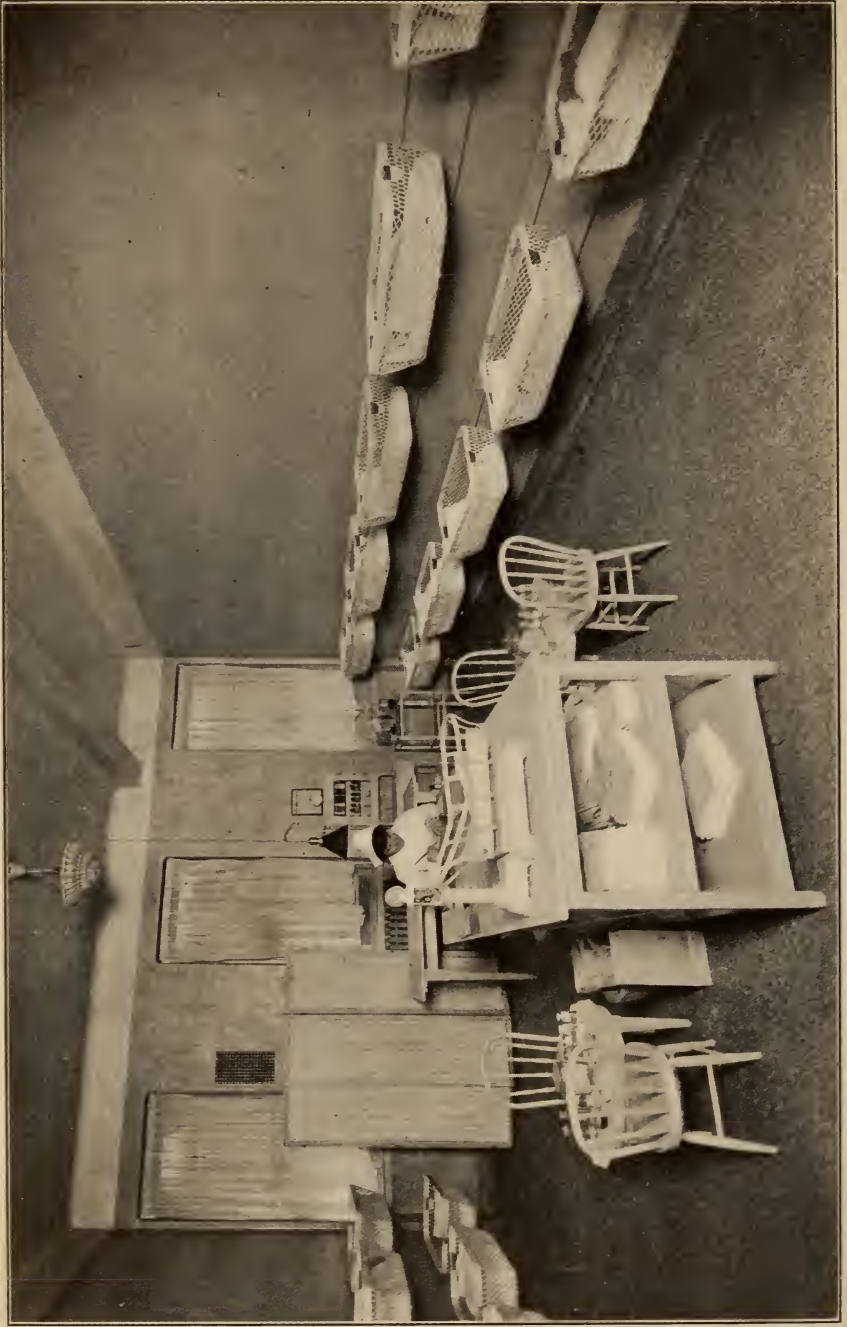
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COHOES HOSPITAL
HILLCREST HOSPITAL
LAURA FRANKLIN HOSPITAL
POST GRADUATE HOSPITAL
ROOSEVELT HOSPITAL
SARATOGA HOSPITAL
ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL
ST. MARY'S FREE HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN
VASSAR HOSPITAL

Combined Course, Obstetrics and Pediatrics (6 months)

ANNA JAQUES HOSPITAL
CORNING HOSPITAL
KNICKERBOCKER HOSPITAL
PRESBYTERIAN HOSPITAL

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Pediatric Course

BRETNER, AGNES E., Clifton Springs
BOVIN, MARTHA, Peekskill Hospital
CLARK, MABEL, Clifton Springs
CURTIS MAY, Clifton Springs
GAILLIANT, ARLINE, Clifton Springs
HEMMER, ROSE, Clifton Springs
LATURNER, A., Peekskill Hospital
MAINWARING, HELEN, Clifton Springs
MCGINNIS, GERTRUDE, Peekskill Hospital

MOORE, WINIFRED, Clifton Springs
PRIVE, DELLA, Clifton Springs
REED, NELLY, Clifton Springs
REED, MARGUERITE, Joseph Lawrence
RUSH, GERTRUDE E., Clifton Springs
RUTISHAUSER, GRETCHEN, Clifton Springs
SHAW, ARLINE, Cohoes Hospital
SWEENEY, MAY, Peekskill Hospital

Obstetric Course

ABRAMS, ELSIE M., Peter Bent Brigham
AVERY, EMILY B., Peter Bent Brigham
ABBLETT, MILDRED, Cohoes Hospital
BARD, MARY IRENE, Hillcrest Hospital
BARNETT, HELEN S., St. Luke's Hospital
BARSCHDORF, MABEL A., Hillcrest Hos.
BEAUDREAULT, SOPHIE, Peter Bent Brigham
BLACKHURST, SYBIL, N. Hudson Hospital
BOYD, DOROTHY, St. Luke's Hospital
BURBANK, MARY IRENE, Peter Bent Brigham
BURR, MARY D., Peter Bent Brigham
BRIGGS, DOROTHY, Post Graduate
BISSELL, GRACE, St. Luke's Hospital
BOHLEMANN, CHARLOTTE, St. Mary's Hospital
BAILEY, MILDRED, St. Mary's Hospital
BALL, JESSIE, Vassar Brothers
BYRNE, ROSE, North Hudson
CARR, THERESA C., Laura Franklin
CONGDON, HAZEL, Peter Bent Brigham
CAMPBELL, JANE, Post Graduate
COAST, MAY GLADYS, St. Luke's Hospital
COFFIN, HELEN, St. Luke's Hospital
CARLSON, ALICE, St. Luke's Hospital
CRUTCH, MARION, St. Luke's Hospital
COOK, RUTH G., St. Mary's Hospital
CHILDS, MABEL, Vassar Brothers
DANIELS, EDRENA, Laura Franklin
DILL, ETHEL L., Peter Bent Brigham
DAY, DOROTHY, St. Luke's Hospital
DENISON, MYRTLE, St. Luke's Hospital
DENCH, MAUDE E., St. Luke's Hospital
DODGE, MARY L., St. Luke's Hospital
ELCOAT, EDNA, Roosevelt Hospital
FINNEGAN, MABELLE, Peter Bent Brigham
FREELAND, BERTHA, Post Graduate
FITZGIBBON, ESTELLE, St. Luke's Hospital
FREDERICKS, MATILDA, St. Mary's Hospital

GROVES, LILY, Laura Franklin
GREENBOWE, GRACE, North Hudson
GUTIERREZ, MARJORIE, St. Mary's Hospital
GILL, LILY M., Vassar Brothers
GILLESPIE, HELEN, Presbyterian Hospital
HARDEN, MARION, Laura Franklin
HENSEL, ANNA E., North Hudson
HOLDEN, LORETTA, North Hudson
HACKETT, MARION K., Peter Bent Brigham
HODGDON, GRACE E., Peter Bent Brigham
HARTSHORN, GLADYS B., Peter Bent Brigham
HICKS, GRACE, Peter Bent Brigham
HALLSTEAD, ELIZABETH, Roosevelt Hospital
HAFF, IVA M., Presbyterian
INMAN, EDITH, Hillcrest Hospital
JOHNSON, ADA H., Hillcrest Hospital
JOHNSON, RUTH E., Peter Bent Brigham
JOHNSON, MOGEN, St. Mary's Hospital
KENDALL, MARION, St. Mary's Hospital
KRAUSS, ELSIE A., Vassar Brothers
LOGAN, ALICE, Post Graduate
LANGE, ALICE, Post Graduate
LAJEUNESSE, CECELIA, Cohoes Hospital
LONGSTAFF, HAZEL, Cohoes Hospital
MARSH, MAY, Hillcrest Hospital
MCDONALD, VERA MAY, Peter Bent Brigham
MCCVICKER, MABEL, Peter Bent Brigham
MCCONNELL, HESTER E., Post Graduate
MCINTYRE, EDNA B., Post Graduate
MULVANEY, GERTRUDE H., Post Graduate
MCCLAUGHLIN, LYDIA, St. Luke's Hospital
MARR, HELEN RUTH, St. Luke's Hospital
MATHIASON, HELEN, St. Luke's Hospital
MOORE, GRACE, St. Luke's Hospital
MILLER JEAN B., St. Mary's Hospital
MOLLENHAUSER, LULU, Vassar Brother's
MYERS, ERMINE L., Vassar Brother's



ONE OF THE WOMEN'S WARDS

Cheerful, sunny wards add to the comfort and happiness of our mothers.

History of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital



THE work now carried on by the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital, succeeding to all the activities and to all the traditions of the oldest nursery, the oldest child's hospital, and the oldest maternity hospital in the City of New York, which sent doctors to the homes of the poor at the time of childbirth, was begun in 1823. The present corporation was formed by the consolidation of the Nursery and Child's Hospital with the New York Infant Asylum, which had formerly consolidated with the old Marion Street Maternity Hospital. Each of these institutions was a pioneer in its particular line of endeavor.

The Old Marion Street Maternity Hospital was organized in 1823 and incorporated in 1827 as "The New York Female Asylum for Lying-In Women" and was so called for the next seventy years. Its object was: "To furnish comfortable conditions and skillful attendance to respectable married women who require an asylum during the period of their confinement, and also to supply competent medical care to deserving married women at their homes under similar circumstances." It was the first institution of its kind to care for poor respectable women and was the pioneer in the city in sending physicians to such homes to attend at childbirth. In 1830 two lots were bought on Orange, now Marion, Street, near Prince Street, for \$2,750, and a three-story building was built with a forty-five foot front and a depth of sixty feet. This was its headquarters for fifty-five years. In 1885 it moved to 139 Second Avenue, where it continued its quiet and unostentatious charity until 1899, when it consolidated with the New York Infant Asylum.

The ministrations of the Marion Street Hospital are now continued as a part of the work of this corporation.

The Nursery and Child's Hospital with the name of "The Nursery for the Children of Poor Women" was founded in 1854 through the efforts of Mrs. Cornelius DuBois, who for more than thirty years thereafter continued as its First Directress. One day, when driving in the streets of New York City, she was startled by screams from an upper story of a tenement and looking up saw a child caught by a fallen sash hanging from a window. With the help of neighbors, she broke into the room and released the child. She found that it had been left alone while its parents were at work. Inquiries then made showed her the need existing in New York for the proper care of children.

In the Annual Report of the Hospital for 1879 Mrs. DuBois says:

"Your attention is called to the condition of the poor children of New York before the nursery was founded. Dr. Elisha Harris gives the follow-

ing statement: 'In 1854 to 1859 about 1,000 infants were farmed out per year, ninety out of one hundred would not live to see their first birthday. In a single hut on the river side above Thirty-fourth Street, it was common to find four or five young infants lying on the floor, with a single nurse who gave them bottle food until they died. The Almshouse Governors paid so much a week until they all died. They would be marked dead on their books and that was the last of them. The expense in 1859 was over fifty thousand dollars for the support of the children in these houses that were worse than no houses at all.'

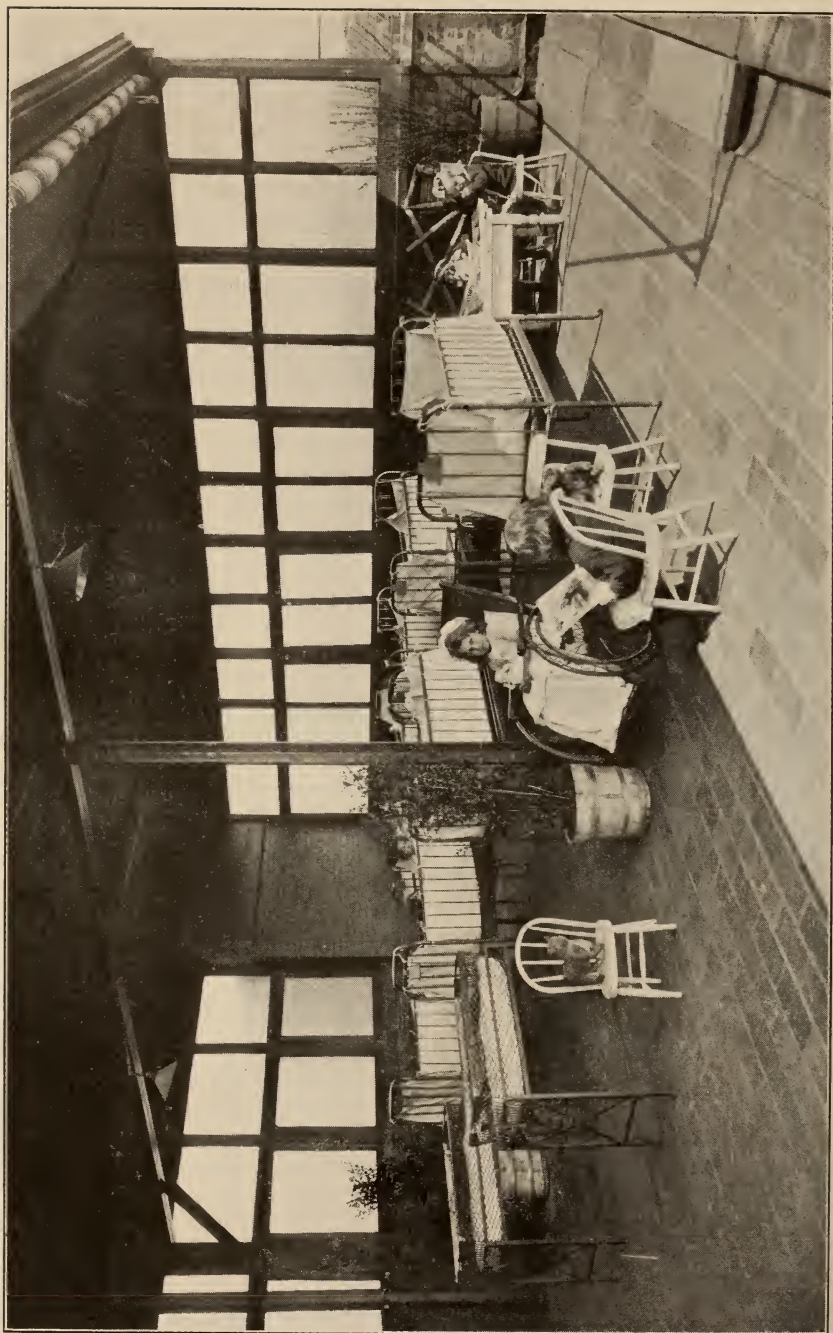
In one week after the Nursery was opened every bed was filled with the children of wet nurses.

The first quarters of the new charity were in St. Mark's Place, and shortly after it opened it became necessary to find additional room. With cholera in the city and the heat intense, it became suddenly evident that the house "was overcrowded, that our numbers must be divided or our children must die. The next house was found to be vacant and not an hour could be lost. The key of our basement door fitted and women with pails and brushes were sent in to clean the house while the manager on duty drove to the office of the owner with a check for a quarter's rent in advance. He was glad to deliver up the keys of a house he did not expect to rent in July and he does not know to this day that while he was leasing the house it was already occupied."

In 1856 the Nursery acquired one of the wooden cottages which had been used by the New York Hospital while its stone wing was being constructed. When abandoned by the New York Hospital, the cottage was moved to the Tonnele Estate at 14th Street and 6th Avenue, where the Nursery followed it. In 1857 the cornerstone of the building at Lexington Avenue and 51st Street was laid, but during the Civil War the building was used as a hospital for soldiers. From 1879 to 1910 the Nursery and Child's Hospital cared for a total of 38,179 inmates.

The question of funds was as acute in the early days as it is at present, and the Annual Reports show the many means adopted to raise money for the charity. In 1865 Mr. Bierstadt contributed the proceeds of the first exhibition of his magnificent picture "A Storm in the Rocky Mountains"; and the sum of \$455.75 was realized from the exhibition of Huntington's historical painting "Mrs. Washington's Reception Day," placed "at our disposal for a month by the voluntary kindness of its owner, Mr. A. T. Stewart." The greatest single item of revenue, however, was obtained from the annual Charity Ball inaugurated in 1857, and through all these years maintained and made a great financial and social success by the ladies interested in this charity.

In 1870 the Nursery opened its Country Home on Staten Island, where for the following ten years the children in its charge, particularly the sickly ones, were sent in order to be in the open air. At the end of the ten years the main buildings of the Home caught fire and were burned.



HERE, UNDER THE HEALING INFLUENCE OF THE SUN, SHE WAS RECOVERING.

SUNSHINE, WARD

Although the Nursery and Child's Hospital began its work as a nursery, it was soon found necessary to provide care for its sick children, and to a certain extent this had been done, almost from the beginning. It did not, however, legally broaden its scope until several years after its founding. The primary object, however, for which the New York Infant Asylum was founded in 1865 was to take charge of foundlings and infant children to the age of two years and to provide for their support and education. It also provided such lying-in wards and methods of care and guidance as should prevent maternal abandonment of homeless infants and diminish the moral dangers and personal sufferings to which homeless mothers were exposed.

The Infant Asylum had its origin in the efforts of the Rev. Mr. Richmond to reform a class of unfortunate young women whom he found in the Maternity Wards of Bellevue Hospital. He died before his plan could be carried through, but his widow in 1865 secured a charter, and a building for the Asylum was rented at 104th Street and West End Avenue. Mrs. Richmond struggled for two years with the problems confronting the Asylum, she then died, and the work was abandoned. In 1871 the Society was reorganized through the efforts of Miss Alice Sanford and her father, General Sanford.

The Charity Commissioners of the City of New York fixed the rate at which the City was to pay for destitute children at \$1.33 per week. "The Society accepted the situation, rented a building at 8th Street near Broadway and began operations," says Dr. Stephen Smith. The result sustained the assertions of the most sanguine members of the Board, for the mortality scarcely exceeded nine per cent., against ninety-six per cent. on the Island. "It is difficult to estimate the vast influence of that first year's experiment on the saving of child life in the City of New York. The Commissioners of Charity immediately took the alarm and built and equipped the Infant Asylum on Randall's Island, where the mortality was reduced to less than twenty per cent. The Nursery and Child's Hospital, under Mrs. DuBois, secured a change of the law placing that institution on the same basis as this asylum, and from that date the mortality of children in its care has been little more than twelve per cent. Following that Sister Irene obtained a charter for the Foundling Asylum based on the law of the Infant Asylum, and with the care of two thousand children in the most variable conditions as regards the prospect of living, has a mortality of less than twenty per cent. Still other institutions have been founded on the basis of this Asylum and are meeting with the same success in saving child life."

In 1872, the New York Infant Asylum bought the property where the present Hospital stands, at Amsterdam Avenue and 61st Street, for \$55,000—\$16,500 cash and the balance on mortgage—but the building was not occupied until April, 1873. The house at No. 24 Clinton Place was not abandoned, however, until 1878.

In 1899 the New York Infant Asylum consolidated with the old

Marion Street Maternity Hospital and the cash realized from the sale of the Marion Street property, some \$75,000, together with \$18,000 donated for the purpose, was used to help build part of the present Hospital building.

In 1910 the New York Infant Asylum was consolidated with the Nursery and Child's Hospital under the name of New York Nursery and Child's Hospital. Under this consolidation the work of the two corporations has been continued and enlarged. The work of the present Hospital can be classified as follows:

- (1) A Lying-In Hospital;
- (2) A Hospital for sick children;
- (3) A Boarding-Out Department, supplanting the nursery in the building. The foundling children are placed in suitable homes and their general welfare supervised by visitors from the Hospital;
- (4) An Outside Obstetrical Department, continuing the work begun by the Old Marion Street Maternity Hospital. Physicians connected with the staff are sent to the homes of those who apply for aid;

There are always from eighty to one hundred sick children in the wards of the Hospital. They are roomed in the three children's wards on the seventh floor, and sometimes another ward in the quarantine building is pressed into service. The shelter on the roof of the old building is also devoted to the children. The entire children's service is under the supervision of graduate nurses who are responsible for the care and treatment of the children, and for the training of student nurses from affiliated hospitals. These young student nurses are given a three months' course of training in the care of children, a diploma being conferred upon them at its satisfactory completion.

Besides the children's services, the Hospital maintains a maternity service. During the past year the public wards have cared for six hundred and twenty patients. The Department of Charities of the City pays for emergency cases and the Hospital maintains free beds for the care of worthy women. One hundred and ninety-five women were treated in these beds during the past year.

The third and fourth floors are for the use of private and semi-private patients. These rooms are in constant demand and during the past year this floor cared for eight hundred and seventy-three women. There are also two well-equipped nurseries on these floors for the use of the babies of the private patients. In addition to the private single rooms and the semi-private rooms, there is maintained two small private wards where women are cared for at a very moderate charge during confinement.

Another activity which has recently grown rapidly in importance is the Out-Door Obstetrical Department. This work has generally sup-

planted the work of the Old Marion Street Maternity Hospital Wards. The Hospital now goes to the homes of these women almost entirely instead of having them come to the Hospital. The woman who wishes to avail herself of this service registers at the Hospital, and at the time of her confinement she is attended by one of the three doctors attached to this department and by one of the nurses. During the past year seven hundred and eighty-four women were cared for in their homes and there were seventeen hundred and ninety-two applications for delivery. The Clinic connected with this department had fourteen thousand one hundred and ninety-nine calls upon it.

For the care of the sick, graduate and student nurses are in attendance. A graduate nurse is in charge of each department of the Hospital and she is aided by student nurses. The latter come to us for three months from affiliated hospitals in which they are taking a general course in nursing.

The present capacity of the Hospital is two hundred and ten beds for children and ninety-three beds for women.





B. O. D. WARD

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CURRENT HISTORY

In last year's Annual Report will be found a detailed article on our Out-Door Obstetrics Department and the special article in the preceding year was devoted to the Boarding-out Department. It is purposed to include, in each report, an article on some specific phase of our work so that year by year will compile an actual survey of our work and its development. This year we have taken as our subject, "Social Service Department."

Social Service Department

The importance of Social Service as a supplement to the medical work of modern hospitals has become in the last few years an established fact in the minds of prominent physicians and hospital trustees everywhere. Since 1905, which marked the beginning of the Social Service Movement in the United States over 100 Social Service Departments have been established in connection with prominent hospitals and dispensaries in all parts of this country. The futility of attempting to alleviate physical pain without investigating and curing the underlying cause has long been recognized by the medical profession but the faulty social conditions, which in all probability are directly or indirectly responsible for the diseased physical condition were for many years overlooked or ignored. A physician called upon to treat a patient for hemorrhage, who merely contented himself with checking the bleeding without examining the patient for the tuberculosis or the internal injury that was the cause of the hemorrhage would be considered strangely remiss, yet it is only within recent years that we have begun to realize the importance of inquiring into and remedying the social conditions, the unsanitary, ill-ventilated home, the lack of sufficient nourishing food, the long hours of labor in crowded unsanitary factory or shop, that may have been directly responsible for the development of tuberculosis or the unprotected factory conditions that may have been the cause of the internal injury. In the first report of the social work in the Lakeside Hospital in Cleveland, Ohio, in 1911, Dr. Warner tells of a mother who had come to the hospital seven successive times for treatment for a recurring valvular trouble of the heart. The 265 days treatment cost the hospital \$586. With the advent of the Social Worker the home conditions of this particular woman were investigated and it was found that her breakdowns were due to repeated overwork. A solution of this perplexing problem was found by the social worker and the recurrence of the heart trouble ceased.

In her introduction to "Social Work in Hospitals," Ida M. Cannon, R. N., Head Worker, Social Service Department, Massachusetts General Hospital, writes:

"The physician recognizes the physical symptoms and seeks for the underlying cause of disease. The skilled social worker recognizes symptoms of human distress and also seeks their underlying cause that she may

the more wisely help. Our large charity hospitals and dispensaries shelter many who need both kinds of aid. The services of the doctor and social worker then become interdependent, just as the physical and social conditions of the patient himself are interrelated. This interdependence of medical and social work, not only in treatment but also in seeking for cause of disease, the hospital social service movement is emphasizing. It seeks to find the common ground of medicine and sociology and to relate most effectively the functions of doctor and social worker.

“As hospital problems are social as well as medical, two expert professions, not one alone are needed. Yet only in the last few years have the medical and social worker been able to aid each other. Only within that period have they been able habitually to meet as experts, each teaching and each learning from the other; both united to serve the community. Both groups must recognize a common ground before they can reach a mutual understanding. So we find gradually developing this sympathetic interweaving of effort by two professional groups that for a time struggled separately with problems of the sick and dependent in the community.”

The idea of relief and charitable service to the sick poor is as old as Christianity itself. In the early ages of the Church the priest was physician of the body as well as of the soul and hospitals and relief organizations for the poor and suffering were established in connection with various monasteries and convents.

In modern times, too, through the efforts of various charitable committees of women interested in hospital work much has been done to cheer and comfort the sick and in some instances to supply immediate demands for clothing, delicacies and convalescent care, etc.

However the Social Service work differs from these efforts so much as it not only seeks to supply the immediate demand but to investigate and remedy the case that made the demand possible.

If a patient declares that she cannot make the necessary visits to the clinic because she cannot afford the carfare, the Social Worker's duty is not complete when she supplies the money to enable the patient to go to and from the hospital. She must discover the cause for this unusual lack of funds. This may necessitate a visit to the patient's home and here she may discover that the husband, through illness or intemperance or pure misfortune is out of work, that the family is in immediate danger of being dispossessed because they have not sufficient money for the rent and that they are actually in want of food. She may discover, too, that the patient's puzzling failure to respond to the doctor's treatment may be traced to the unsanitary, ill-ventilated home and the lack of sufficient nourishing food.

Immediate relief is needed to supply the necessary rent money and move the family to more sanitary quarters. This may be supplied from an emergency fund maintained by the Hospital or by some co-operating relief agency. The co-operating agency may be asked

to continue its relief until a position is found for the husband and the family is again established on its feet. An investigation of the husband's failure to hold a position may reveal the fact that he has been suffering for years from some remedial physical defects and the social service worker must again use her influence to gain his admission in some hospital or dispensary where proper treatment can be secured. In this way the primary cause of the family misfortune, the only symptom apparent at the hospital being the mother's lack of carfare, is discovered and remedied.

The development of modern Hospital Social Service found its first expression in England in 1880 with the establishment of a society for the after care of the insane, the object of which was to arrange for the care of discharged patients of insane hospitals particularly the homeless and to aid in their readjustment to community life; the reorganization of the Lady Almoners in London in 1892 and the appointment of the first Lady Almoner at the Royal Free Hospital in 1895 was the second step. The Lady Almoners were an ancient institution in many hospitals in England and after their reorganization their particular function was to decide upon the advisability of giving free treatment to patients applying to the hospitals and bringing about intelligent co-operation with other existing charitable and relief agencies.

In this country the work of the visiting nurses, maintained by many hospitals and dispensaries for continuing and extending the care of patients in their homes, has been the forerunner and in many instances the direct cause for the establishment of social service departments in American hospitals.

Various experiments in social training for doctors and nurses have also been made, the most significant being the work done in connection with the Nurses Training School at the Presbyterian Hospital in this city since 1904, when the nurses began visiting the homes of hospital and dispensary patients with a view of securing training as special visiting nurses and the work of Dr. Charles P. Emerson, who in 1902 organized a class of medical students at Johns Hopkins University for social training. They became a part of the Charity Organization of Baltimore and were assigned by the society to visit certain homes and give whatever aid was needed.

The first regularly established Social Service Department was created by Dr. Richard C. Cabot in the Massachusetts General Hospital at Boston, in 1905 with Miss Garnet L. Pelton as the pioneer Hospital Social Worker. To again quote Miss Cannon:

"Not alone for the sake of the patient's spiritual welfare, nor for the training of medical students, nor for the instruction of nurses, nor simply for the extension of medical care into the homes was this form of work created. Rather was it conceived by a physician who, in seeking the improvement of dispensary practice, found in the social worker a potent means for more accurate diagnosis and more effective treatment."

While New York City is far behind some other cities, noticeably

Boston, in the development of Social Service work, much has been done in the past few years to make up for the deficiency. Bellevue Hospital, for example, with its staff of sixteen Social Workers has one of the most efficient and completely equipped departments of this kind in the country.

The Social Service Department of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital was inaugurated in January, 1917. In March, 1918, it was reorganized under the supervision of a trained, experienced, Social Worker and in June, 1918, it was enlarged by securing the services of an assistant who was also trained and experienced in social work. Since its reorganization the Social Service Department has made 3,055 visits to the homes of hospitals and clinic patients. This does not include the extra 1,755 visits made to employers to secure positions for patients or members of their families, to relatives of the patient in order to complete investigations or secure aid and co-operation, to families willing to give employment to unmarried mothers to rescue homes and convalescent homes.

Over 175 cases have been referred to relief agencies for financial assistance. Positions have been secured for 50 persons, mainly through the co-operation of the various public employment bureaus, particularly the United States Employment Bureau, which recently secured a \$100 a month position for a man, who was virtually down to his last dollar. From 35 to 40 patients have been sent to the Caroline Rest in White Plains for Convalescent care and 5 to St. Andrew's Convalescent Home on East 17th Street. The problems of 35 unmarried white mothers and 70 colored mothers have been successfully solved. All cases up to the present reporting satisfactory progress.

This department has also supplied 30 layettes to mothers unable to provide clothing for their newborn babies.

The work of the Social Service Head in the New York Nursery and Childs Hospital is divided into two distinct departments, the Obstetric and the Pediatric.

Because of the importance of pre-natal care for women anticipating motherhood and the value of Social Service in this and the post partem care of mothers the work of the social service has been concentrated, for the present, on the Obstetric department. This work is again subdivided between the indoor or ward cases and outdoor or clinic cases and each subdivision has its own particular problems.

As a rule the financial status of women confined in the hospital is better than that of women who prefer to have their babies in their own homes, the weekly income of the former averaging from \$17 to \$20 a week, the latter from \$12 to \$18 a week. However, financial problems are by no means the only worries that come to disturb the rest and hinder the recovery of the poor mothers confined in the hospital. A daily round of the wards with the Social Worker would reveal an accumulation of human woes and miseries that would stagger all but the most experienced. Foremost in importance among the ward cases comes the problem of the

unmarried mothers. These young women, some of them scarcely more than little girls, friendless, alone, disgraced in the eyes of the world, cast aside by their nearest relatives are sorely in need of the friendly counsels and constructive sympathy of the Social Worker. It devolves upon her to evolve some workable plan for the future of the girl and her fatherless child.

This she may accomplish by visiting the girl's relatives and inducing them to take a more humane and charitable view of the tragic mistake. Sometimes it is necessary for her to secure a position for the girl in some other city or at least another part of the community where she is not known and where she can start life anew without the handicap of prejudice and disgrace. Wherever possible effort is made, both for the sake of the mother as well as the child to have these girls keep their children or at least pay something towards their maintenance in supervised homes. In cases of mental or moral incapacity it is usually considered wisest to have the girls committed to some correctional institution where she will at least be protected.

An interesting feature of the ward work has to do with members of the theatrical profession. Many of these people, attracted to New York by the hope of securing engagements, become stranded after a few weeks and are completely at a loss to know which way to turn in their dilemma. Proverbially impractical and eternally hopeful of the morrow, it seldom occurs to them to prepare for such contingencies as illness or child-birth and when the crisis comes they are as helpless as babies.

The outdoor, or clinic work, is carried on mainly among the poor mothers of the neighborhood who are unable or unwilling to leave their homes long enough to have their babies in the hospital. The Outdoor Obstetric work, at the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital, is one of the most interesting and helpful features of hospital work carried on in this city and the co-operation of the Social Service Department during the past year has been of incalculable value in bringing it to the degree of perfection it has been able to maintain.

It has been particularly valuable in keeping track of patients who come to the hospital for examination and fail to return for further treatment whether through ignorance or insufficient understanding of the physician's orders.

A daily examination of the admission records for both the indoor and outdoor obstetric departments is made by the social worker and wherever there is an indication of lack of means or other irregularity a visit is made to the home of the patient to determine whether or not she is in need of the aid of the social worker. In this first visit every effort is made to create a feeling of friendliness and confidence towards the hospital and with this accomplished further revelations as to financial needs or other complications come very easily.

In many instances the homes visited by the social worker are totally unfit for human habitation. She sometimes finds families of six or eight

small children living in filthy unventilated basements or in one or two rooms of a tenement that is virtually falling to pieces and in which the plumbing has been out of working order for months. In one instance she found a woman two weeks before her confinement going out at night to scrub offices because her husband had a peculiar habit of deserting her and her six children every time another child was born. Another woman was awaiting confinement in a bed that was soaked with water from a hole in the roof every time it rained. The tragedies of poverty and ignorance revealed by one day's round of visits with the social worker would easily fill a good sized volume.

In considering her cases our Social Worker has many items to be taken into consideration. Not the least important is that of nationality. While the largest proportion of patients are Irish and colored, representatives of all the following additional races have come under the jurisdiction of the Social Worker during the past year: English, Scotch, French, Belgian, Italian, Greek, Swiss, German, Dutch, Spanish, Portuguese, Porto Rican, Cuban, Japanese, Chinese, Austrian, Syrian, Roumanian, Russian, Swedish, Norwegian, Finnish and Bohemian.

An interesting record has also been kept of the type of positions held by the husbands of the women coming to the hospital for treatment. Day laborers head the list and after them come chauffeurs, waiters, drivers of wagons, chefs, clerks in stores, conductors and motormen, grooms, candy makers, longshoremen, gardeners, stewards, actors, porters, postmen, lithographers, commercial artists (sign painters), carpenters and machinists.

While the value of the work of this department has been thoroughly demonstrated during the past year there is still great room for expansion and development which cannot be accomplished without considerably enlarging the present staff of workers who are at present being seriously overworked. This would permit the further improvement of the post partem work and the development of the Pediatric work which presents a valuable field for usefulness which up to this time the Social Service Department has been unable to touch.





PRIVATE ROOM

Report of the President

To the Members of the Corporation of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital:

The wisdom of combination is exemplified by the history of three institutions—each of which had its own important relation to the philanthropic and charitable affairs of this city—The Marion Street Hospital, New York Infant Asylum, Nursery and Child's Hospital, which in 1910, through their union became the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital.

It has been my privilege to occupy official relation to all three of these institutions.

The Marion Street Hospital afforded me, as a student, my first Obstetrical case. This was in its Outdoor Department—the first of the kind—in 1873, while, in 1875, I was resident physician, and, later, attached to its Outdoor Obstetrical Department.

I first knew the New York Infant Asylum in 1876, as assistant to Doctor Nicoll, and, with the exception of a short period of schism, when I resigned to be reappointed later, had continued relation until the combination of the Hospitals into one institution.

My relation to the Nursery and Child's Hospital, in Lexington Avenue, continued for twenty years.

I feel with Mrs. Algernon Sidney Sullivan, our Honorary Vice-President, whose relations to the Nursery and Child's Hospital, in time and intimacy, has no parallel in this city that we have the right to express the opinion, which is shared by many others, that today the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital is second to none, in its breadth and high order of service in this City.

To accomplish and maintain this, there has been, and will be needed financial support. War conditions have deprived us of the usual "gift funds" which, not improperly, have moved away from us to the many and varied war needs which have arisen during the past four years. In spite of the invasion of our capital, we look forward now to greater things through a general return to the support of our home charities by generous givers.

One unfortunate effect of the past four years has been the withdrawal of our physicians to military service. Notwithstanding this, those who remained have kept us up to the times in our work, regardless of the double and fatiguing effort required of them. Where we have had, usually, from nine to twelve internes we have been doing as much work with three only, and where we had seven assisting Obstetricians upon the Outdoor work, we have none at times. We surmounted this difficulty by bringing almost every case of complications in the Outdoor Service into the Hospital. Our Medical Department deserves high praise.

One gift will be received, during the coming year probably, which will replace to a great extent, the inroads of the past two years on our capital. Mrs. Margaret E. Zimmerman bequeathed to us the sum of \$200,000, for the general purposes of the Hospital. While there are no restrictions attached to this bequest, I trust that we shall not find it necessary to spend this money. During the past year we have benefited, also, by the additional private rooms which, by the ingenuity of Mr. Adams, were obtained with no reduction in our free ward space.

With our growth—as clearly indicated by the various accompanying committee reports—we see where funds could be well expended, notably in a home for our nurses, who after exhausting hours have most inadequate accommodations for purposes of rest. Our Hospital executive staff and our Nurses, under the superior guidance of the Superintendent, Miss Morley, receives well earned thanks.

Our Board has met with a notable loss through the death of Mr. Charles D. Dickey, whose interest and wise judgment has been conspicuous, and with promise for a future which unhappily is not to be realized.

With sadness we record the deaths of four nurses during the influenza epidemic—their lives bestowed in performance of arduous duty, willingly rendered, with full recognition of danger.

In accepting Mrs. Benjamin's resignation as a Director, I desire to call attention to the fact that the movement toward Social Service work was inaugurated by her as Chairman of the House Committee, and that members of her committee provide the salary of our first Social Worker. This has been a most important step in our development.

In closing, I add that I think we may be optimistic—at least not discouraged—for we know we are appreciated by organizations and individuals, well capable of judging, as they see and realize the service we render.

EDWARD L. PARTRIDGE.



Report of the Executive Committee

To the President and Board of Directors:

The Hospital has probably accomplished a larger and more useful work during the fiscal year ending September 30, 1918, than in any previous twelve months. This was due not alone to war conditions, but because the organization of the Hospital had so grown as to be able to meet the heavily increasing demands upon the institution.

This work has been accomplished, however, only by heavy inroads upon our principal, and the good that the Hospital is now doing cannot continue indefinitely unless additional funds are given it.

We have been able to reduce somewhat the amount of our annual deficit by changing over a part of our space for the use of pay patients. This was not accomplished at the sacrifice of service to those unable to pay but rather by a readjustment of our working quarters, but it has resulted in a crowding of all our work.

Physical operation of the Hospital is excellent and the work has been splendidly carried on by Miss Morley, the superintendent, with Miss Wood as assistant superintendent. Mr. Ellberg, the chief engineer, has kept up the physical condition of the Hospital under the unusual labor and material difficulties of the past year.

War Service. The care of the wives and children of our men in uniform has been constantly before us and we have labored to the best that was in us to do for them as we should.

St. Christopher's League has kept up through the personal labor of its members its donation of \$1,000 for the maintenance of the Children's Ward.

New Ward. Through the kindness of Mrs. R. Penn Smith, Jr., a new ward furnished with glass partitions and all new equipment has been placed in operation. This fills a much needed want as it allows the Boarding-out children to be isolated from the observation cases coming to the Hospital for general admission.

Boarding-out Department. This work has been successfully conducted, but under difficulties due to the troubles in obtaining homes because of war conditions. Miss Holmes, who so successfully managed the work for so long, went to France to take up children's work and the Department has been very ably conducted since by Miss Hooper.

The Social Service Department is continuing its most necessary work. One of the workers is provided for by funds raised through the personal contributions and efforts of the ladies of the House Committee.

The Publicity Committee has extended its work, and its monthly Bulletin is now firmly established. This publication, undertaken as an experiment, has become widely known and must be of material aid to us.

The Future. The Hospital, whether it wished it or not, has come into a great maternity and children's work and it is accomplishing remarkable results, considering its limited quarters. If it is to continue this great service, and it is inconceivable to think that funds will not be forthcoming to enable it to go on, there must be radical changes in its physical equipment and the most pressing is the need of another building to house the nurses, giving them the quarters that they should have and releasing for proper Hospital purposes that space that now has to be used for living accommodations.

CLINIC, 1918

	<i>Number of Cases</i>
Different children treated	5,110
Total treatments, children	8,678
Different women treated.....	5,751
Total treatments, women	14,374
Women delivered in hospital.....	728
Women delivered outside of hospital.....	784
Nurses and doctors' visits to tenements.....	8,623
Part pay patients.....	384
Private patients.....	1,398
Social Service visits.....	1,530
Social Service cases.....	1,025

BOARDING-OUT DEPARTMENT

Total different children with foster mothers.....	986
Number of visits to children.....	12,740
Different children in hospital wards.....	1,347

DANIEL C. ADAMS, *Chairman.*



RESOLVED, That the Board of Managers of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital, desiring that recognition be made of the services rendered to this Hospital by the late Charles D. Dickey, expresses to the family of Mr. Dickey its deep sympathy.

During the past years Mr. Dickey has been ever ready with loyal aid, and has exhibited a strong personal interest in the growth and development of our work. He has responded to every call upon him, and upon his wise judgment in our affairs we have placed the greatest reliance. For this, and for a personality unusually attractive, we shall long miss his presence with us. In grateful appreciation we make this record.

Report of the Finance and Auditing Committee

New York, February 11th, 1919.

To the President and Board of Directors:

During the past fiscal year the Finance and Auditing Committee has authorized the sale of \$13,000, face value, Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul General Mortgage 4½% due 1989, and of \$15,000, face value, New York Central and Hudson River Mortgage 3½% due 1997, to provide funds to meet the running expenses of the Hospital. Of the latter, \$2,000, face value, were purchased with cash available in the Permanent Endowment Fund.

The Weinstein Mortgage, on which no interest had been paid since May, 1916, was foreclosed and the Committee directed the sale of our one-third share in the property thus acquired for \$15,000.

A list of the Hospital's securities and of its Bonds and Mortgages will be found with the Treasurer's Report.

EDWARD H. PEASLEE, *Chairman.*



Report of the Treasurer

New York, February 10th, 1919.

To the President and Board of Directors:

Our Hospital fiscal year that closed on September 30th, 1918, is likely to be remembered with contrasting emotions; on the one hand, as one in which because of conditions consequent upon the war, the problems of administration were peculiarly difficult; and on the other, because the news of the considerable legacy that we are to receive under the will of Mrs. Margaret E. Zimmerman, who died on March 16th, brightened our hopes and gave a new impulse to our efforts.

The deficit for the year, which has been charged to Capital Account is \$50,158.99, but in this amount are included a loss of \$4,076, incurred by marking down to prices current on September 30th, those securities that stood on our books higher than their market value; the loss of \$4,950, which we took in disposing of our share of the property acquired through the foreclosure of the Weinstein mortgage; and a net profit of \$788.75 realized on securities sold during the year, so that our operating loss may be said to be \$41,921.74.

The accompanying tables, prepared in the usual form, set forth in detail our financial history for the year and a careful examination of them is urged upon all members of the board. Special mention should perhaps be made of the receipt of \$11,000 for Endowed Beds, and of the fact that to provide funds to meet current expenses we sold in the year \$30,000, face value, of bonds, including \$2,000 that were purchased by the Permanent Endowment Fund.

There has been paid on account of principal of the Robert Tag Mortgage \$500, and \$999.99 of the David Pollack Mortgages.

The books have been regularly audited each month by Messrs. John I. Cole, Son & Co., 170 Broadway.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES BOUCHER, *Treasurer.*

Table I.

New York Nursery and Child's Hospital

Receipts and Disbursements of Cash

From Cash Book from October 1, 1917, to September 30th, 1918

CASH

On hand and in banks October 1, 1917..... \$2,651.36

RECEIPTS

City of New York	\$107,363.14
Pay Patients and Boarding Children	83,579.81
Interest and Dividends	15,403.50
Charity Ball	7,088.93
Donations	17,326.95
Westchester County	336.95
Suffolk County	454.92
Nassau County	756.26
Legacies	75.80
Associate Members Dues	570.00
Annual Dues	430.00
House Expenses (Refunds)	633.75
Pharmacy Receipts	1,933.13
Rent Receivable	100.00
Social Service Fund	1,239.00
Miscellaneous Revenue	6,737.52
United Hospital Fund	3,173.80
St. Elizabeth's Guild	95.00
Robert Tag Mortgage on account, principal	500.00
Students Fees	525.00
Advance Payments by Pay Patients	4,755.50
Medical Salaries	4,938.50
Sold \$13,000 Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul General 4½s..	11,298.75
Sold \$15,000 N. Y. Central 3½s.....	10,542.50
David Pollack Mortgage, on account, principal.....	999.99
Out-Door Department	150.00
Endowed Beds	11,000.00
Charles I. Weinstein Mortgage, foreclosed.....	15,000.00
General Expense Refunds	9.17
	\$307,017.87

DISBURSEMENTS

Accounts Payable	\$290,335.21
Rye Morley, Supt. Account	5,000.00
Donation Refund	10.00
Refunds to Pay Patients	527.85
Medical Salaries for Private Nursing	6,005.01
	\$301,878.07

CASH

Cash on hand, September 30, 1918, as follows:—	
Central Union Trust Co.	\$2,549.86
Central Union Trust Co. (Permanent Endowment Fund)....	187.84
Corn Exchange Bank (Regular)	500.00
Corn Exchange Bank, Disbursing Account No. 3.....	4,553.46
	\$7,791.16
	\$309,669.23

Table II.

BALANCE SHEET, OCTOBER 1st, 1917

ASSETS	LIABILITIES
Land and Building .....\$333,904.78	Permanent Liabilities
Bonds and Mortgages..... 191,775.00	Capital, October 1, 1916.....\$655,580.98
Stocks and Bonds 81,520.00	Operating Loss ....\$73,860.70
Securities, consisting of Permanent Endowment Fund, including \$580.51 of cash... 47,580.51	Interest on bank balance Permanent Endowment Fund.... 9.79
	73,870.49
CURRENT ASSETS	\$581,710.49
Due by City of New York.... \$19,262.39	Estate of Isaac Carpenter 929.10
Due by Rye Morley, Supt.... 5,361.79	Estate of Josephine L. Peyton 1.00
Due by Nassau County..... 85.83	Estate of Benjamin Aymar Sands 1.00
Due by Westchester County.. 24.95	931.10
Due by Suffolk County..... 25.71	Capital, October 1, 1917.....\$582,641.59
Linsly Trust Fund..... 1.00	Endowed Beds 27,500.00
Estate of Augusta C. Chapin. 1.00	Permanent Endowment Fund. 47,580.51
Estate of Augustus C. Brown. 1.00	CURRENT LIABILITIES
Estate of Josephine L. Peyton 1.00	Accounts Payable 23,894.71
Estate of Benjamin Aymar Sands 1.00	
Cash 2,070.85	\$681,616.81
\$681,616.81	

BALANCE SHEET, OCTOBER 1, 1918

ASSETS	LIABILITIES
Land and Buildings.....\$333,904.78	Permanent Liabilities
Bonds and Mortgages..... 171,500.00	Capital, October 1, 1917.....\$582,641.59
Stocks and Bonds..... 54,991.50	Operating Loss ....\$50,158.99
Securities, consisting of Permanent Endowment Fund, including \$187.84 cash.... 47,587.85	Interest on Bank Balance, Permanent Endowment Fund... 4.92
CURRENT ASSETS	50,163.91
Due by City of New York.... 30,893.60	\$532,477.68
Due by Rye Morley, Supt.... 5,500.00	Estate of Frederick Lawrence Upjohn 1.00
Due by Nassau County..... 161.64	Estate of Augustus C. Brown. 75.80
Due by Westchester County.. 118.95	Estate of Margaret E. Zimmerman 1.00
Due by Suffolk County..... 100.65	\$532,555.48
Linsly Trust Fund 1.00	Capital, October 1, 1918.....\$532,555.48
Estate of Augustus C. Brown. 1.00	Endowed Beds 38,500.00
Estate of Augusta C. Chapin.. 1.00	Permanent Endowment Fund 47,585.43
Estate of Josephine L. Peyton 1.00	CURRENT LIABILITIES
Estate of Benjamin Aymar Sands 1.00	Accounts Payable 31,994.39
Estate of Frederick Lawrence Upjohn 1.00	Advance Payments by Pay Patients 2,752.50
Estate of Margaret E. Zimmerman 1.00	
Medical Salaries 1,018.51	\$653,387.80
Cash 7,603.32	
\$653,387.80	

Table III.

Detail of Current Expenses

Items Adjusted to the Fiscal Year, October 1st, 1917, to September 30, 1918

OPERATING EXPENSES	
Foodstuffs	\$42,610.52
Clothing, Boots and Shoes.....	1,225.84
Linen and Bedding.....	3,863.50
Fuel	13,875.14
Light	1,808.87
Telephone	1,179.04
Magazines	28.75
Household Goods and Utensils.....	2,463.75
Engineer Supplies	1,848.22
House and Machinery Repairs.....	20,552.27
Stationery and Printing.....	2,136.62
Salaries and Wages.....	46,870.10
Superintendent, Petty Cash.....	636.59
Miscellaneous Household Expenses.....	3,384.27
Hospital Bureau	390.00
Pathological Laboratory	363.10
Postage and Telegrams	252.43
Social Service Fund.....	1,692.24
Pharmacy Account.....	3,574.19
Furniture and Fixtures	1,720.88
Apartment Rent	1,200.00
Reconstruction	6,162.13
MEDICAL	
Drugs and Medical Supplies.....	12,750.47
Wines, Liquors and Prepared Food.....	19.65
Surgical Instruments and Supplies.....	1,145.79
Salaries	21,258.00
GENERAL EXPENSES	
Treasurer's Office Salaries	1,320.00
Audit	320.00
Publicity	4,574.46
General Miscellaneous	1,179.40
OUT-DOOR DEPARTMENT	
Medical Salaries	3,730.46
Postage and Stationery	132.83
Nurses' Carfares, etc.	126.67
BOARDING-OUT DEPARTMENT	
Boarding-Out Dept. Pay Roll.....	75,340.64
Supervisor, Nurses' and Clerical Salaries.....	6,917.93
Foster Mothers Miscellaneous Expenses.....	697.81
Doctors' Bills	125.50
Clothing, Boots and Shoes.....	9,236.01
Telephone	27.42
Postage and Telegrams	142.62
Stationery and Printing	76.25
Visiting Nurses' Carfares and Maintenance.....	1,292.57
Undertaker	119.50
Miscellaneous	62.46
	<u>94,067.71</u>
	\$298,434.89

Table IV.

Securities

	Market Value Oct. 1, 1917.	Market Value Oct. 1, 1918.	Inventory Loss.
\$16,000 Mobile & Ohio R.R. Gen'l 4% bonds	(55) \$8,800.00	(55) \$8,800.00	.....
75 shares, Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul R.R. Co. (Pfd. Stock)	(100) 7,500.00	(78) 5,850.00	1,650.00
12 shares, Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul R.R. Co. (Com. Stock)	(55) 660.00	(48¼) 579.00	81.00
5 shares, Union Pacific R.R. Co. (Pfd. Stock)....	(78) 390.00	(69½) 347.50	42.50
5 shares, National Bank of Commerce	(164) 820.00	(164) 820.00	.....
\$25,000 Baltimore & Ohio Conv. 4½s	(83) 20,750.00	(76½) 19,125.00	1,625.00
\$15,000 Southern Railway, M. & O. 4s	(59) 8,850.00	(59) 8,850.00	.....

BONDS AND MORTGAGES

Mt. Vernon Mortgage 5½%.....	\$80,000.00
F. W. Meyer Mortgage 5%.....	21,500.00
Rose Levere Mortgage 5%.....	10,250.00
John Connors Mortgage 5%.....	14,000.00
Robert Tag Mortgage 4½%.....	23,750.00
Edwin V. Hellawell Mortgage 5%.....	22,000.00
	\$171,500.00

REAL ESTATE

61st Street Land and Building.....	\$165,067.63
Staten Island Place.....	40,900.50
New Building (45 Amsterdam Ave.).....	127,936.65
	\$333,904.78

PERMANENT ENDOWMENT FUND

David Pollock Mortgage 5½%.....	\$14,666.67
David Pollock Mortgage 5½%.....	15,666.67
David Pollock Mortgage 5½%.....	15,666.67
New York Central Ref. 3½s.....	1,400.00
Central Union Trust Co. on Deposit.....	187.84
	\$47,587.85

Stocks and Bonds Sold During the Fiscal Year

Oct. 1, 1917, to Sept. 30, 1918

<p>\$30,000 N. Y. Central R. R. Co., 1st Ref. $3\frac{1}{2}$s Value Oct. 1, 1917 ($74\frac{1}{2}$) \$22,359.00</p>	<p>Sold \$10,000 at 71... \$7,087.50 Loss. Sold 4,000 at $69\frac{1}{2}$.. 2,775.00 \$362.50 Sold 1,000 at $68\frac{1}{2}$.. 680.00 270.00</p>
<p>\$13,000 N. Y. Central R. R. Co., 1st Ref. $3\frac{1}{2}$s Value Oct. 1, 1917 ($74\frac{1}{2}$) 9,685.00 Value Oct. 1, 1918. (70) 9,100.00</p>	<p>Transferred to Perma- nent Endowment Fund \$2,000 at 70... 1,400.00 90.00 Inventory loss 585.00</p>
<p>\$15,000 Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul Gen'l $4\frac{1}{2}$s Value, Oct. 1, 1917 (76) 11,400.00</p>	<p>Sold \$4,000 @ $89\frac{1}{2}$ 3,575.00 Profit 2,000 @ $87\frac{1}{2}$ 1,747.50 4,000 @ $87\frac{1}{2}$ 3,485.00 2,000 @ 83 1,657.50 1,000 @ $83\frac{1}{2}$ 833.75 \$1,418.75</p>
<p>\$2,000 Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul Gen'l $4\frac{1}{2}$s Value, Oct. 1, 1917 (76) 1,520.00 Value, Oct. 1, 1918 (76) 1,520.00</p>	





RECEPTION ROOM ON PRIVATE FLOOR

Table V. The Century Fund

The Century Fund was inaugurated by Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee during the first part of 1917, its object being to procure one hundred dollar subscriptions toward the maintenance of the Hospital. Subscribers to the Century Fund are also Associate Members. The following names represent the present contributors to this fund:

Stephen Baker, Esq.....	\$100.00	Mrs. Helen Hartley Jenkins....	100.00
Mrs. Edward J. Berwind, for 1917 and 1918	200.00	E. Clarence Jones, Esq.....	100.00
Edward J. Berwind, Esq.....	100.00	Mrs. William M. Kingsland....	100.00
Mrs. John M. Bowers.....	100.00	Edward dePeyster Livingston, Esq.	100.00
Children of the Loving Service (through Mrs. Dickey).....	100.00	Mrs. John E. Parsons	100.00
Henry Clews, Esq.....	100.00	Lispenard Stewart, Esq.....	100.00
Mrs. William J. Curtis.....	100.00	William Rhinelandier Stewart, Esq.	100.00
R. Fulton Cutting, Esq.....	100.00	Mrs. John B. Trevor	100.00
*Charles D. Dickey, Esq.....	100.00	Mrs. Vanderbilt	100.00
Captain and Mrs. F. Ashton dePeyster	100.00	Mrs. James B. Varnum (through Mr. Dickey)	100.00
Mrs. Thomas P. Fowler (through Miss Wood)	100.00	Mrs. George J. Whelan.....	100.00
Mrs. James Watson Gerard....	100.00	"A FRIEND" (through Mrs. Witherbee	100.00
Mrs. Chester Griswold	100.00	Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee	100.00
Mrs. C. Oliver Iselin.....	100.00		
			\$2,800.00

*Deceased.

Donations of Money Received by Treasurer

October 1, 1917, to September 30, 1918

Anonymous, through Superintend- ent	\$25.00	Mrs. S. G. Allen	15.00
Anonymous, through Dr. Ed- ward L. Partridge	1,000.00	Anonymous	1.00
John Achelis, Esq.	25.00	Anonymous	1.00
Cecil Auholt, Esq.	1.00	Anonymous	1.00
Mrs. Henry Clay Adams.....	5.00	Mrs. George D. Arthur	1.00
Anonymous, (Magazines)	3.75	Anonymous	1.00
Daniel C. Adams, Esq.	10.00	A Little Girl	1.00
Anonymous	15.00	Anonymous	1.00
Thatcher M. Adams, Esq.	10.00	A Lieutenant, U. S. Navy.....	25.00
M. C. Atkins, Esq.	10.00	Anonymous	5.00
Anonymous	10.00	Anonymous	2.00
W. M. Annette, Esq.	3.00	Mrs. Estelle B. Adler	3.00
Mrs. Sydney G. Ashmore	3.00	Anonymous	1.00
Anonymous	1.00	Mrs. James Herman Aldrich.....	10.00

Anonymous	50.00	Miss Helen C. Butler	25.00
Daniel C. Adams, Esq., to pay for refrigerator in clinic.....	18.00	Thomas H. Boyd, Esq.	2.00
Anonymous, through Dr. Pain- ter	2,500.00	Miss Bertha G. Brooks	5.00
J. R. Amidon, Esq.	1.00	Mrs. Edward J. Berwind.....	50.00
Anonymous .....	.25	Mrs. Simon Baruch	5.00
Anonymous	1.00	Miss Evelyn B. Breslin	3.00
Marc Anthony, Esq.	2.00	Mrs. L. H. Bigelow	25.00
A. K. Alford, Esq.	1.00	Mrs. N. A. Berwin	2.00
Anonymous	1.00	Mrs. A. Bernstein	3.00
Mrs. Edward A. Alexander....	1.00	Mrs. Harold J. Bastine	5.00
Anonymous	1.00	Stephen Baker, Esq.	15.00
A Lieutenant, U. S. Navy.....	10.00	Charles Sears Baldwin, Esq.	1.00
Anonymous	1.00	Mrs. George H. Benjamin.....	5.00
Anonymous	2.00	Mrs. John M. Bowers	100.00
Anonymous	1.00	Mrs. R. K. Brewster	3.00
Anonymous	1.00	Mrs. I. Brill	1.00
Anonymous	1.00	Mrs. Edward Born	10.00
Anonymous	1.00	Mrs. Robert C. Beal	2.00
Anonymous	1.00	Mrs. S. Morgan Barker	2.00
Anonymous	1.00	Brig. Gen'l Theo. A. Bingham..	5.00
Anonymous	1.00	Mrs. Adele L. Baldwin	2.00
Anonymous	2.00	Miss E. L. Baker	2.00
Anonymous	1.00	Mrs. Anna M. Bell	25.00
Anonymous	50.00	Mrs. Samuel J. Bloomingdale...	5.00
A Friend	1.00	Mrs. H. B. Barnes.....	5.00
Mrs. C. C. Armstrong.....	5.00	Mrs. Fordyce Barker	5.00
Mrs. Eugene Atwood	1.00	Miss Betty Bartlett	5.00
Mrs. J. F. Archibald	10.00	Mrs. J. S. Browning	5.00
Mrs. Stephen N. Bond	25.00	Mrs. L. M. Borden	50.00
Miss Bertha G. Brooks	10.00	Mrs. R. F. Bloomer	2.00
Mrs. S. Bachmann	2.00	Miss A. Bliss	10.00
Berton Braley, Esq.	5.00	George Borgfeldt	25.00
Mrs. Julia A. Bruckel.....	2.00	Mrs. Marion Mason Bell	10.00
C. A. Brown, Esq.	1.00	Miss Jean C. Bradley	25.00
Mrs. J. T. Bailey	2.00	Mrs. F. S. Bangs	10.00
Thomas H. Boyd, Esq.	2.00	Mrs. A. C. Bainbridge	10.00
Arthur Bruckman, Esq.	10.00	Mrs. H. C. Boettner	2.00
Edward A. Barnett, Esq.	3.00	Mrs. Edward J. Berwind	90.00
H. I. Brightman, Esq.	2.00	Mrs. Edward L. Ballard	10.00
Mrs. R. K. Brenster.....	2.00	Mrs. F. M. Bacon	5.00
Mrs. W. H. Birschall	5.00	Mrs. Maxwell Barnes	5.00
Mrs. Pauline Boettger	5.00	Mrs. Lansdale Boardman	3.00
Miss L. F. Barrett .....	.25	Mrs. L. Horatio Bigelow	10.00
Mrs. William Barbour	10.00	Dr. Frederick W. Bancroft.....	5.00
Miss Frances Brown	1.00	Mrs. J. Stewart Barney	5.00
E. S. Barnc, Esq.	2.00	Mrs. Carter C. Beggs.....	10.00
Miss Florence Birmingham	2.00	Mrs. A. Baudouiney	10.00
Mrs. A. B. Berwanger	2.00	Mrs. A. Bernstein	5.00
Mrs. A. Bernstein	5.00	Miss Betty Bartlett	10.00
Mrs. A. P. Bunce	2.50	Mrs. Jessie I. Bartlett	1.00
Mrs. L. J. Belloni	5.00	Harold Bailey, Esq.	5.00
Miss Mabel E. Brewer	15.00	Charles Biele, Esq.	1.00
Mrs. E. R. Biddle	5.00	Miss Helen W. Band	4.00
Mrs. Alfred Bernheim	10.00	Miss Selma Baar	1.00
H. I. Brightman, Esq.	1.00	Mrs. Eugene L. Bundy	1.00
Miss Florence Birmingham	1.00	Mrs. F. Banker	5.00
Mrs. J. W. Buchner	2.00	J. H. Burwell, Esq.	1.00
		Mrs. Belmore Browne	1.00

Robert Buttlar, Esq.	5.00	Mrs. E. F. Darrell	5.00
Mrs. W. J. Brainard	10.00	Mrs. Max Danziger	2.00
M. Bernstein, Esq.	1.00	Mrs. Joseph B. Dickson	5.00
Charles Sears Baldwin, Esq. .	1.00	Mrs. Marcus Daly	100.00
William Bell, Esq.	5.00	Miss Helen M. DuBois	10.00
		Mrs. Philip S. Dyer	10.00
Max Cohen, Esq.	1.00	Mrs. George W. Danziger	15.00
Mrs. A. C. Clogher	2.00	Mrs. Josephine T. Davis	1.00
Mrs. Hyman Cohen	5.00	Mrs. Irving Dittenhoefer	2.00
Mrs. Florence Cartier	5.00	Mrs. James B. Dickson	25.00
Miss Alice P. Converse	2.00	Charles Nelson Dodge, Esq.	5.00
W. H. Conway, Esq.	5.00	Mrs. James B. Dickson	10.00
Mrs. Leopold Cohn	5.00	D. H. DeBoer, Esq.	1.00
M. J. Cohn, Esq.	5.00	Mrs. H. G. Dow	1.00
Mrs. T. W. G. Corning	3.00	Mrs. E. B. Dickinson	1.00
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ST. CHRISTOPHER'S WARD

Being sick is not so bad if one can get well in such a dainty, pretty room. In all the children's wards the little cribs are in separate glass cubicles so as to prevent any possibility of infection.

Report of the House Committee

To the President and Board of Directors:

The House Committee, owing to several resignations, has not been as active in 1918 as in former years, but until the time of the epidemic meetings were held once a month and members visited the Hospital every week. At Easter time the Committee supplied lilies for the wards.

In the reorganization of the House Committee it is believed that it would add greatly to the efficiency of the House Committee if sub-committees could be appointed to look after sub-divisions of the work; for instance two members to be responsible for the organization of the sewing class, etc.

Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee, as a member of the House Committee, has supplied a seamstress for the Hospital sewing room since the first of the year, as she found that the one seamstress employed by the Hospital was overwhelmed with work.

Mrs. Witherbee, as a member of the House Committee, took up with Miss Morley the question of the roof and found that certain changes in the arrangement of the serving rooms would greatly increase its convenience. After these changes were made in the small rooms, they were painted a cream color and the walls and top of the roof were painted a moss green. This work was carried out as far as the glass partitions and the bill for \$450 was paid by Mrs. Witherbee. This work is a great improvement and it is desirable that the western end of the roof should be finished in the same way.

Mrs. George H. Benjamin, who held the position of Chairman of the House Committee for the past year, sent in her resignation in August. The Committee desires to record its appreciation of her services. It was through Mrs. Benjamin's suggestion that the Social Worker for the Hospital was obtained and her salary paid by the House Committee.

Two of the young women members of St. Christopher's League have accepted invitations to serve on the House Committee and by this means we hope to bring home to the St. Christopher League the great good that their active interest means to us.

Report of the Lenten Sewing Class, 1918

The Lenten Sewing Class, one of the activities that the House Committee has under its charge, met during 1918 at the houses of Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee, Mrs. Edward J. Berwind, Mrs. Simeon B. Chapin and Mrs. George Hillard Benjamin.

Owing to the death of Mr. John M. Bowers, Mrs. Bowers was unable to have the last meeting at her house, so it was held at Mrs. Witherbee's.

In all we had 77 members, who contributed \$384. and 2,863 articles were cut out by the School of Industry for the Class. Many of these articles were made by the members of the Class and 963 unfinished garments after the closing of the Class were finished by the House and School of Industry.

The following financial statement is submitted by Mrs. Witherbee, secretary and treasurer of the Lenten Sewing Class.

DISBURSEMENTS:	RECEIPTS:
Dutton, printing invitations.....\$21.00	Balance from 1917.....\$381.56
School of Industry 40.30	Subscriptions and Donations to Class 384.00
For cutting out 2,585 articles and making balance of articles not completed in Class..... 93.15	Discount on Linen Bill..... 5.49
McCutcheon—12 doz. pillow cases, 12 doz. bath towels, 6 doz. shets, tray cloths, 274.35	Interest, June 30th..... 2.97
Social Service Worker, salary... 144.00	
Receipt book 3.50	
<u>\$576.30</u>	
Balance 197.72	
<u>\$774.02</u>	<u>\$774.02</u>

CORNELIA H. GERRY, *Chairman.*



Report of the Charity Ball Society

To the President and Board of Directors:

Owing to the fact that this country was at war with Germany and that the Government had urged the curtailment of all unnecessary expenditures, the Charity Ball Committee decided to omit the annual Charity Ball for the year 1918. Since the Charity Ball was inaugurated in 1857, it has only been omitted on the other occasion and that was during the dark period of the Civil War.

However, to make up in a measure for the loss of the Ball receipts an appeal was sent to patrons of former years, with the result that \$7,088.93 in contributions is gratefully acknowledged by Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee, Treasurer.

HERMINIE BERWIND, *Chairman.*



St. Christopher's League

OFFICERS, 1917-1918

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ANNUAL REPORT OF THE LEAGUE

To the President and Board of Directors:

The last year has been a most difficult one for St. Christopher League owing to the fact that twenty-seven of our members are in active service, which has made it inadvisable to keep up the Social activities. We are proud to have our president Miss Grace Rogers among those in France. We have endeavored to keep up the interest of the members overseas by sending Christmas cards of greeting from the League to all its absent members. We are also planning a small dance in April when we hope that many will have returned.

There have been a few resignations and no new members. A number of the League girls are meeting at the Hospital each Wednesday morning to make surgical dressings with the object of keeping in touch with the Hospital as well as helping to relieve the nurses who have been so over-worked during the recent epidemic. At the suggestion of Mrs. Robert L. Gerry three of St. Christopher's girls have been asked to serve on the House Committee of the Hospital.

Since the Subscription Dances and the Annual Entertainment were omitted last year we again sent out two appeals in December to raise the funds necessary to support St. Christopher's Ward. It is gratifying to announce that we were successful in securing the thousand dollars which we are pledged to give annually as our share in the good work which the Hospital is doing.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH GUNN, *Vice-President.*
MARION WHITMAN, *Secretary.*

Report of the Medical Board

To the President and Board of Directors:

The progress of the Medical Department during the past year has afforded the greatest satisfaction to the members of the Medical Board. Not only has the routine work of the Wards and Outdoor Department been carried on with gratifying success, in spite of an unusually small staff, but the extra work imposed by the exigencies of war and by the recent influenza epidemic has been well and faithfully performed.

An annual fund donated to the Hospital for an assistant resident physician for the Outdoor Obstetrical Work will greatly increase the efficiency of that department and enable us in a fair measure to meet the ever growing demands of this particular branch of the work.

At the suggestion of the Medical Board certain changes have been made in the method of attendance so that the work in the clinics and outdoor department is more thoroughly covered and the attending physicians are better able to plan their work ahead.

A new system of electric signals has been installed whereby the presence of a member of the attending staff is made known in all parts of the Hospital as soon as he enters the building.

The funds placed at the disposal of the Medical Board for the reorganization of the Social Service Department are already bearing good fruit in the growing efficiency and usefulness of this department. Under the experienced guidance of two trained social workers, the Social Service Department of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital is assuming its place as one of the leaders in work of this kind in the City of New York. Funds are needed for the further development of this work particularly in connection with the Children's Clinic.

Through the generosity of Mrs. Penn Smith, Jr., a new completely equipped observation ward has been opened in the Children's Department on the seventh floor.

The opening of this ward has enabled us to care for many more children than was before possible. Children from the Boarding-Out Department needing medical attention are placed in this ward before being sent into the regular pediatric ward, and children newly committed to the Hospital are kept there until the advisability of placing them with boarding mothers or keeping them in the Hospital for treatment has been decided upon. The ward is fitted up with glass enclosed compartments similar to those in St. Christopher's Ward and is in every way an attractive and useful addition to the Hospital.

H. McM. PAINTER, M.D., *Chairman.*

Medical Report

October 1st, 1917, to October 1st, 1918

Pediatric Service Admissions

Boarding-Out Department	327
House Cases	725
Total	1,052

Diseases

Premature	60
Infectious Diseases	24
Diseases Respiratory Tract.....	393
" Digestive Tract	396
" Circulatory System	24
" Nervous System	35
" Genito-Urinary System....	22
" Skin	32
" Eye	12
" Ear	42
" Nose and Throat	17
Hypertrophy of Tonsils and Adenoids	94
Disease Lymphatic System	22
Burns of Body	2
Congenital Syphilis	10
Furunculosis	6
Hernia	2
Miscellaneous	53
Total	1,246
Well Babies	327
Total	1,573

Indoor Obstetrics

Total number delivered.....	1,368
Male	699
Female	669
Delivered by Visiting Physicians (Private)	532
Delivered by Resident Physician (Private)	266
Delivered by House Staff.....	570

Presentations

Vertex	1,298
Breech	66
Face	0
Transverse	3
Shoulder	1

Operative Deliveries

Forceps Delivery—Low	96
Medium	85
High	15
Version	12
Episiotomy	31
Manual Delivery Placenta	7
Craniotomy	2
Induction of Labor	89

Complications

Eclampsia	8
Post-partum Hemorrhage	10
Placenta Previa	3
Premature Separation Placenta	1
Prolapsed Cord	5
Twins	9
Abortion	1
Premature Still Birth	9
Still Birth at Term.....	38
Abscess Breast	5
Retained Placenta	3
Tamponage of Uterus	5
Deformed Pelvis	11
Puerperal Infection	1
Pulmonary T. B.	1
Pyelitis	3
Mastitic Breast	3

Outdoor Obstetrics

Total number delivered	888
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Presentations

Vertex	808
Breech	77
Face	3

Application of Forceps

Low	4
Medium	9
High	2
Podalic Version	2
Manual Delivery Placenta.....	1

Complications

Prolapsed Cord	5
Abortion	8
Premature Still Birth	8
Still Birth at term.....	12
Twins	8
Phlebitis	1

Visits to Tenements	
Doctors	1,739
Students	1,882
White Nurses	3,444
Colored Nurses	1,389
Total	8,456

Visits to Clinic	
Applications for delivery	1,929
Gynecological Clinic	1,524
Children's Clinic	8,299
Total	11,752

September, 1917, to September, 1918

Surgical Operations	
Exploratory Laparotomy	1
Abdominal Cesarean Section.....	20
Vaginal Cesarean Section	2
Dilation and Curettage	66
Perineorrhaphy	21
Anterior Colporrhaphy	4
Trachelorrhaphy	10
Amputation of Cervix	4
Suspension of Uterus	18
Appendectomy	17
Hysterectomy Supravaginal	13
Hysterectomy, Vaginal	1
Hysterectomy	3
Salpingo-oophorectomy	13
Salpingectomy	4
Myomectomy	2
For Pyloric Stenosis	0
Herniotomy	1
Tonsillectomy and Adenoidectomy..	94
For Breast Abscess	3
Hemorrhoidectomy	4
Empyemal Abscess	1
Excision sarcoma of scalp.....	1
Excision of Varicose Veins	6
Incision and Drainage.....	1
Ventral Suspension	1
Removal of Cyst	1
Reduction of Intususception.....	1

Deaths

Marasmus	9
Malnutrition	16
Gastro Enteritis	41
Illio-Colitis	1
Enter-Colitis	1

Still Births (including miscarriages)	64
Hemorrhagic Neonatorum	4
Asphyxia Necnatorum	5
Prematurity	46
Broncho Pneumonia	30
Lobar Pneumonia	13
Double Pneumonia	2
Accidental Hemorrhage	1
Pregnancy	5
Simple Meningitis	3
Tuberculous Meningitis	10
Cerebro Spinal Meningitis	11
Inanition	7
Atelectasis	13
Multiple Burns	3
Miliary Tuberculosis	7
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	2
Congenital Syphilis	8
Spina Befida	2
Septicopyemia	1
Intussusception	1
Scleroma Neonatorum	1
Thromboplebitis	1
Septicemia	3
Acute Otitis Media	1
Puerperal Septicemia	1
Convulsions	1
Ectopic Gestation	1
Tubercular Peritonitis	1
General Peritonitis following abdominal Cesarean Section	1
Eclampsia	1
Acidosis	1
Monstrosity-Anencephalia	1
Congenital Heart Disease.....	1
Acute Dilatation of Heart	1
Pyloric Stenosis	1

Donations in Kind

February 1st, 1918

The New York Nursery and Child's Hospital gratefully acknowledges the gift of thirty quarts of Grade A certified milk a day from the International Garden Club of Ardsley-on-Hudson (through Mrs. Charles E. Hoffman) and also the receipt of clothing, food, toys, services and miscellaneous articles from the following donors during the year ending Feb. 1, 1919:

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Employment Society of the Church of the Incarnation	St. Christopher's League
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I give and bequeath to the New York Nursery and
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to be applied to the charitable uses and purposes of
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\$350 will support a Bed for one year
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CLARKE, HAZEL ALMEDA, Utica Homeopathic Hospital	PELAW, RUTH E., Utica Homeopathic Hospital
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HANNIGAN, MABEL F., Hudson City Hospital	SENGEE, ELSIE, Lawrence Memorial Associated Hospitals
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LODGE, MARY C., Clifton Springs Sanitarium	WOLFE, ETTA A., Rome Hospital

Obstetric Course

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ALVORD, GLADYS, St. Luke's Hospital	FULTON, ETTA ROSE, St. Luke's Hospital
AYRES, RUTH E., St. Luke's Hospital	FLOYD, HESTER, St. Luke's Hospital
AHERN, HILDA, Saratoga Hospital	FINNEGAN, CAROLINE F., Peter Bent Brigham Hospital
BYE, MARY HELEN, Post Graduate Hospital	FRUTCHHEY, FLORENCE E., Post Graduate Hospital
BLAIR, PRUDENCE, Cohoes Hospital	GORTON, LILLIAN MAY, Vassar Hospital
BLAISDELL, HELEN MILDRED, Peter Bent Brigham Hospital	GRAET, EDNA, Post Graduate Hospital
BULLARD, RUTH M., Hillcrest Hospital	GRAY, RUBY, Knickerbocker Hospital
BRADLEY, ELIZABETH, Peter Bent Brigham Hospital	GRIFFIN, MARIE, Post Graduate Hospital
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DAVIS, MARGARET, Post Graduate Hospital	HOLLAND, FLORENCE EDITH, Peter Bent Brigham Hospital
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	HODGSON, MARGUERITE E., St. Luke's Hospital
	HALEY, MARGARET AGNES, Cohoes Hospital

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 JONES, CELIA IDA, Vassar Hospital
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 JENKINS, LAVINIA ELIZABETH, Post
 Graduate Hospital
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 ham Hospital
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 MEHNERT, ELSIE W., Corning Hospital
 MILLER, AGNES K., Post Graduate Hos-
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 MORRISEY, MARY, Saratoga Hospital
 MORRIS, JANET M., Roosevelt Hospital
 MANY, ESTHER, Post Graduate Hospital
 MUNROE, GRACE INGLIS, Post Graduate
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 MAYNARD, LILY, Post Graduate Hospi-
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 MCLEOD, LELIA MAY, St. Luke's Hos-
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 MILLER, ELEANOR, Peter Bent Brigham
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 MOSHER, INA THELMA, Saratoga Hospi-
 tal
 MOORE, CLARA D., Utica Hospital
 NEILL, NAOMI, Post Graduate Hospital
 NECOMBE, ESTHER M., Roosevelt Hos-
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 STERN, BESSIE W., Presbyterian Hos-
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 SMITH, ALICE ELAINE, Corning Hospital
 SEESE, MRS. EDWARD R., Roosevelt Hos-
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History of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital



HE work now carried on by the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital, succeeding to all the activities and to all the traditions of the oldest nursery, the oldest child's hospital, and the oldest maternity hospital in the City of New York, which sent doctors to the homes of the poor at the time of childbirth, was begun in 1823. The present corporation was formed by the consolidation of the Nursery and Child's Hospital with the New York Infant Asylum, which had formerly consolidated with the old Marion Street Maternity Hospital. Each of these institutions was a pioneer in its particular line of endeavor.

The old Marion Street Maternity Hospital was organized in 1823 and incorporated in 1827 as "The New York Female Asylum for Lying-In Women" and was so called for the next seventy years. Its object was: "To furnish comfortable conditions and skillful attendance to respectable married women who require an asylum during the period of their confinement, and also to supply competent medical care to deserving married women at their homes under similar circumstances." It was the first institution of its kind to care for poor respectable women and was the pioneer in the city in sending physicians to such homes to attend at childbirth. In 1830 two lots were bought on Orange, now Marion Street, near Prince Street, for \$2,750, and a three-story building was built with a forty-five foot front and a depth of sixty feet. This was its headquarters for fifty-five years. In 1885 it moved to 139 Second Avenue, where it continued its quiet and unostentatious charity until 1899, when it consolidated with the New York Infant Asylum.

The ministrations of the Marion Street Hospital are now continued as a part of the work of this corporation.

The Nursery and Child's Hospital, with the name of "The Nursery for the Children of Poor Women," was founded in 1854 through the efforts of Mrs. Cornelius DuBois, who for more than thirty years thereafter continued as its First Directress. One day, when driving in the streets of New York City, she was startled by screams from an upper story of a tenement and looking up saw a child caught by a fallen sash hanging from a window. With the help of neighbors, she broke into the room and released the child. She found that it had been left alone while its parents were at work. Inquiries then made showed her the need existing in New York for the proper care of children.

In the Annual Report of the Hospital for 1879, Mrs. DuBois says: "Your attention is called to the condition of the poor children of New York before the nursery was founded. Dr. Elisha Harris gives the

following statement: 'In 1854 to 1859 about 1,000 infants were farmed out per year, ninety out of one hundred would not live to see their first birthday. In a single hut on the river side above Thirty-fourth Street, it was common to find four or five young infants lying on the floor, with a single nurse who gave them bottle food until they died. The Almshouse Governors paid so much a week until they all died. They would be marked dead on their books and that was the last of them. The expense in 1859 was over fifty thousand dollars for the support of the children in these houses that were worse than no houses at all.'

In one week after the Nursery was opened every bed was filled with the children of wet nurses.

The first quarters of the new charity were in St. Mark's Place, and shortly after it opened it became necessary to find additional room. With cholera in the city, and the heat intense, it became suddenly evident that the house "was overcrowded, that our numbers must be divided or our children must die. The next house was found to be vacant and not an hour could be lost. The key of our basement door fitted and women with pails and brushes were sent in to clean the house while the manager on duty drove to the office of the owner with a check for a quarter's rent in advance. He was glad to deliver up the keys of a house he did not expect to rent in July and he does not know to this day that while he was leasing the house it was already occupied."

In 1856 the Nursery acquired one of the wooden cottages which had been used by the New York Hospital while its stone wing was being constructed. When abandoned by the New York Hospital the cottage was moved to the Tonnele Estate at 14th Street and 6th Avenue, where the Nursery followed it. In 1857 the cornerstone of the building at Lexington Avenue and 51st Street was laid, but during the Civil War the building was used as a hospital for soldiers. From 1879 to 1910 the Nursery and Child's Hospital cared for a total of 38,179 inmates.

The question of funds was as acute in the early days as it is at present, and the Annual Reports show the many means adopted to raise money for the charity. In 1865 Mr. Bierstadt contributed the proceeds of the first exhibition of his magnificent picture "A Storm in the Rocky Mountains"; and the sum of \$455.75 was realized from the exhibition of Huntington's historical painting "Mrs. Washington's Reception Day," placed "at our disposal for a month by the voluntary kindness of its owner, Mr. A. T. Stewart." The greatest single item of revenue, however was obtained from the annual Charity Ball inaugurated in 1857, and through all these years maintained and made a great financial and social success by the ladies interested in this charity.

In 1870 the Nursery opened its Country Home on Staten Island, where for the following ten years the children in its charge, particularly the sickly ones, were sent in order to be in the open air. At the end of the ten years the main buildings of the Home caught fire and were burned.



SUNSHINE WARD
Here, under the healing influence of fresh air and sunlight, little white-faced, anemic patients blossom into rosy, healthy babies

Although the Nursery and Child's Hospital began its work as a nursery, it was soon found necessary to provide care for its sick children, and to a certain extent this had been done, almost from the beginning. It did not, however, legally broaden its scope until several years after its founding. The primary object, however, for which the New York Infant Asylum was founded in 1865 was to take charge of foundlings and infant children to the age of two years and to provide for their support and education. It also provided such lying-in wards and methods of care and guidance as should prevent maternal abandonment of homeless infants and diminish the moral dangers and personal sufferings to which homeless mothers were exposed.

The Infant Asylum had its origin in the efforts of the Rev. Mr. Richmond to reform a class of unfortunate young women whom he found in the Maternity Wards of Bellevue Hospital. He died before his plan could be carried through, but his widow in 1865 secured a charter, and a building for the Asylum was rented at 104th Street and West End Avenue. Mrs. Richmond struggled for two years with the problems confronting the Asylum. She then died, and the work was abandoned. In 1871 the Society was reorganized through the efforts of Miss Alice Sanford and her father, General Sanford.

The Charity Commissioners of the City of New York fixed the rate at which the City was to pay for destitute children at \$1.33 per week. "The Society accepted the situation, rented a building at 8th Street near Broadway and began operations," says Dr. Stephen Smith. "The result sustained the assertions of the most sanguine members of the Board, for the mortality scarcely exceeded nine per cent., against ninety-six per cent. on the Island. It is difficult to estimate the vast influence of that first year's experiment on the saving of child life in the City of New York. The Commissioners of Charity immediately took the alarm and built and equipped the Infant Asylum on Randall's Island, where the mortality was reduced to less than twenty per cent. The Nursery and Child's Hospital, under Mrs. DuBois, secured a change of the law placing that institution on the same basis as this asylum, and from that date the mortality of children in its care has been little more than twelve per cent. Following that Sister Irene obtained a charter for the Foundling Asylum based on the law of the Infant Asylum, and with the care of two thousand children in the most variable conditions as regards the prospect of living, has a mortality of less than twenty per cent. Still other institutions have been founded on the basis of this Asylum and are meeting with the same success in saving child life."

In 1872, the New York Infant Asylum bought the property where the present Hospital stands, at Amsterdam Avenue and 61st Street, for \$55,000—\$16,500 cash and the balance on mortgage—but the building was not occupied until April, 1873. The house at No. 24 Clinton Place was not abandoned, however, until 1878.

In 1899 the New York Infant Asylum consolidated with the old Marion Street Maternity Hospital and the cash realized from the sale of the Marion Street property, some \$75,000, together with \$18,000 donated for the purpose, was used to help build part of the present Hospital building.

In 1910 the New York Infant Asylum was consolidated with the Nursery and Child's Hospital under the name of New York Nursery and Child's Hospital. Under this consolidation the work of the two corporations has been continued and enlarged. The work of the present Hospital can be classified as follows:

- (1) A Lying-In Hospital;
- (2) A Hospital for sick children;
- (3) A Boarding-out Department, supplanting the nursery in the building. The foundling children are placed in suitable homes and their general welfare supervised by visitors from the Hospital;
- (4) An Outside Obstetrical Department, continuing the work begun by the Old Marion Street Maternity Hospital. Physicians connected with the staff are sent to the homes of those who apply for aid.

There are always from eighty to one hundred sick children in the wards of the Hospital. They are roomed in the three children's wards on the seventh floor, and sometimes another ward in the quarantine building is pressed into service. The shelter on the roof of the old building is also devoted to the children. The entire children's service is under the supervision of graduate nurses who are responsible for the care and treatment of the children, and for the training of student nurses from affiliated hospitals. These young student nurses are given a three months' course of training in the care of children, a diploma being conferred upon them at its satisfactory completion.

Besides the children's services, the Hospital maintains a maternity service. During the past year the public wards have cared for six hundred and sixty-four patients. The Department of Charities of the City pays for emergency cases and the Hospital maintains free beds for the care of worthy women. One hundred and ninety-nine women were treated in these beds during the past year.

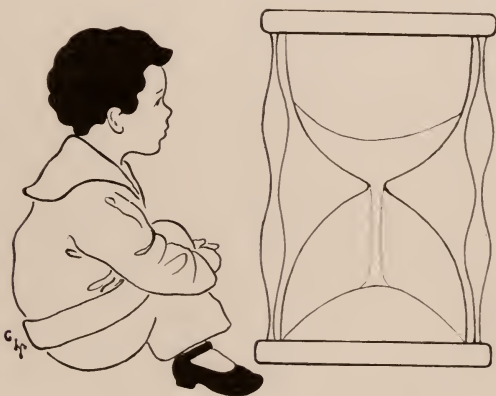
The third and fourth floors are for the use of private and semi-private patients. These rooms are in constant demand and during the past year this floor cared for eleven hundred and seven women. There are also two well-equipped nurseries on these floors for the use of the babies of the private patients. In addition to the private single rooms and the semi-private rooms, there is maintained two small private wards where women are cared for at a very moderate charge during confinement.

Another activity which has recently grown rapidly in importance is the Out-door Obstetrical Department. This work has generally supplanted the work of the Old Marion Street Maternity Hospital Wards. The Hospital now goes to the homes of these women almost entirely in-

stead of having them come to the Hospital. The woman who wishes to avail herself of this service registers at the Hospital, and at the time of her confinement she is attended by one of the three doctors attached to this department and by one of the nurses. During the past year five hundred and sixty-nine women were cared for in their homes and there were fourteen hundred and sixteen applications for delivery. The Clinic connected with this department had thirteen thousand two hundred and fifty-seven calls upon it.

For the care of the sick, graduate and student nurses are in attendance. A graduate nurse is in charge of each department of the Hospital and she is aided by student nurses. The latter come to us for three months from affiliated hospitals in which they are taking a general course in nursing.

The present capacity of the Hospital is two hundred and fourteen beds for children and one hundred and seven beds for women.





ONE OF THE WOMEN'S WARDS
Cheerful, sunny wards add to the comfort and happiness of our mothers

Development and Expansion

CURRENT HISTORY

In the year of a modern hospital, caring for hundreds and thousands of people, there are at least 730 working days of twelve hours each—that is: the institution never rests; its responsibilities are grave, its duties exacting, every minute counts. Hence, the history of twelve months of any hospital effort is replete with great detail and much routine not likely to be of special interest to even the best friends of such a place and such a work.

The year which ended September 30, 1919, was a year of reconstruction, a period of development and expansion; the Hospital, like every similar institution, was emerging from the shadow of the Great War. There are a score or more of bright points in the year's record, points that stand up as milestones of progress.

In the first place, it is of vital importance that during the year the Hospital cared for 9,628 human beings—4,653 children and 4,975 women, a very large number of patients. The Hospital thus justifies its claim for consideration as an active social service center.

The Boarding-Out Department cared for 961 different children with foster mothers and 910 different children in hospital wards. 10,810 visits to children were made in the line of supervision.

To shelter, nurse, feed and supply these hundreds of patients a large and hard-working staff of physicians, nurses and social workers is needed, and the year's record in this respect is very good, as may be judged from the large number of diplomas awarded to graduate pupil nurses.

In respect to the physical expansion it may be recorded that an important advance was made by the purchase of the building at 159 West 61st Street, directly adjoining the Hospital on the east, for a new Nurses' Home. This building was completely renovated, and connected by a passageway with the main property. In this way, the nursing staff has been more comfortably housed and has acquired greater opportunities for recreation and rest.

The Social Service Department staff has been increased, under the direction of Mrs. Robert L. Gerry and the ladies of the House Committee, by three obstetrical workers and one pediatric worker. This is an important gain for the institution and will undoubtedly increase the opportunities and value of the Department.

In addition to the arrangement for teaching obstetrics in co-operation with the College of Physicians and Surgeons and with the Bellevue and University Medical School, a similar arrangement has been made in pediatrics with the Cornell Medical School. The Hospital has equipped and furnished a laboratory for research and routine work, where the staff members may carry forward necessary investigations of vital usefulness and merit.

The greatest achievement of the year was, probably, the opening of the Du Bois Ward, given by Mrs. Helen R. Du Bois and Miss Ethel Du Bois, in memory of Dr. Matthew B. Du Bois, now in full operation.

In addition, two floors, the fifth and sixth, of private rooms have been opened, increasing the Hospital's capacity and earning power considerably.

A sitting room for attending physicians has also been opened on the sixth floor.

The Charity Ball was a great success, largely due to the tireless effort of Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee and the officers of the committee.

Finally, every inch of space is utilized. The laundry, the linen room, the Social Service Department, the Boarding Out Department, the Pediatric Clinic, all need more room urgently. Only a new building connecting the Hospital and the Nurses' Home can meet the need.





ONE OF THE PRIVATE NURSERIES
Scientifically equipped for efficient care of little new-born babies

Report of the President

To the Members of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital:

Success is stimulating,—under its influence we ardently desire to do more, and better.

Therein lies a danger, of which we must keep ourselves aware, constantly, lest "Zeal become the blind conductor of the Will." We must maintain a provident care.

In the past few years this Hospital has become established and organized as an Institution. It instructs by precept and example,—affecting a large community.

For the care of those who, by choice, come to our private rooms, or by untoward vicissitudes of life enter our wards; and others looked after by our Boarding-out Department, or, in their homes, for obstetrical care, we maintain a Staff of nine resident physicians.

To accommodate our many patients, and maintain a high character of Administration, we have purchased in the year just past one additional house, as related in the report of the Chairman of the Executive Committee, and a second adjoining house since the beginning of the current year. These purchases, involving large, necessary expenditures in alterations,—together with the present, post-war expense of living, clothing and other charges, gravely affect our finances. Side by side with this, we have been fortunate in recent bequests and gifts, which are gratifying as evidence of appreciation of our work.

We earnestly hope that the gift side of the past year may not prove to have been sporadic, as our expense for the necessary, actual care of our ward patients and those of the Boarding-out Department exceeds the payment by the City, leaving out all consideration of "overhead charges."

Our various Committees have zealously discharged their obligations,—notably the House Committee,—which, in administration of Social Service work, has made great advances, its members having been generous with time and money.

The Charity Ball Committee, largely new in personnel, receives our thanks for a highly efficient and disinterested service.

Our Medical Staff continues its enlightened work, which includes a developed system of instruction of recent Medical Graduates, and of students in medicine.

To our Superintendent, Mrs. Rye Morley Kinsey, we owe much for active and intelligent appreciation and superintendance of Hospital requirements, to which is attached the training in obstetric and pediatric nursing, of pupils sent to us from affiliated Hospitals.—St. Lukes, the

Presbyterian, Roosevelt, and others. There are about fifty of these "pupil nurses" with us constantly, for periods varying from three to eight months.

We believe we are abreast with the times,—and "advanced" in our methods. We do not resort to "science tests" in the young children who are in our care, for we are too busy,—though we have a wide field of material for the Psychologist and Psychiatrist. In evidence that we are "advanced," I would add that six months earlier than the subject of the taking of the "foot prints" of infants was exploited we had resorted to this, as our rule,—thus supplying to babies and parents the means of identification which, on occasion, may be very necessary in the course of human events,—thus our little inmates leave "foot-prints in the sands of time" on arriving,—as our Hospital hopes to do in its "departing." in the final accounting.

Sixty-six years ago the "Nursery and Child's Hospital" was founded. The word "Nursery" was then appropriate, as a primary purpose was the care of the children of "wet nurses," of whom, as statistics showed, between 1854 and 1859, about ninety per cent never lived to see their "first birthday." The "wet nurse" is now obsolete. We need a modification of our name.

EDWARD L. PARTRIDGE.



Report of the Executive Committee

To the President and Board of Directors:

The year ending September 30, 1919, has shown the institution emerging from the difficulties of the war period,—a large hospital doing a great work.

Although some two years ago the affairs of the Hospital were at a very low ebb, your decision at that time to continue in full the Hospital work has been justified. Without decreasing the free facilities of the service, the Pay Patient Service has been increased by the purchase of adjoining property and transferring from the Hospital buildings to the space thus made available, the living quarters of many of the workers. By this means the yearly deficit has been reduced, but far from eliminated.

We have probably proceeded as far as we can, along the lines of reducing our deficit by increasing our income through Pay Patients and our only source left is the generosity of our friends.

Physical Operation.—The physical operation of the Hospital has been excellently carried on, despite the difficulties incidental to the many physical changes that have been under way. Mrs. Kinsey, the Superintendent, and Miss Simpson, the Acting Superintendent during the absence of Mrs. Kinsey, have carried their work through in the face of the general changing of wards and quarters. Mr. Ellberg, in addition to his duties as Chief Engineer, has had charge of the alterations in the Hospital buildings, and he has accomplished much, in the face of the difficult labor conditions prevailing. It has not been possible to add to the facilities of the Laundry, but the additional work has been successfully handled through Mrs. Mahoney.

New Nurses Home.—The property at 159 West 61st Street, directly adjoining the Hospital on the east, has been purchased, the building renovated and connected by a passageway with the Hospital proper and is now in use as a Nurses Home. The dining rooms for the nurses have been transferred to the main floor of their new Home.

St. Christopher's League has not only continued its donation of one thousand dollars for the maintenance of the Children's Ward, but many of its members have given help to the Hospital in many ways.

Boarding-out Department.—The Boarding-out Department has labored under the difficulties of the high cost of clothing and boarding, but Miss Hooper has managed to bring the children satisfactorily through the year.

The Social Service Department has amplified its work under the direction of Mrs. Gerry and the ladies of the House Committee. There are now three obstetrical workers and one pediatric. The funds are

supplied in part by the Hospital, in part by contributions from the ladies of the House Committee, and in part by the co-operation of Cornell Medical School.

Laboratory.—The Hospital entered into affiliation with the Cornell Medical School for research work and a general development along these lines. The Hospital set aside and equipped the lower floor of one of its buildings to provide facilities for the work and the results are already satisfactory.

A study of the Treasurer's report will show that the Hospital has done much to help itself financially through what has probably been the most troublesome period for such institutions in the history of the City, but it is not probable that the institution can do much more and its deficit must be taken care of by its friends.

RECORD 1919

Different children treated	4,653
Total treatments, children	8,282
Different women treated	4,975
Total treatments, women	13,257
Women delivered in hospital	1,370
Women delivered outside of hospital	569
Nurses' and doctors' visits to tenements.....	5,934
Part pay patients	320
Private patients	1,103
Social Service visits	4,363
Social Service cases	2,982

BOARDING-OUT DEPARTMENT

Total different children with foster mothers	961
Number of visits to children	10,810
Different children in hospital wards	910

DANIEL C. ADAMS, *Chairman.*





PRIVATE ROOM
Restful, home-like rooms are provided for private patients

Report of the Finance and Auditing Committee

To the President and Board of Directors:

During the fiscal year ended September 30th, 1919, the Finance and Auditing Committee authorized the sale of \$13,000, face value, New York Central & Hudson River, Mortgage 3½%, due 1997, and of \$1,000, face value, Chicago, Milwaukee & Saint Paul, General Mortgage 4½%, due 1989, to provide funds to meet running expenses of the Hospital. The purchase for the Permanent Endowment Fund of \$1,000, face value, New York Central & Hudson River, Mortgage 3½%, and of \$50, face value, U. S. Government Liberty Loan 3d 4¼%, due 1928, was also approved. This fund received by gift \$100, face value, Liberty Loan 4th 4¼%, due 1938.

Pursuant to the By-Laws, an examination of the Hospital's Securities, including Stocks, Bonds and Mortgages, was made by two members of the Committee. The list of our holdings will be found with the Treasurer's report.

The Treasurer's accounts have been regularly audited each month by Messrs. John I. Cole, Son & Company.

EDWARD H. PEASLEE, *Chairman.*



Report of the Treasurer

To the President and Board of Directors:

The chronicle of financial events of our Hospital fiscal year ended September 30th, 1919, is unusually interesting and noteworthy. It deserves careful study by all members of the Board, and while this can best be accomplished, perhaps, through the accompanying tables prepared in the usual form, it may not be amiss to direct attention here to some of the features that seem to have a particular significance.

During the year we received in full settlement of our legacy under the will of Mrs. Margaret E. Zimmerman, \$191,500. Mr. and Mrs. John T. Pratt contributed \$7,500, for an Endowed Bed, and the Matthew B. DuBois Ward Trust Fund was established by a gift of \$10,000, of which, \$3,311.59 having been spent to fit up the Ward, there remains \$6,688.41 to provide an income to maintain it. Payments on account of principal have been received on the following mortgages: F. W. Meyer Mortgage, \$500. David Pollack Mortgage, \$1,000. Robert Tag Mortgage, \$500.

To provide funds for current expenses we sold during the year \$13,000, face value, New York Central & Hudson River Mortgage 3½%, due 1997, and \$1,000, face value, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul General 4½%, due 1989. We bought for the Matthew B. DuBois Ward Trust Fund \$5,000, face value, Pennsylvania R. R. General 5%, due 1968, and \$2,000, face value, U. S. Government Liberty Loan 3d 4¼%, 1928, and for the Permanent Endowment Fund \$1,000, face value, New York Central and Hudson River Mortgage 3½% and \$50 Liberty Loan 3d 4¼%. \$100 Liberty Loan 4th 4¼%, due 1938, was donated to this fund by Miss F. L. Bell.

The property No. 159 West 61st Street was purchased at a cost of \$40,000. The actual deficit on the year's operations is \$45,060.49, which has been charged to Capital Account. However, since this item includes \$2,970.87 charged off to cover depreciation in the market value of securities owned and \$220 profit realized on securities sold during the year, our operating deficit may be said to be \$42,309.62.

Other reports will, no doubt, put before you, convincingly, the signal progress that the Hospital has made in its endeavor to perform adequately its function in the community, but it is especially fitting here, perhaps, to urge upon every member of our Board, after a year in which, financially, we have much reason to be encouraged, a thoughtful consideration of the

problem of our deficit and to bespeak their effective co-operation in an effort to increase our income, so that it may be sufficient to cover our expenses from year to year.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES BOUCHER, *Treasurer.*



Table I.

New York Nursery and Child's Hospital Receipts and Disbursements of Cash

From Cash Book from October 1, 1918, to September 30th, 1919

CASH

Cash on hand and in banks, October 1, 1918..... \$7,791.16

RECEIPTS

Pay Patient Receipts	\$122,913.61
Boarding Children	3,671.01
Miscellaneous Revenue and Board for Special Nurses.....	12,234.15
Medical Salaries for special nursing	33,374.00
Pharmacy Receipts	3,866.00
Interest and Dividends	15,562.28
Donations	16,023.86
Permanent Endowment Fund (Interest on bank balance)..	1.07
House Expenses (Refunds)	388.71
Student's Fees	1,356.50
Associate Members' Dues	570.00
City of New York	129,975.64
Westchester County	1,348.20
Suffolk County	518.62
Nassau County	1,037.32
Sullivan County	51.80
Annual Dues	350.00
Robert Tag Mortgage, on account of principal.....	500.00
Outdoor Department (Refunds)	2.55
Endowed Beds	7,500.00
Charity Ball	10,602.31
Frederick W. Meyer Mortgage, on account of principal	500.00
David Pollack Mortgages, on account of principal	1,000.00
General Expenses (Refunds)	102.85
Rent	200.80
Boarding-out Department (Refunds)	40.50
Social Service Fund	1,537.71
United States Certificates of Indebtedness, Due September 15, 1919	25,000.00
Sold, \$1,000.00, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Gen'l, 4½s	833.75
Sold, \$13,000.00, New York Central 1st Ref. 3½s.....	9,246.25
Matthew B. DuBois Ward, Trust Fund Account.....	10,000.00
Matthew B. DuBois Ward, Earning Account	83.49
Estate of Margaret E. Zimmerman	191,500.00
United Hospital Fund	4,194.49
	\$606,087.47
	\$613,878.63

DISBURSEMENTS

Accounts Payable	\$370,375.88	
Refunds to Private Patients	2,351.97	
Medical Salaries for Special Nurses	33,357.39	
Bought, \$1,000.00 New York Central 3½s, @ 70¼ (for Permanent Endowment Fund)	703.75	
Bought property, No. 159 West 61st Street	40,000.00	
Bought, \$50.00 3rd Liberty Loan Bond 4¼ (for Perma- nent Endowment Fund)	47.62	
Rose Levere Mortgage (Check returned)	554.95	
Frederick W. Meyer Mortgage (Check returned).....	525.00	
Bought, \$2,000.00, 3rd Liberty Loan Bonds 4¼ (Matthew B. Du Bois Ward Investment)	1,903.25	
Bought, \$5,000.00, Pennsylvania 5s (Matthew B. DuBois Ward Investment)	4,737.50	
Matthew B. DuBois Ward, Earning Account (Accrued Interest)	52.38	
Interest Payable	177.92	
Bought, \$60,000.00, U. S. Certificates of Indebtedness.....	60,000.00	
The Hermitage Company	23.81	
Interest Account	22.25	
		\$514,833.67

CASH

Cash on hand, Sept. 30, 1919, as follows:—		
Central Union Trust Company	\$ 97,236.23	
Central Union Trust Company Special Acc't	78.77	
Central Union Trust Company Per. End. Fund	437.54	
Corn Exchange Bank	1,292.42	
		\$ 99,044.96
		\$613,878.63



Table II.

BALANCE SHEET, OCTOBER 1st, 1918

ASSETS	LIABILITIES
Land and Buildings	Permanent Liabilities
Bonds and Mortgages	Capital, October 1, 1917.....
Stocks and Bonds	Operating Loss
Securities, consisting of Per-	Interest on bank bal-
manent Endowment Fund,	ance, Permanent
including \$187.84 cash	Endowment Fund
	4.92
CURRENT ASSETS	50,163.91
Due by City of New York..\$	\$532,477.68
Due by Rye Morley, Supt. ...	
Due by Nassau County	Estate of Frederick Law-
Due by Westchester County..	rence Upjohn
Due by Suffolk County	Estate of Augustus C. Brown
Linsly Trust Fund	Estate of Margaret E. Zim-
Estate of Augustus C. Brown	merman
Estate of Augusta C. Chapin	Capital, October 1, 1918.....
Estate of Josephine L. Pey-	Endowed Beds
ton	Permanent Endowment Fund
Estate of Benjamin Aymar	
Sands	Current Liabilities
Estate of Frederick Lawrence	Accounts Payable
Upjohn	Advance Payments by Pay
Estate of Margaret E. Zim-	Patients
merman	
Medical Salaries	
Cash	
\$653,387.80	\$653,387.80

BALANCE SHEET, OCTOBER 1st, 1919

ASSETS	LIABILITIES
Land and Buildings	Permanent Liabilities
Bonds and Mortgages	Capital, October 1, 1918.....
Stocks and Bonds	Operating Loss
Securities consisting of Per-	
manent Endowment Fund,	
including \$437.54 of cash..	
	\$487,494.99
CURRENT ASSETS	Estate of Mrs. William M.
Due by City of New York..\$	Kingsland
Due by Rye Morley, Supt. ...	Estate of Margaret E. Zim-
Due by Westchester County..	merman
Due by Nassau County	191,499.00
Due by Suffolk County.....	Capital, October 1, 1919.....
Due by Sullivan County.....	Endowed Beds
Estate of Augusta C. Chapin	Permanent Endowment Fund
Estate of Augustus C. Brown	Matthew B. DuBois Ward
Estate of Josephine L. Peyton	Trust Fund
Estate of Benjamin Aymar	Matthew B. DuBois Ward
Sands	Earning Account
Estate of Frederick Lawrence	
Upjohn	Current Liabilities
Estate of Mrs. William M.	Accounts Payable
Kingsland	Advance Payments by Pay
Linsly Trust Fund	Patients
Medical Salaries	Refunds to Private Patients
Cash	
\$814,626.93	\$814,626.93

Table III

Detail of Current Expenses

Items Adjusted to the Fiscal Year, October 1st, 1918, to September 30th, 1919
OPERATING EXPENSES

Foodstuffs	\$59,249.49
Clothing, Boots and Shoes	1,109.53
Linen and Bedding	1,868.06
Fuel	12,899.56
Light	2,284.80
Telephone	1,742.00
Magazines	20.00
Household Goods and Utensils	2,433.99
Engineer's Supplies	1,677.68
House and Machinery Repairs	24,750.14
Stationery and Printing	2,243.34
Salaries and Wages	55,362.49
Superintendent's Petty Cash	884.99
Miscellaneous Household Expenses	4,195.24
Hospital Bureau	480.00
Postage and Telegrams	346.62
Social Service Fund	3,767.45
Pharmacy Account	3,248.65
Furniture and Fixtures	9,004.39
Apartment Rent	1,200.00
Matthew B. DuBois Ward	3,311.59
Operating Room—6th Floor	2,045.24
Operating Room—7th Floor	507.83
159 West 61st Street—Reconstruction and Equipment.....	14,245.22
Equipment 5th and 6th Floors—New Rooms	1,613.23
Reconstruction 7th Floor Nursery	517.00
Reconstruction Quarantine Building.....	1,988.40
MEDICAL	
Drugs and Medical Supplies.....	10,566.58
Wines, Liquors and Prepared Food.....	77.30
Surgical Instruments and Supplies.....	405.37
Salaries	25,103.06
GENERAL EXPENSES	
Treasurer's Office Salaries	5,684.62
Audit	300.00
Publicity	2,390.53
General Miscellaneous	3,400.58
OUT-DOOR DEPARTMENT	
Medical Salaries	5,126.17
Postage and Stationery	7.00
Nurses' Carfares, Etc.	399.98
BOARDING-OUT DEPARTMENT	
Boarding-Out Payroll	73,292.18
Supervisor, Nurses and Clerical Salaries.....	8,402.65
Foster Mothers' Miscellaneous Expenses	1,195.95
Doctors' Bills	86.00
Clothing, Boots and Shoes.....	16,781.89
Postage and Telegrams	150.13
Stationery and Printing	49.40
Miscellaneous Expenses	207.50
Visiting Nurses' Carfares	693.23
	\$367,317.05

Table IV. Securities

	Book Value Oct. 1, 1918		Book Value Oct. 1, 1919	Inventory Loss
\$16,000 Mobile & Ohio R. R. Gen'l 4s	(55) \$8,800.00	(55)	\$8,800.00	.....
\$ 1,000 Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul Gen'l 4½s....	(76) 760.00	(75½)	755.00	5.00
\$25,000 Baltimore & Ohio, Conv. 4½s	(76½) 19,125.00	(70)	17,500.00	1,625.00
\$15,000 Southern Ry., Mobile & Ohio 4s.....	(59) 8,850.00	(59)	8,850.00	.....
\$ 2,000 N. Y. Central 3½s ...	(70) 1,400.00	(70)	1,400.00	.....
75 shares, Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul R. R. Co. (Pfd. Stock) .	(78) 5,850.00	(63¾)	4,753.13	\$1,096.87
12 shares, Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul R. R. Co. (Com. Stock) .	(48¼) 579.00	(42½)	510.00	69.00
5 shares, Union Pacific R. R. Co. (Pfd. Stock)	(69½) 347.50	(69½)	347.50	.....
5 shares, National Bank of Commerce	(164) 820.00	(164)	820.00	.....

BONDS AND MORTGAGES

Mt. Vernon Mortgage 5½%	\$80,000.00
F. W. Meyer Mortgage 5%	21,000.00
Rose Levere Mortgage 5%	10,528.30
John Connors Mortgage 5%	14,000.00
Robert Tag Mortgage 4½%	23,250.00
Edwin V. Hellawell Mortgage 5%	22,000.00
	\$170,778.30

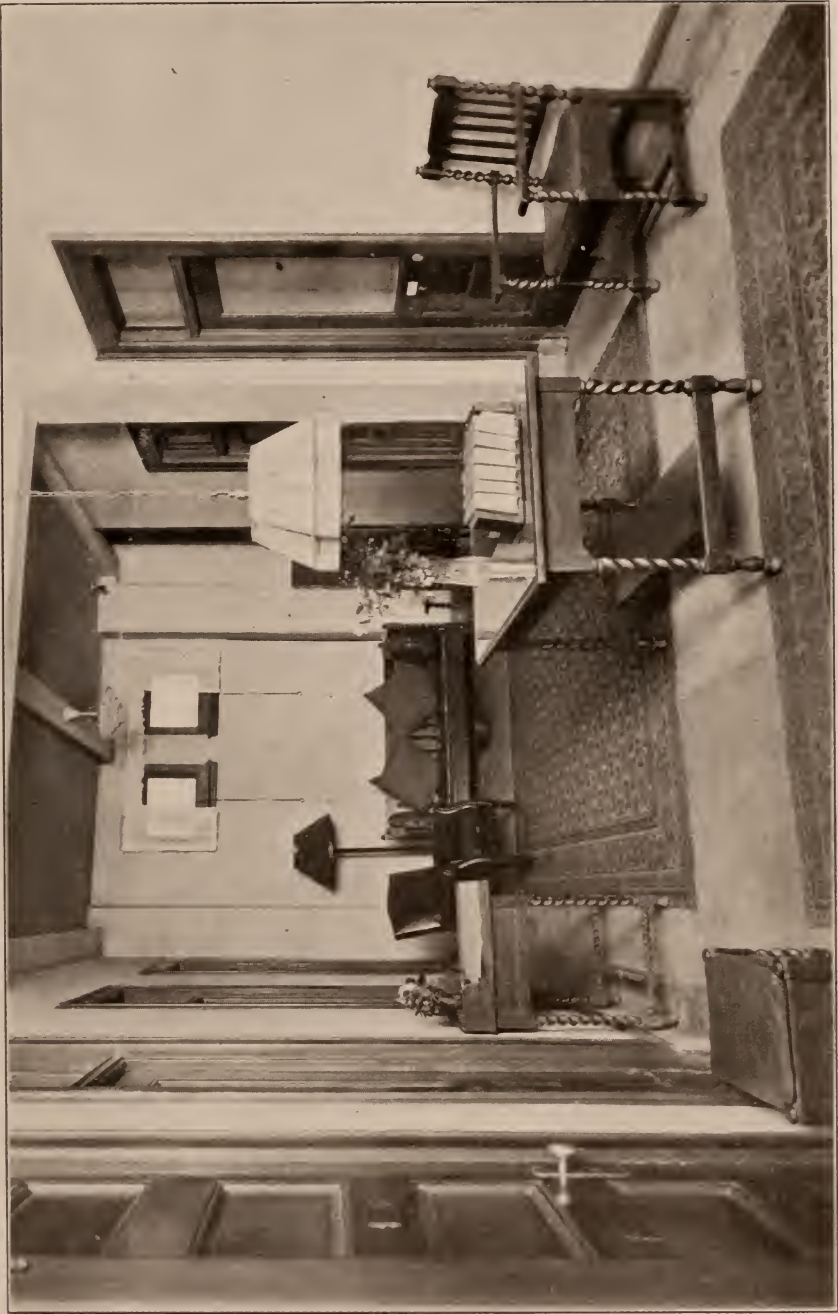
REAL ESTATE

61st Street Land and Buildings	\$165,067.63
Staten Island Place	40,900.50
New Building (45 Amsterdam Avenue)	127,936.65
159 West 61st Street	40,000.00
	\$373,904.78

PERMANENT ENDOWMENT FUND

David Pollack Mortgage	\$14,333.35
David Pollack Mortgage	15,333.33
David Pollack Mortgage	15,333.33
3d Liberty Loan Bond 4¼s.....	47.62
4th Liberty Loan Bond, 4½s	94.28
New York Central Ref. 3½s	2,100.00
Central Union Trust Company, on Deposit.....	437.54

\$47,679.45



RECEPTION ROOM ON PRIVATE FLOOR

Table V.

The Century Fund

The Century Fund was organized by Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee in 1917, its object being to procure subscriptions of \$100 toward the maintenance of the Hospital. Subscribers to the Fund are considered to be Associate Members.

The following were members of this Fund during the present fiscal year:

Mr. Stephen Baker	\$100	Mr. Dunlevy Milbank	100
Mrs. Edward J. Berwind	100	Mr. Jeremiah Milbank	100
Mr. Edward J. Berwind	100	Dr. Edward L. Partridge.....	100
Mrs. John M. Bowers	100	Mr. Lisenard Stewart	100
Mrs. Charles D. Dickey	100	Mr. William Rhinelander Stewart..	100
Mrs. Charles D. Dickey (in memory of Mr. Charles D. Dickey).....	100	Mrs. James B. Varnum	100
Mrs. James Watson Gerard.....	100	Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee.....	100
Mrs. C. Oliver Iselin	100	A Friend (through Mrs. Witherbee)	100
Mrs. Helen Hartley Jenkins.....	100	Mr. Henry Clews	50
Miss Eleanor LeRoy.....	100		\$1,850

Donations of Money Received by Treasurer

October 1, 1918, to September 30, 1919.

Miss Charlotte L. Andrews....	\$ 50.00	Miss E. B. Baker	3.00
Mr. Edward S. Avery.....	25.00	Miss Harriet C. Boettner	2.00
Mr. Daniel C. Adams	100.00	Mrs. William H. Birchall.....	5.00
A Friend	10.00	Miss Katherine H. Birchall....	5.00
Mrs. John F. Archbold	25.00	Mrs. Robert C. Beal	5.00
Anonymous	50.00	Mrs. J. T. Bailey (For Thanks- giving)	2.00
A Lieutenant, U. S. N.	15.00	George Borgfeldt & Company..	25.00
Mrs. Sydney G. Ashmore	10.00	Mrs. W. M. Bowes	10.00
Mr. Daniel C. Adams: (To equip a room in memory of Mrs. Angie King Hicks).....	150.00	Miss E. M. Breslin	3.00
Mr. Franklin P. Adams (Through Mr. John W. Ed- monds)	10.00	Mrs. W. M. Bowes	10.00
		Mrs. A. Bernstein	5.00
		Mr. Stephen Baker	50.00
		Mrs. James S. Bailey	2.00
Miss Bertha G. Brooks.....	25.00	Mrs. William N. Cromwell....	100.00
Mr. Robert Barbour	25.00	Mrs. S. F. Cannon	5.00
Mrs. A. Bernstein	5.00	Mrs. Caleb Coffin	5.00
Mr. Arthur Bruckman	10.00	Mrs. Hyman Cohen	5.00
Mrs. Maxwell Barnes	5.00	Mr. Henry A. Clark	25.00
Mrs. Robert Pendleton Bowler..	25.00	Mr. O. B. Capen	10.00
Mrs. Eugene L. Bundy	1.00	Dr. Henry Clay Cowles	5.00
Mrs. N. A. Berwin	5.00	Mrs. Grace F. Cowles	5.00
Miss Harriet T. Bryce	25.00	Mr. John J. Connelly	1.00
Brand & Oppenheimer	20.00	Mrs. Simeon Brooks Chapin....	25.00
Mrs. Rex E. Beach	10.00	Mrs. J. W. Chalmers	1.00

Mrs. Andrew Carnegie	100.00	Mrs. R. L. Huntzinger	15.00
Mr. Henry A. Clark	10.00	Mrs. Clarence M. Hyde	25.00
Mrs. F. G. Dow	25.00	Mr. Meyer Hecht	10.00
Rev. D. Stuart Dodge	25.00	Mrs. Edward S. Harkness	100.00
Mrs. M. E. Duff	5.00	Mrs. Julius Heiden	10.00
Miss Anna G. DeForest.....	10.00	Mrs. E. DePeyster Hosmer...	5.00
Mrs. F. S. Donaldson	5.00	Mrs. Harold Farquhar Hadden ..	5.00
Miss Amy Crawford Doherty..	5.00	Mrs. A. M. Imlander	1.00
Mrs. Henry P. Davison.....	50.00	Mr. F. Coit Johnson	50.00
Mrs. Francis F. Danforth	5.00	Mrs. Alfred Jaretzki	25.00
Mrs. James B. Doudge	5.00	Mr. H. D. Kingsbury	50.00
Mrs. Frederick A. Dwight	5.00	Mrs. H. D. Kingsbury	50.00
Mrs. F. G. Dow.....	20.00	Mrs. William M. Kingsland	100.00
Mrs. George G. DeWitt	10.00	Mrs. George G. Knight	5.00
Mrs. Lizzie Eder	2.00	Mrs. Otto L. Koscherak	25.00
Mrs. J. H. Emerson	3.00	Mrs. R. F. Kilpatrick	2.00
Miss Elsie Earle	2.00	Mrs. Otto L. Koscherak	15.00
Mrs. Lydia F. Emmet	10.00	Mrs. John B. Kerr	25.00
Mrs. G. A. Fuller	2.00	Mr. M. H. Lambert	1.00
Mrs. W. Frank	5.00	Mrs. William Leask	2.00
Mrs. Thomas Powell Fowler ...	25.00	Mrs. Leon Lauterstein	5.00
Mrs. M. Frank	5.00	Mrs. J. M. Lichtenauer	1.00
Miss Mary J. Fields	5.00	Mr. & Mrs. Walter Graham Ladd ..	200.00
Mrs. Aline S. Frank	5.00	Mrs. E. A. Latta	4.66
Mr. Eugene G. Foster	5.00	Mrs. W. P. Mitchell	1.00
Mrs. Harris Fahnestock	25.00	Miss Julia G. Morosini	5.00
Mrs. Harry Harkness Flagler...	25.00	Mrs. Otto W. Meyer	10.00
Mrs. H. G. Gow.....	10.00	Miss Anna C. Maxwell	5.00
Dr. & Mrs. G. M. Goodwin....	10.00	Mrs. H. J. C. Miller	5.00
Mrs. R. Guiterman	5.00	Mrs. P. R. Moses	5.00
Mr. Edwin Goodman	5.00	Mr. Stephen C. Millett	100.00
Mr. August Gebhard	10.00	Mrs. J. B. Mott	10.00
Mrs. J. W. Gates	100.00	Miss Cornelia E. Marshall	1.00
Mrs. N. Gidding	2.00	Miss Maud March	2.00
Mr. Robert L. Gerry,		Mrs. Emma C. Millett	20.00
Resident Physician	1,500.00	Mrs. H. A. Mather	5.00
Social Service Worker	1,625.00	Mr. Dunlevy Milbank (Ice	
Mrs. W. R. Grace	5.00	Cream for Thanksgiving)....	5.00
Mrs. James J. Goodwin	25.00	Mr. Jeremiah Milbank (Ice	
Mr. Morrill Goddard	25.00	Cream for Thanksgiving)....	5.00
Mrs. Shelly Hull	5.00	Mr. F. H. Maynard	2.00
Mrs. W. T. Hildrup	25.00	Monroe Eckstein Brewing Co...	50.00
Mrs. Julius Heiden	10.00	Mrs. Irma W. Meyer	10.00
Mrs. Eleanor Hurlimann	10.00	Mrs. George G. MacCracken....	20.00
Mrs. William Pierson Hamilton.	50.00	Mr. G. H. Mann	1.00
Mrs. Henry Hazelton	2.00	Miss Gertrude Josephine Nem-	
Mr. Barney Hess	10.00	bach	3.00
Mrs. Reuben W. Howes	10.00	Mrs. Robert Nicol	10.00
Mrs. James Russell Harris	10.00	Mrs. W. W. Nichols	5.00
Mr. Richard A. Hudnut	10.00	Mrs. Emerson Opdycke	5.00
Mrs. Sarah Proctor Howe	5.00	Mrs. E. B. Osborne	10.00
Mrs. James Ben Ali Haggin....	100.00		

Mr. David O'Brien	10.00	Mrs. May Riley Smith	2.00
Mrs. William Church Osborne ..	25.00	Mrs. Max Schwarz	2.00
Rev. A. Duane Pell	10.00	Mrs. Taber Sears	5.00
Mr. H. K. Pomroy	25.00	Mr. Louis R. Solomon	5.00
Mrs. William D. Patten	10.00	Miss Helen T. Smith	10.00
Dr. Bertram Pittis	20.00	Mr. Seth Sprague	10.00
Mrs. Frank Presbrey	5.00	Mr. D. W. Seeman	10.00
Mrs. Charles Phelps	10.00	Mrs. Homer E. Sawyer	3.00
Mr. & Mrs. Gustav Pagenstecher	100.00	Mr. Pierre J. Smith	10.00
Master John Richard Pappen-		Mrs. Herbert F. Schwarz	5.00
heimer	10.00	Mrs. Algernon Sydney Sullivan	
Mrs. Mary F. Park	5.00	(Sale of trees on S. I. Prop-	
Mrs. E. C. Perry	10.00	erty)	100.00
Mr. E. S. Pegram	10.00	St. Christopher League	1,000.00
Pinneo School for Boys.....	2.50	St. Christopher League	25.00
Mrs. Phillips	1.00	Mr. Irwin Strasburger	10.00
Pinneo School for Boys	2.50	St. Christopher League	50.00
Mrs. Ogden Reid	100.00	Mrs. R. Penn Smith (Through	
Mrs. Julia M. Richardson	5.00	Dr. H. McM. Painter)	2,500.00
Dr. R. F. Rabe	5.00	Mrs. Algernon Sydney Sullivan	
Mrs. H. N. Reynolds	50.00	(Sale of Harvest, S. I. Prop-	
Mr. H. J. Rosenbaum	5.00	erty)	35.00
Mrs. William Jordan Rogers....	10.00	Mrs. Anson Stokes	50.00
Mrs. Oliver C. Reynolds	2.00	Mrs. Edward P. Tyson	5.00
Mrs. Carrie A. Remick	5.00	Mrs. Henry M. Tilford	10.00
Mrs. A. J. Rothschild	5.00	Dr. Allen M. Thomas	25.00
Mrs. J. W. Riley	10.00	The Brez Foundation (Mr. Jules	
Mrs. Lyman Rhoades, Jr.	5.00	Raune, Treasurer)	1,000.00
Mr. E. M. Rowe	2.00	The Hermitage Co.	100.00
Support of Jewish Philanthropic		Mrs. Ernest Gunther Vietor....	10.00
Societies, through Mr. Morton		Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee (Paint-	
H. Mainhard	10.00	ing all rooms and east end of	
Mrs. H. H. Seabrook	15.00	roof)	440.00
Mr. George H. Sullivan	100.00	Mr. J. Henry Whitehouse	100.00
Dr. G. Schlegel	5.00	Mrs. Eleanor C. A. Winslow ..	10.00
Mrs. Tillie Sperber	5.00	Mrs. A. P. Wood	5.00
Mrs. Malcolm Stuart	5.00	Mr. Artemas Ward	100.00
Mrs. Emily S. Sullivan	5.00	Total Donations	\$14,101.66



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Christmas Donations, 1919

Anonymous	\$5.00	Miss Evelyn M. Breslin.....	3.00
Mr. John Frederick Alexander.	2.00	Mrs. Robert C. Beal.....	5.00
Anonymous	1.00	Mr. Charles L. Buchanan.....	15.00
Mr. G. W. Adams	10.00	Mrs. Edward J. Berwind.....	50.00
Mrs. W. P. Anderton	10.00	Miss Katharine H. Birchall....	10.00
Anonymous	107.00	Miss Anna H. Burghard (In memory of Mrs. E. A. C. Winslow)	5.00
Anonymous	2.00	Mrs. William Reynolds Brown.	10.00
Mrs. Henry C. Adams	5.00	Mr. T. H. Boyd.....	5.00
Miss Charlotte Andrews	25.00	Mrs. Fordyce Barker	5.00
Mrs. James Herman Aldrich...	10.00	Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Chalmers..	1.00
A Friend	5.00	Mr. Theodore H. Cohn.....	5.00
Anonymous	5.00	Mrs. John M. Carrere.....	5.00
A Lieutenant U. S. Navy.....	25.00	Mr. Abraham Cohen	2.00
Anonymous	1.00	Mr. C. H. Cottier	1.00
Anonymous	1.00	Mrs. William Nelson Cromwell.	10.00
Mrs. John B. Adams	25.00	Mrs. W. G. Chard.....	10.00
Mr. Edward F. Bigelow	25.00	Mrs. George V. Coe.....	10.00
Mrs. J. L. Browning	5.00	Miss Grace Cowles	1.00
Mrs. W. W. Battie	5.00	Mrs. S. T. Cannon.....	5.00
Mr. Donald I. Bloomingdale...	10.00	Dr. and Mrs. Henry C. Cowles.	10.00
Dr. George L. Broadhead.....	10.00	Mrs. Warren Delano.....	10.00
Mr. G. T. Bonner.....	10.00	Miss K. Dyer.....	1.00
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Mrs. I. Brill	3.00	Miss Julia H. Douglas	5.00
Mrs. Stephen N. Bond.....	5.00	Mrs. Lorenzo Daniels	10.00
Mr. A. C. Bakewell, Jr.....	10.00	Mrs. Marcus Daly	50.00
Mrs. James Warren Buchner...	5.00	Mr. and Mrs. Gherardi Davis..	10.00
Mis Margaret S. Baker.....	5.00	Mrs. Eugene DuBois	10.00
Miss Frances Browne	1.00	Mr. Joseph P. Day.....	2.00
Mr. L. Bladgen	10.00	Mrs. Frederick DeCoppet....	2.00
Miss Helen C. Butler	5.00	Mrs. Charles D. Dickey.....	25.00
Mrs. Frederic H. Betts.....	10.00	Mrs. F. G. Dow.....	5.00
Mrs. W. H. Birchall.....	5.00	Mrs. H. P. Davison.....	10.00
Mr. and Mrs. S. Hinman Bird..	10.00	Miss Jane Dimond D'Olier....	5.00
Mrs. A. B. Berwanger	10.00	Mrs. Charles Duggin	10.00
Mrs. Simon Bachmann.....	5.00	Miss Caroline C. Darlington...	5.00
Mrs. W. M. Bowes	10.00	Miss Eleanor DuBois	2.00
Miss Florence Birmingham....	1.00	Dr. Fellowes Davis, Jr.....	10.00
Mr. Samuel F. Barry.....	2.00	Mrs. Horace C. Du Val.....	5.00
Mrs. C. Arthur Baynon.....	6.00	Mrs. James R. Doudge.....	5.00
Mrs. S. Morgan Barber.....	2.00	Mrs. F. A. DePeyster.....	10.00
Mrs. Herbert W. Baxter.....	2.00	Mrs. C. L. Despard.....	5.00
Mr. Roger S. Baldwin.....	10.00	Miss Alice DeLamar.....	20.00
Miss Allene Burchard	10.00	Miss Amy Crawford Doherty..	3.00
Mr. Robert Barbour	10.00	Mrs. Walter Emmerich.....	10.00
Mr. Arthur Bruckman	5.00	Mrs. J. M. Eder.....	2.00
Mrs. S. H. Boucher	5.00	Mrs. Lawrence B. Elliman.....	10.00
Mrs. H. J. Bastine.....	5.00	Mr. Edward Ebling	10.00
Miss Harriet C. Boettner.....	2.00	Mrs. H. Esberg	5.00
Mr. Charles Boucher.....	100.00	Mr. Douglas Ludlow Elliman..	5.00
Mrs. Eugene L. Bundy	1.00	Miss J. K. Fraser.....	5.00
Mr. Stephen Baker	15.00		
Mrs. Bronson	5.00		
Mrs. F. S. Bangs.....	10.00		
Mr. M. S. Burrill.....	5.00		
Mrs. B. Baruch	5.00		

Mrs. Eugene G. Foster.....	25.00	Mrs. Henrietta Liebman	2.00
Dr. Morris Friedson	10.00	Miss Eleanor LeRoy	10.00
Miss Aline S. Frank.....	5.00	Mrs. William Leask	2.00
Mr. Harold Crosby Foster....	10.00	Mrs. John Levy	5.00
Miss Lenore and Mr. S. Fry, Jr.	2.00	Mrs. H. C. Lawrence.....	5.00
		Mrs. Frances Lissberger	15.00
Mr. August Gebhard	5.00	Mrs. Paul Lichtenstein	5.00
Mrs. R. H. Goffe.....	1.00	Baby Bernice A. Lustgarten...	2.00
Mr. Meryl Frank Gidding.....	3.00	Mrs. J. M. Lichtenauer, Jr....	2.00
Mrs. James J. Goodwin.....	10.00	Mr. Lawrence Link	5.00
Mr. E. Goodman	5.00	Mrs. H. Van C. Lung.....	5.00
Master Larner M. Gambrill ...	2.00	Mrs. C. Levi	5.00
Mr. F. Walter Graville	5.00	Mrs. Joseph Ferris Limmons....	5.00
Mrs. Robert L. Gerry.....	25.00	Dr. Edwin Langrock	10.00
Miss Jane Elizabeth Goldsmith	10.00	Baby Margaret Lee	10.00
		Miss Marian Levey	5.00
Mrs. Sarah P. Howe.....	2.00	Miss Edith Adele Latta.....	5.00
Mrs. James B. Haggin.....	20.00	Mrs. L. H. Lapham.....	5.00
Mr. Arthur H. Hahlo.....	10.00	Miss Grace T. Layer.....	3.00
Mrs. Julius Heiden	10.00	Mrs. E. J. Lilly.....	5.00
Mrs. J. Mason Hoppin.....	5.00	Mrs. Henry J. Lansman.....	2.00
Mrs. R. Howes	5.00	Mr. Henry Lambert	5.00
Mr. Louis J. Hines.....	1.00		
Miss Louise Harkness	25.00	Mr. D. A. McKinlay.....	10.00
Mrs. Stephen V. Harkness....	25.00	Merritt, Elliott Co.	5.00
Miss Mary Harris	5.00	Mr. Gaiz Mulchers	5.00
Mrs. Eleanor Hurlimann	10.00	Mrs. George H. Macy.....	25.00
Mrs. T. Holt Haywood.....	5.00	Mr. Stephen C. Millett.....	25.00
Mrs. Edward S. Harkness....	25.00	Mrs. E. C. Millett.....	5.00
Mrs. E. H. Harriman.....	20.00	Mr. Frederick H. Moore.....	25.00
Mrs. M. C. Herrmann.....	5.00	Miss Irma W. Meyer.....	5.00
Mrs. F. A. Hotchkiss.....	5.00	Mrs. Frederick H. Moore.....	10.00
Mrs. W. P. Hamilton.....	10.00	Dr. T. Halstead Myers.....	10.00
Mr. Howard J. Hildt.....	5.00	Miss Julia G. Morosini.....	5.00
Baby Doris Hoecker	1.00	Mrs. James McLean	100.00
Mrs. H. W. Hazelton.....	2.00	Dr. Alexander T. Martin.....	1.00
Mrs. E. deP. Hosmer.....	5.00	Dr. Alfred Mittendorf	5.00
Mr. H. E. Huntington.....	100.00	Miss S. Mayer	1.00
Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Heaton...	10.00	Mrs. Sarah Myers	2.00
Mr. Barney Hess	10.00	Dr. Harold R. Mixsell.....	2.00
		Mr. E. G. Megrue.....	10.00
Mrs. O'Donnell Iselin	5.00	Mrs. C. H. Matlage.....	2.50
		Mr. J. Midaugh Main.....	5.00
Mr. H. LeRoy Jones.....	5.00	Dr. and Mrs. Harold R. Mixsell	10.00
Mr. G. E. Jennings.....	1.00	Mrs. H. N. MacCracken.....	10.00
Miss Harriet Johnson (In memory of a sister).....	2.00		
Dr. Frederic Jellinghaus	10.00	Mrs. Robert Nathan	2.00
Mrs. Alfred Jaretzki	5.00	Mr. Milton S. Newman.....	5.00
Mrs. L. Joseph	1.00	Mrs. Frederick D. Nye.....	2.00
Miss Hilda A. Johnson.....	3.00	Mrs. Henry D. Nicoll.....	25.00
		Mrs. Charles Neave	5.00
Mr. H. D. Kingsbury.....	25.00	Miss G. Nembach	2.00
Mrs. H. D. Kingsbury.....	50.00	Mrs. W. W. Nichols.....	5.00
Mrs. George G. Knight.....	5.00	Miss Christine M. Nichols....	5.00
Dr. Charles G. Kerley.....	5.00		
Mrs. D. Kennedy	5.00	Mr. Frank Outerbridge	5.00
Mr. John B. Kerr.....	5.00	Mrs. E. B. Osborn.....	10.00
		Mrs. M. L. Ottmann.....	10.00
Mr. Edward deP. Livingston..	10.00	Dr. Nathan Oppenheimer ...	5.00

Mrs. J. Oppenheim	2.00	Mrs. W. F. Stafford.....	5.00
Mrs. Charles F. Ostrander	5.00	Mrs. A. J. Sloss.....	3.00
Mrs. Emerson Opdycke	5.00	Mr. Sigmund Saxe	5.00
Dr. Bertram Pittis	20.00	Dr. LeRoy J. Smith.....	10.00
Mrs. Mary Fisk Park.....	3.00	Mr. Benson B. Sloan.....	25.00
Dr. Edward L. Partridge.....	10.00	Mrs. E. W. Stetson.....	15.00
Mrs. Parsons	10.00	Mr. J. Noah H. Slee.....	15.00
Mr. Irving Paris	10.00	Dr. William E. Studdiford....	10.00
Dr. Henry McM. Painter.....	25.00	Dr. G. Schlegel	2.00
Mrs. E. S. Pegram.....	10.00	Mrs. Edward R. Stettinius	10.00
Dr. C. G. Pagner.....	5.00	Mrs. Mary Riley Smith.....	3.00
Mrs. Gustav Pagenstecher.....	20.00	Dr. Thomas S. Southworth....	5.00
Mrs. Francis F. Palmer.....	10.00	Mrs. M. L. Sullivan.....	10.00
Mrs. Ethel F. Parsons.....	5.00	Mrs. E. H. Stearns.....	5.00
Mrs. W. M. Pond.....	10.00	Mrs. Herbert F. Schwarz.....	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. F. H. McC. Proudfoot	5.00	Mrs. Herbert Scoville.....	50.00
Mrs. Ralph Peters	5.00	Mr. Frank M. Swacker.....	5.00
Mrs. W. D. Patten.....	10.00	Mr. A. J. Seasingood.....	5.00
Mrs. Abram S. Post.....	10.00	Miss Clara Tannenbaum	1.00
Mrs. S. W. Peer.....	10.00	Mrs. Frederick Thompson	10.00
Baby Charles Presby	5.00	Mr. Irving L. Tenny.....	25.00
Mrs. M. Taylor Pyne.....	25.00	Mrs. S. K. Underwood.....	5.00
Mr. William J. Riker.....	10.00	Dr. James D. Voorhees.....	5.00
Mrs. H. B. Robie.....	5.00	Mrs. Ernest Vietor	5.00
Mr. W. Emlen Roosevelt.....	10.00	Mrs. H. H. Vreeland.....	5.00
Mrs. H. Newell Reynolds.....	25.00	Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Villalonga..	10.00
Mr. Sam Ricker, 2nd	2.00	Mrs. James M. Varnum.....	10.00
Mrs. W. A. Rogers.....	2.00	Mr. Harry J. Veitch.....	10.00
Miss Anna J. Rothschild.....	5.00	Eleanor B. Weir and Miss Weir	10.00
Carol and Harvey Rubin.....	10.00	Miss M. A. Workman.....	1.00
Mrs. H. H. Rogers.....	25.00	Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee.....	20.00
Dr. Robert G. Reese.....	10.00	Mrs. Annie Washburne	5.00
Mrs. J. W. Riley.....	5.00	Miss Genevieve L. Watson....	1.00
Mrs. M. L. Rodewald.....	2.00	Mrs. A. C. Winkhaus.....	10.00
Mr. Henry J. Rosenbaum....	5.00	Mrs. Daniel T. Wordon.....	5.00
Mrs. P. A. Rockefeller.....	5.00	Mrs. John E. Wilson.....	5.00
Miss Claire Robertson	3.00	Mrs. C. B. Wolffram.....	2.00
Mrs. Charles F. Roe.....	10.00	Mr. J. Thomson Willing.....	2.00
Mrs. E. W. Rankin.....	5.00	Mrs. P. M. Woolley.....	10.00
Mr. Lisenard Stewart	25.00	Miss E. R. Wellington.....	20.00
Mr. W. Andrew Saks.....	10.00	Mr. Albert S. Willis.....	2.00
Mr. Edgar N. Sidman.....	5.00	Miss R. E. Young.....	10.00
Mrs. Max Schwartz	5.00	Miss Florence Zerega	10.00
Mr. R. B. Steinfeld.....	3.00	Mrs. Martin Zinn	10.00
Mr. E. A. Stanley.....	50.00	Miss Else L. Zeller.....	2.00
Mrs. H. H. Seabrook.....	10.00		
Mr. Pierre J. Smith.....	10.00		
Mrs. H. E. Sawyer.....	3.00		
Mrs. Paul Smith	25.00		
Mrs. L. Sutro	5.00		
		Total Christmas Donations..	\$3,011.50

Report of the Medical Board

To the President and Board of Directors:

The past year holds changes of considerable moment in the Medical service of the Hospital.

Dr. Oscar M. Schloss, Professor of Pediatrics in the Cornell University Medical School, has been advanced to be Director of the Pediatric Service. Dr. Schloss has introduced a plan of ward teaching into the department and has brought the students of the Cornell School to the Hospital for their practical experience in pediatrics.

Through the aid of Dr. Schloss in the arrangement of the budget in his department, it has been possible to establish a laboratory which will eventually be adequate for all the needs of the Hospital. The X-ray plant also will soon be installed and then the Hospital will possess its full working equipment. The most hopeful attempts to make use of laboratories for these purposes outside the Hospital walls have been complete failures.

The new Administration at the Sloane Hospital under the Directorship of Dr. W. E. Studdiford, for many years an attending obstetrician at this Hospital, has brought about a close affiliation between the two institutions by which similar aims and ideals are pursued in a common effort. The students of the College of Physicians and Surgeons are again in attendance at the Hospital for their out-door service in obstetrics, and the teaching is carried on by the two institutions in complete harmony.

With active, systematic teaching in progress in both the Pediatric and Obstetric Divisions, and with a complete laboratory equipment for routine and research work, a new spirit pervades the Hospital and a future of great usefulness lies before it.

A Medical Board would scarcely be living up to its reputation if it did not express a measure of dissatisfaction, however, and lodge with its Board of Managers a request for additional facilities. The present accommodations for the out-door Clinics in pediatrics and obstetrics, in which a considerable portion of the teaching is done; the quarters of the Social Service Department, the Boarding-out Department and the History Department are overcrowded and inadequate. Too much praise cannot be given to the attending surgeons, nurses, Social Service workers and clerks for their cheerful devotion to their work under trying conditions. An extension of the 61st Street wing of the Hospital along 61st Street to the new Nurses' Home would not only provide the necessary floor space for these departments, but would also relieve the laundry, and furnish additional operating rooms and ward space above, all of which are sadly needed.

H. McM. PAINTER, M.D., *Chairman.*

Medical Report

October 1st, 1918, to September 30th, 1919

Pediatric Service Admissions

Boarding-Out Department	346
House Cases	656
Total	1,002

Diseases

Premature	62
Infectious Diseases	62
Diseases Respiratory Tract.....	347
" Digestive Tract	195
" Circulatory System...	3
" Nervous System	12
" Genito-Urinary System	19
" Skin	33
" Eye	1
" Ear	80
Hypertrophy of Tonsils and Adenoids	73
Disease Lymphatic System.....	10
Burns of Body	3
Congenital Syphilis	5
Miscellaneous	23
Total	928
Well Babies	346

1,274

Indoor Obstetrics

Total number delivered.....	1,428
Male	736
Female	692
Delivered by Visiting Physicians (Private)	593
Delivered by Resident Physician (Private)	238
Delivered by House Staff.....	597

Presentations

Vertex	1,353
Breech	78
Face	4
Transverse	3
Shoulder	0

Operative Deliveries

Forceps Delivery—Low	148
Medium	112
High	19
Version	19
Episiotomy	41
Manual Delivery Placenta.....	6
Craniotomy	4
Induction of Labor	82

Complications

Eclampsia	15
Post Partum Hemorrhage.....	11
Placenta Previa	7
Premature Separation Placenta..	1
Prolapsed Cord	7
Twins	2
Abortion	1
Premature Still Births	29
Still Births at term	17
Abscess Breast	6
Retained Placenta	4
Tamponage of Uterus	3
Deformed Pelvis	37
Puerperal Infection	1
Pulmonary T. B.	0
Pyelitis	3
Mastitis Breast	2
Syphilis	14

Outdoor Obstetrics

Total number delivered.....	575
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Presentations

Vertex	491
Breech	11
Face	1

Application of Forceps

Low	4
Medium	9
High	0
Podalic Version	2
Manual Delivery Placenta.....	3

Complications

Prolapsed Cord	0
Abortion	0
Premature Still Birth	7
Still Birth at term	10
Twins	6
Phlebitis	1

Visits to Tenements

Doctors	894
Students	1,417
White Nurses	2,519
Colored Nurses	966
Total.....	5,796

Visits to Clinic

Applications for Delivery.....	1,416
Gynecological Clinic	1,053
Children's Clinic	8,282
Total.....	10,751

SEPTEMBER, 1918, to SEPTEMBER, 1919

Surgical Operations

Exploratory Laparotomy	1
Abdominal Cesarean Section....	34
Vaginal Cesarean Section	1
Dilation and Curettage.....	117
Perineorrhaphy	23
Anterior Colporrhaphy	3
Trachelorrhaphy	24
Amputation of Cervix	7
Suspension of Uterus	21
Appendectomy	28
Hysterectomy, Supravaginal	22
Hysterectomy, Vaginal	2
Hysterectomy	14
Salpingo-oophorectomy	32
Salpingectomy	12
Myomectomy	4
For Pyloric Stenosis	0
Herniotomy	1
Tonsillectomy and Adenoidec- tomy	73
For Breast Abscess	0
Hemorrhoidectomy	3
Empyemal Abscess	0
Excision Sarcoma of Scalp.....	0
Removal of Cyst	1
Circumcision	2
Therapeutic Abortion	3
Stem Pessary Inserted	5
Vaginal Fixation	1
Tubes Opened and Adhesions Broken Up	1
Sterilization	1
Cophorectomy	3
Removal of Polyp	1
Cystoscopic Examination	1
Repair of Vesico Vaginal Fistula	3
Colostomy	1
Epitheloma Foot	1
Repair of Spina Bifida	1
Dermoid Cyst	1
Repair of Hare Lip	1
Edeno Fibroma of Breast.....	1

Lobar Pneumonia	15
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	6
Cerebral Hemorrhage	7
Marasmus	3
Hydrocephalus	1
Asphyxia	7
Miliary Tuberculosis	5
Eclampsia	4
Lobular Pneumonia	1
Malignant Endocarditis	1
Atelectasis	15
Osteomyelitis	1
Cellulitis of Scalp With Septic- emia	1
Hemophilia	1
Cardiac Dilatation Acute.....	1
2nd Degree Burn of Body.....	1
Yellow Atrophy of Liver.....	1
Sclerema Neonatorum.....	1
Peritonitis	1
Empyema	1
Acute Nephritis	2
Tuberculous Meningitis	8
Acute Bronchitis	2
Prolonged Labor — Contracted Pelvis	1
Rickets, Pneumonia, Otitis Media	2
Pyelitis, Congenital Malforma- tion	1
Pyelo Nephritis	1
Broncho Pneumonia, Congenital Heart Disease	1
Craniotomy	2
Septicemia	5
Hydrocephalous and Spina Bifida	1
Prematurity and Infected Cord..	1
Syphilis and Prematurity	1
Cardiac Decompensation — Tox- emia of Pregnancy	1
Lung Abscess	1
Cerebro-Spinal Meningitis	1
Congenital Cystic Kidney.....	1
Diabetes Mellitis	1
Prematurity-Cardiac Insufficiency	1
Spina Bifida	1
Acute Lymphatic Leukemia....	1
Shock Following Laparotomy...	4
Streptococcus, Meningitis, Bron- cho Pneumonia	1
Convulsions—Unknown	3
Patulous Foramen Ovale.....	4

Deaths

Still Births	38
Prematurity	85
Gastro Enteritis	60
Congenital Syphilis	8
Broncho Pneumonia	53

Report of the House Committee

During the early part of the past year the House Committee was re-organized, and new members replaced those who found it necessary to resign.

On account of the great changes and improvements in the Hospital, it is difficult to make a definite statement of the accomplishments of the Committee. But it is felt that the suggestions offered by visiting members were valuable and helpful.

The Committee meets regularly once a month during the year except in the summer months. One or two members visit the hospital each week and make reports of their inspections. There is plenty of most interesting work for those members of the Committee who are willing to devote time to the Hospital.

The following is a part of a letter from one of the members describing a visit:

In January a visit was made to the Hospital by the Chairman and two members of the House Committee. It was in the nature of a *grand tour*, beginning at the skyline and descending in a comprehensive spiral. Aside from three slight criticisms it was a visit of admiration. Despite the changes and alterations that have been going on constantly, we noted a marked and general air of improvement in almost every department.

It has been the custom for many years at the Hospital to have some Easter plants in the wards. Mrs. Kinsey, the superintendent, feels this has a beneficial effect upon the patients, and the flowers are anticipated with much pleasure. About fifty plants were provided for the wards. Another year it is hoped that the small fund contributed may be increased to meet the larger requirements of the hospital.

Through several members of the House Committee seamstresses have been supplied to help in the greatly increased work of the sewing room. This aid has been of great assistance, for the regular employees were overwhelmed with the additional demands made upon them.

St. Christopher's League, by being represented on the Committee, has established a personal touch between the League and the Hospital which has been most encouraging. The League has superintended the making of a member of layettes for the Social Service Department; and, last winter, several members attended the Hospital once a week to make dressings, which practice, we hope, will be soon resumed.

The Social Service Department has been most absorbing, and the Committee feels well repaid for supporting one worker. The following is a report from Miss Whiting, our head worker, which I trust will be found interesting:

The year 1919 marked great changes in the Social Service Department. Not only were new workers added to the staff but cases and visits multiplied rapidly, many new friends were made, and the work of the department was broadened and made more intensive.

During the year 1919, 4,363 visits were made and 2,982 cases were handled. In April we added a clerical worker to the department, this facilitating the keeping of records, cards, cases, etc., as well as being a very material help in disposing of the ever increasing correspondence. In July our Pre-Natal Nurse was added to the staff, making it possible for the first time, to do really thorough, intensive, pre-natal work. We were most fortunate in securing the services of a very efficient person, Miss Harriet Jane Smith, whose years of experience with babies makes her invaluable in our department. What her services mean to our poor mothers, it is impossible to tell. Already they trust and obey her implicitly, and it is mainly through her excellent and thorough work with them, that the marked increase in the Pre-Natal Clinic is due.

Miss Smith carries nearly two hundred cases a month, an enormous amount for one person, her district being from 23rd to 90th Streets. Any pre-natal case out of the district (and there are an average of forty each month) is handled by Miss Sanford, the new Social Worker, who has had many years experience in Social Service.

The After Care work, comprising about two hundred cases a month, is most important also, as during these visits it is impossible to closely observe the condition of mother and baby, long after visits at the hospital have ceased. We find parents fail to return as the doctors ask them to, so often our visits are the sole means of discovering many little things gone wrong, which if unchecked would develop into something far more serious.

We handled forty-four illegitimate cases during the year, a far smaller number than most hospitals had. Of these only three put their children out for adoption, eight placed their babies in homes temporarily while they worked to support them, and the remainder kept their babies and went out to housework.

The work of the Social Service Department is by no means ended with the Pre-Natal and Post-Partum Work, Child Placing and the unmarried mother. The demands that are made upon us are many and varied. We secure positions for the unemployed, give temporary relief when possible, help with advice, information, suggestion. The field is so broad, it is never ending in its possibilities.

The House Committee would welcome gifts of old furniture, books, magazines, toys, kitchen utensils and clothing for distribution throughout the wards and by the social workers.

CORNELIA H. GERRY, *Chairman.*

Report of the Charity Ball, 1919

To the President and Board of Directors:

The Charity Ball of 1919, the sixty-first in its history, proved to be a great success in many ways. First and foremost, it had an element of joy which the termination of the war gave to all who participated in it, and who had missed it in the previous year when the sad world condition then existing precluded the possibility of the Ball being given.

Our Army and Navy were well represented and we were honored by the presence of several foreign officers as well.

Many thanks are due Mr. Henry Gansevoort Sanford, Chairman of the Floor Committee, and his staff, for the able manner in which all the details of the Ball were carried out, and our sincere thanks are also due to Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee, as Treasurer, Miss Lena R. Curtis, as Secretary, and to Mrs. George H. Benjamin and Mrs. Henry Gansevoort Sanford, who had charge of the sale of the boxes.

The financial report of the Ball will be found elsewhere.

HERMINIE BERWIND, *Chairman.*

TREASURER'S STATEMENT—CHARITY BALL, 1919

It was thought advisable this year to lower the prices of our boxes owing to war time demands upon charity purses, and in consequence the sale of the boxes did not bring in as much as usual. After all expenses of the ball were met, however, \$10,602.30 was turned over to the Hospital as the proceeds of the Charity Ball.

MRS. FRANK WITHERBEE, *Treasurer.*



Report of the Lenten Sewing Class, 1919

The Sewing Class met this year at the houses of:

Mrs. Edward J. Berwind
 Mrs. Simeon B. Chapin
 Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee
 Mrs. F. de Peyster
 Mrs. Robert L. Gerry

We had on our list eighty-three members, an increase of six from 1918, who contributed \$495, an increase of \$111 from 1918. This year 1,582 garments were made by the members of the class and only 100 garments were finished by the House and School of Industry after the closing of the class, and thirty-eight remain to be returned.

More interest was shown in the work of the class, and in spite of very bad weather on the days of meetings, we had an average attendance of eighteen. Several of our members had a large number of garments made by other charities, and this was of great assistance to us. Thirty-four members attended meetings and took work, and forty-nine were only contributing members.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

EXPENDITURES:

Dutton, printing 450 invitations and envelopes	\$21.00
Receipt book	3.50
House and School of Industry:	
Cutting out 1,720 garments...	42.10
Express to meetings	4.75
Making 100 garments	39.00
Clafin's, for 2,127 yards of ma- terial	334.86
	<u>\$445.21</u>
Balance to 1920	247.51
	<u>\$692.72</u>

RECEIPTS:

Balance from 1918	\$197.72
1919 dues to class.....	\$395.00
1919 donations	100.00
	<u>495.00</u>
	<u>\$692.72</u>

MRS. FRANK S. WITHERBEE,
Treasurer.

In response to an inquiry for the history of the Lenten Sewing Class, Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee has very kindly written the following brief statement:

Many years ago I was the one to propose having the sewing class for the New York Infant Asylum, and succeeded in inducing Mrs. Frederick de Peyster to have the meetings at her house. This was difficult as at first Mr. de Peyster said it was against the by-laws of the institution to have the wives of the directors hold office; but when I told him

that the sewing class would work for the Hospital, that the money would be obtained and expended by the class and only a report turned over to the Hospital, he was only too glad to consent. Mrs. de Peyster sent out all invitations, had all the meetings at her house, and acted as treasurer.

Later on, when the Nursery and Child's Hospital and the New York Infant Asylum amalgamated, the sewing classes also were united.

After Mrs. Frederick de Peyster's death, Mrs. Ashton de Peyster acted as treasurer and Mrs. John M. Bowers as secretary. When Mrs. de Peyster resigned three years ago, I took up the work both as secretary and treasurer. I feel very strongly that the sewing class is capable of being developed into an important aid to the Hospital.

In 1919 we did make progress—obtained more members and more money; and in 1920 better results may be expected.



Donations in Kind

February 1, 1919, to February 1, 1920.

The New York Nursery and Child's Hospital gratefully acknowledges the receipt of clothing, food, toys, services and various other useful and kindly gifts from the following donors:

Miss Carse	Miss Hilda J. Johnson
Barse & Hopkins	Mrs. J. R. McKee
American Red Cross Auxiliary	Eva C. Jones
The Pinneo School for Boys	Mrs. S. B. Chapin
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In addition, the following societies and individuals have donated a total of 9,244 garments during the past year:

Church of the Incarnation	St. Thomas House
Harlem District, Charity Organization Society	St. Ambrose Mission
Ladies' Benevolent Society of St. Mark's Church	Calvary Parish House, Benevolent Society
Employment Society of the Church of All Angels	N. Y. House and School of Industry, Through Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee
Chapel of the Incarnation	St. Christopher's League
Women's Industrial Home, St. George's Church	Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee
	Miss Boucher



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In memory of their mother, Catherine Brinckerhoff Du Bois.

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In memory of their daughter, Ruth.

Form of Bequest

I give and bequeath to the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital (a New York Corporation) the sum of

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\$350 will support a Bed for one year
\$3500 will support a Bed for life of donor
\$7500 will support a Bed in perpetuity





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CHARLES G. KERLEY, M. D., 132 W. 81st St.
ROWLAND G. FREEMAN, M. D., 211 W. 57th St.
OSCAR M. SCHLOSS, M. D., 39 E. 61st St.

Assistant Attending Pediatricists

JESSE F. SAMMIS, M. D., 44 E. 63rd St.
HAROLD R. MIXSELL, M. D., 134 E. 76th St.
MORRIS FRIEDSON, M. D., 103 E. 10th St.
CHARLES A. LANG, M. D., 955 Park Ave.
LOUIS C. SCHROEDER, M. D., 495 West End Ave.
B. S. DENZER, M. D., 163 W. 81st St.

Assistant Attending Pediatricists to the Out-Patient Department

B. M. WRONKER, M. D., 296 Central Park West.
H. F. JACKSON, M. D., 344 W. 72nd St.
HAROLD HERMAN, M. D., 296 Central Park West.
PHILIP STIMSON, M. D., 58 W. 58th St.
MAY G. WILSON, M. D., 601 W. 177th St.
A. B. FERGUSON, M. D., 330 W. 28th St.
E. S. RIMER, M. D., 13 E. 65th St.

Ophthalmologist

ROBERT G. REESE, M. D., 50 W. 52nd St.

Otologist

JOHN D. KERNAN, JR., M. D., 156 E. 79th St.

House Staff

Resident Physician

DR. HOWARD S. McCANDLISH, January 1st, 1920 to July 21st, 1920
DR. EDWARD H. DENNEN, July 21st, 1920

Assistants, Obstetric Department

DR. PHILIP B. BECKER
DR. DONALD C. MCGILL—Out-Door Service

Resident Pediatrician

DR. ROBERT C. HOOD, January 1st, 1920 to January 1st, 1921
DR. ARTHUR F. ANDERSON, January 1st, 1921

Pediatrics

DR. W. WALLACE MCKAY
DR. DAVID BURTON WITT
DR. CHARLES S. LIPSITT
DR. FREDERICK K. FISCHER

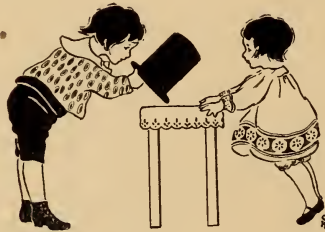
Interns

Obstetrics

DR. DONALD C. MCGILL
DR. THOMAS MOONEY
DR. CRAWFORD HART

Laboratory Staff

DR. HENRY R. MULLER, *Consulting Pathologist*
DR. BERNARD S. DENZER, *Attending Pathologist*
DR. HARRY BAKWIN, *Laboratory Assistant*
DR. I. EDWARD LISS, *Roentgenologist*



Interns Who Have Received Diplomas, 1920-1921

DR. ROY M. GREENTHAL.....	University of Michigan
DR. ROBERT C. HOOD.....	Johns Hopkins Medical School
DR. WILLIAM LONDON.....	N. Y. University
DR. HOWARD S. McCANDLISH.....	University of Virginia
DR. ANTHONY GEORGE MARATEA.....	Bellevue Medical College
DR. FRANK B. ORR.....	Columbia University (P. & S.)
DR. A. BRET RATNER.....	Bellevue Medical College

Affiliated Schools

PEDIATRIC COURSE

(Three Months)

AMSTERDAM CITY HOSPITAL.....	Amsterdam, N. Y.
ANNA JAKUES HOSPITAL.....	Newburyport, Mass.
BLODGETT MEMORIAL HOSPITAL.....	Grand Rapids, Mich.
COOLEY-DICKINSON HOSPITAL.....	Northampton, Mass.
HUDSON CITY HOSPITAL.....	Hudson, N. Y.
LAWRENCE & MEMORIAL ASSOCIATED HOSPITAL.....	New London, Conn.
PEEKSKILL HOSPITAL.....	Peekskill, N. Y.
UTICA HOMEOPATHIC HOSPITAL.....	Utica, N. Y.

OBSTETRIC COURSE

(Three Months)

MERIDEN HOSPITAL.....	Meriden, Conn.
PETER BENT BRIGHAM HOSPITAL.....	Boston, Mass.
POST GRADUATE HOSPITAL.....	.20th St., and Second Ave., N. Y. City
PRESBYTERIAN HOSPITAL.....	.70th St. and Madison Ave., N. Y. City
ROOSEVELT HOSPITAL.....	.59th St. and 9th Ave., N. Y. City
ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL.....	.113th St. and Amsterdam Ave., N. Y. City
SARATOGA HOSPITAL.....	Saratoga Springs, N. Y.

COMBINATION COURSE, PEDIATRIC AND OBSTETRIC

(Six Months)

CLIFTON SPRINGS SANITARIUM.....	Clifton Springs, N. Y.
CORNING HOSPITAL.....	Corning, N. Y.
KNICKERBOCKER HOSPITAL.....	.131st St. and Amsterdam Ave., N. Y. City
MCLEAN HOSPITAL.....	Waverley, Mass.

Diplomas Awarded January 1st, 1920—January 1st, 1921

PEDIATRIC COURSE

BARBER, EDITH, Cooley-Dickenson Hospital	KINNEY, ADA, Hudson City Hospital
BENSON, SARA, Cohoes Hospital	LASKEY, MARION, Anna Jaques Hospital
CRAIGS, NAN E., Anna Jaques Hospital	O'CONNOR, MARGERY, Peekskill Hospital
CHRISTIE, EFFIE, Anna Jaques Hospital	PLATT, GRACE, Lawrence Memorial Hospital
CARDINAL, KATHERINE, Peekskill Hospital	PHILLIPS, MARION, Clifton Springs Sanitarium
CLARK, RUTH, Anna Jaques Hospital	RICE, GLADYS E., Utica Homeopathic Hospital
CRANDALL, MARJORIE, Utica Homeopathic Hospital	STEVENS, PRISCILLA, Anna Jaques Hospital
DOUCET, TERESA, Hudson City Hospital	SHELDON, ELIZABETH, Clifton Springs Sanitarium
DOUGLAS, BEATRICE, Clifton Springs Sanitarium	STERNS, GLADYS, Lawrence Memorial Hospital
FLEMING, MARGARET, Anna Jaques Hospital	SIMPSON, ISABELLE, Anna Jaques Hospital
FOWLER, MABEL, Lawrence Memorial Hospital	SOMBERGER, GRACE, Clifton Springs Sanitarium
GERBER, BERTHA, Hudson City Hospital	SWEENEY, OLIVE, Peekskill Hospital
GRIFFITH, ELIZABETH, Clifton Springs Sanitarium	SIBENMAN, HELEN, Peekskill Hospital
GAINES, GERTRUDE, Utica Homeopathic Hospital	THURSTON, LAURA, Rome Hospital
GOLLY, ELEANOR HAZEL, Rome Hospital	TRUMBLE, LUCY, Hudson City Hospital
GOYETTE, HAZEL, Lawrence Memorial Hospital	TAYS, LAURA, Anna Jaques Hospital
HALLET, MARJORIE, Clifton Springs Sanitarium	WALDRON, EULA, Clifton Springs Hospital
HAAS, EMMA, Amsterdam City Hospital	WRIGHT, MOLLIE, Hudson City Hospital
HILL, ELIZABETH, Utica Homeopathic Hospital	WILSON, KATHLEEN, Hudson City Hospital

OBSTETRIC COURSE

ALLING, RUTH I, Post Graduate Hospital	DRAKE, LOUISE, Clifton Springs Hospital
ANDREWS, HELEN, Roosevelt Hospital	DAHL, ETHEL ELVIRA, Meriden Hospital
ARMSTRONG, CLAUDINE, St. Luke's Hospital	DEWEY, CLARA H., Roosevelt Hospital
ARMSTRONG, MABEL, Hillcrest Hospital	DUNAWAY, MARGARET, Post Graduate Hospital
BATCHELDER, MARION FRANCES, Peter Bent Brigham Hospital	DAVIS, CHARLOTTE MARIE, Meriden Hospital
BROWN, ELLA PEARL, Peter Bent Brigham Hospital	FINE, PHELINA, Roosevelt Hospital
BECKWITH, ISABELLE H., St. Luke's Hospital	FLETCHER, FANNY LAVINIA, Post Graduate Hospital
BENY, GLADYS MARION, Peter Bent Brigham Hospital	FULTON, BERTHA, St. Luke's Hospital
BROWN, DOROTHY A., Post Graduate Hospital	FILES, HARRIET EUGENE, Laura Franklin Hospital
BURROWS, BLANCHE, Roosevelt Hospital	GERSTENMAIER, ANNA B., Meriden Hospital
CONRAD, HELEN E., Roosevelt Hospital	GRASSIE, A. M., Roosevelt Hospital
CARTER, RUTH WOODBURN, Roosevelt Hospital	GOSS, BARBARA WATSON, Peter Bent Brigham Hospital
CALLAN, NORA, Roosevelt Hospital	GELINAS, AGNES, Peter Bent Brigham Hospital
COLLINS, ETHEL ELIZABETH, St. Luke's Hospital	GRANT, MARGARET HELEN, St. Luke's Hospital
CLEVELAND, AGNES I., Laura Franklin Hospital	GASKIN, ELLA MAUDE, Peter Bent Brigham Hospital

GARDNER, DOROTHY, Roosevelt Hospital
 GRIFFITH, ELIZABETH, Clifton Springs Sanitarium
 HOSTETLER, NELL A., Peter Bent Brigham Hospital
 HARKNESS, MAGDALYN, Post Graduate Hospital
 HEWINS, EDITH, St. Luke's Hospital
 HAYES, DOROTHY TRUSCOTT, Post Graduate Hospital
 HAMOR, LUCY, St. Luke's Hospital
 HARRIES, SARAH, Saratoga Hospital
 JUSTUS, MABEL LOUISE, Roosevelt Hospital
 LIDDLE, HELEN PHOEBE, Roosevelt Hospital
 LAVERY, HALSTED, Peter Bent Brigham Hospital
 LEWIS, ELVAH, Meriden Hospital
 LINDSAY, MARY ELIZABETH, St. Luke's Hospital
 LEVASSEUR, EVA ANN, Peter Bent Brigham Hospital
 LEWIS, MABEL C. O., Roosevelt Hospital
 MURPHY, DAISY, Hillcrest Hospital
 MOY-ORNE, PEARL, Peter Bent Brigham Hospital
 MILLS, MAJORIE, St. Luke's Hospital
 McNICKLE, MILDRED, St. Luke's Hospital
 MURRAY, MARION E., Peter Bent Brigham Hospital
 McDOWELL, ELIZABETH J., Roosevelt Hospital
 McDONALD, CHRISTINA A., Peter Bent Brigham Hospital
 MOFFAT, HELEN, St. Luke's Hospital
 MACOMBER, ANNA EVANGELINE, Peter Bent Brigham Hospital
 McDougall, WINNIFRED, Roosevelt Hospital

OSTERHOUDT, RUTH ASENATH, Saratoga Hospital
 PORTER, NELLIE V., Peter Bent Brigham Hospital
 PATON, LAURA GERTRUDE, Peter Bent Brigham Hospital
 PATTESON, JESSEMINA, Roosevelt Hospital
 ROOT, EDNA MAY, Meriden Hospital
 ROSS, RUBY PAULINE, St. Luke's Hospital
 ROSE, HILDA, Laura Franklin Hospital
 RYER, DOROTHY PAULINE, Post Graduate Hospital
 ROMER, WINNIFRED, St. Luke's Hospital
 SPERRY, RUTH C., Meriden Hospital
 STEVENS, LOIS ELIZABETH, Peter Bent Brigham Hospital
 SMITHE, BERTHA MAY, Peter Bent Brigham Hospital
 SAXTON, BERNICE, Laura Franklin Hospital
 SHAW, JENNIE MAY, Peter Bent Brigham Hospital
 STEWART, DAISY, Roosevelt Hospital
 SUTTON, EVELYN, Roosevelt Hospital
 THOMAS, ARABELLA TOOLE, St. Luke's Hospital
 THOMAS, MARGARET, Meriden Hospital
 TUCKER, KATHERINE, Presbyterian Hospital
 TUCKER, MARGARET, Post Graduate Hospital
 VARNEY, PRISCILLA, Peter Bent Brigham Hospital
 WALKLEY, BEATRICE, Post Graduate Hospital
 WALKER, HELEN D., Saratoga Hospital
 WEISS, ELIZABETH J., Meriden Hospital
 YAGEL, FLORA A., Post Graduate Hospital

COMBINATION COURSE

Obstetrics and Pediatrics (Six Months)

CLARK, THELMA, Corning Hospital
 CURTIS, ELIZABETH, Presbyterian Hospital
 DODGE, MARGARET, McLean Hospital
 DINGMAN, EMMA C., McLean Hospital
 DUNN, FLORA B., Clifton Springs Sanitarium
 FAIRES, LOIS, Presbyterian Hospital
 HALEY, MARGARET, Cohoes Hospital
 HUMMLER, GERTRUDE, Presbyterian Hospital
 HOLDEN, EDITH JANE, Presbyterian Hospital
 HASKELL, FLORENCE, McLean Hospital
 JORDAN, HELEN B., Presbyterian Hospital
 LIGHTBODY, SARAH, Presbyterian Hospital
 MILNOR, EDITH, Presbyterian Hospital
 McQUILLAN, MILDRED, Corning Hospital
 NASON, HELEN J., Presbyterian Hospital

OASTLER, MARION, Clifton Springs Sanitarium
 REDWOOD, NELLIE V., Knickerbocker Hospital
 RATCLIFF, BESSIE, McLean Hospital
 ROGERS, RITA, Corning Hospital
 RIFENBARK, AMELIA K., Clifton Springs Sanitarium
 SMITH, LORRAINE, Corning Hospital
 SWAN, ELEANOR, Clifton Springs Sanitarium
 SEIGLER, AMY, Knickerbocker Hospital
 TARKINGTON, EDITH, Corning Hospital
 THOMPSON, MOLLY BAR, Cohoes Hospital
 WILSON, E. BERNICE, Clifton Springs Hospital
 WHEATON, RUTH C., Corning Hospital
 ZWALD, GERTRUDE, Knickerbocker Hospital

SPECIAL COURSE OF EIGHT MONTHS' PEDIATRICS, OBSTETRICS
AND GYNECOLOGY

Army School of Nursing, Fox Hills, S. I.

AYRES, ESTHER

BROWN, GRACE

BACON, ESTHER FRANCES

BORGE, ANNA

FANELL, NELL

JONES, JENNIE MAY

LEWANDOWSKA, LUCY

MONTGOMERY, BERTHA

NOLAND, NAOMI

THOMPSON, MARGARET

WEMPLE, DOROTHY

POST-GRADUATE COURSE—OBSTETRICS

FORRESTALL, ANNIE

HARKOM, ISABEL

MACKEY, CORA BELLE

PRYOR, EDNA

RAWCHUCK, REGINA

WALLACE, HAZEL

WIGGIN, MILDRED

POST-GRADUATE COURSE—PEDIATRICS

GEORGE, STATIRA



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History of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital



HE work now carried on by the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital, succeeding to all the activities and to all the traditions of the oldest nursery, the oldest child's hospital, and the oldest maternity hospital in the City of New York, which sent doctors to the homes of the poor at the time of childbirth, was begun in 1823. The present corporation was formed by the consolidation of the Nursery and Child's Hospital with the New York Infant Asylum, which had formerly consolidated with the old Marion Street Maternity Hospital. Each of these institutions was a pioneer in its particular line of endeavor.

The old Marion Street Maternity Hospital was organized in 1823 and incorporated in 1827 as "The New York Female Asylum for Lying-In Women" and was so called for the next seventy years. Its object was: "To furnish comfortable conditions and skillful attendance to respectable married women who require an asylum during the period of their confinement, and also to supply competent medical care to deserving married women at their homes under similar circumstances." It was the first institution of its kind to care for poor respectable women and was the pioneer in the city in sending physicians to such homes to attend at childbirth. In 1830 two lots were bought on Orange, now Marion Street, near Prince Street, for \$2,750, and a three-story building was built with a forty-five foot front and a depth of sixty feet. This was its headquarters for fifty-five years. In 1885 it moved to 139 Second Avenue, where it continued its quiet and unostentatious charity until 1899, when it consolidated with the New York Infant Asylum.

The ministrations of the Marion Street Hospital are now continued as a part of the work of this corporation.

The Nursery and Child's Hospital, with the name of "The Nursery for the Children of Poor Women," was founded in 1854 through the efforts of Mrs. Cornelius Du Bois, who for more than thirty years thereafter continued as its First Directress. One day, when driving in the streets of New York City, she was startled by screams from an upper story of a tenement and looking up saw a child caught by a fallen sash hanging from a window. With the help of neighbors, she broke into the room and released the child. She found that it had been left alone while its parents were at work. Inquiries then made showed her the need existing in New York for the proper care of children.

In the Annual Report of the Hospital for 1897, Mrs. Du Bois says:

"Your attention is called to the condition of the poor children of New York before the nursery was founded. Dr. Elisha Harris gives the following statement: 'In 1854 to 1859 about 1,000 infants were farmed out per year; ninety out of one hundred would not live to see their first birthday. In a single hut on the river side about Thirty-fourth Street, it was common to find four or five young infants lying on the floor, with a single nurse who gave them bottle food until they died. The Almshouse Governors paid so much a week until they all died. They would be marked dead on their books and that was the last of them. The expense in 1859 was over fifty thousand dollars for the support of the children in these houses that were worse than no houses at all.'"

In one week after the Nursery was opened every bed was filled with the children of wet nurses.

The first quarters of the new charity were in St. Mark's Place, and shortly after it opened it became necessary to find additional room. With cholera in the city, and the heat intense, it became suddenly evident that the house "was overcrowded, that our numbers must be divided or our children must die. The next house was found to be vacant and not an hour could be lost. They key of our basement door fitted and women with pails and brushes were sent in to clean the house while the manager on duty drove to the office of the owner with a check for a quarter's rent in advance. He was glad to deliver up the keys of a house he did not expect to rent in July and he does not know to this day that while he was leasing the house it was already occupied."

In 1856 the Nursery acquired one of the wooden cottages which had been used by the New York Hospital while its stone wing was being constructed. When abandoned by the New York Hospital the cottage was moved to the Tonnele Estate at 14th Street and 6th Avenue, where the Nursery followed it. In 1857 the cornerstone of the building at Lexington Avenue and 51st Street was laid, but during the Civil War the building was used as a hospital for soldiers. From 1879 to 1910 the Nursery and Child's Hospital cared for a total of 38,179 inmates.

The question of funds was as acute in the early days as it is at present, and the Annual Reports show the many means adopted to raise money for the charity. In 1865 Mr. Bierstadt contributed the proceeds of the first exhibition of his picture "A Storm in the Rocky Mountains"; and the sum of \$455.75 was realized from the exhibition of Huntington's historical painting "Mrs. Washington's Reception Day," placed "at our disposal for a month by the voluntary kindness of its owner, Mr. A. T. Stewart." The greatest single item of revenue, however, was obtained from the annual Charity Ball inaugurated in 1857, and through all these years maintained and made a great financial and social success by the ladies interested in this charity.

In 1870 the Nursery opened its Country Home on Staten Island, where for the following ten years the children in its charge, particularly the sickly ones, were sent in order to be in the open air. At the end of the ten years the main buildings of the Home caught fire and were burned.

Although the Nursery and Child's Hospital began its work as a nursery, it was soon found necessary to provide care for its sick children, and to a certain extent this had been done, almost from the beginning. It did not, however, legally broaden its scope until several years after its founding. The primary object, however, for which the New York Infant Asylum was founded in 1865 was to take charge of foundlings and infant children to the age of two years and to provide for their support and education. It also provided such lying-in wards and methods of care and guidance as should prevent maternal abandonment of homeless infants and diminish the normal dangers and personal sufferings to which homeless mothers were exposed.

The Infant Asylum had its origin in the efforts of the Rev. Mr. Richmond to reform a class of unfortunate young women whom he found in the Maternity Wards of Bellevue Hospital. He died before his plan

could be carried through, but his widow in 1865 secured a charter, and a building for the Asylum was rented at 104th Street and West End Avenue. Mrs. Richmond struggled for two years with the problems confronting the Asylum. She then died, and the work was abandoned. In 1871 the Society was reorganized through the efforts of Miss Alice Sanford and her father, General Sanford.

The Charity Commissioners of the City of New York fixed the rate at which the City was to pay for destitute children at \$1.33 per week. "The Society accepted the situation, rented a building at 8th Street near Broadway and began operations," says Dr. Stephen Smith. "The result sustained the assertions of the most sanguine members of the Board, for the mortality scarcely exceeded nine per cent., against ninety-six per cent. on the Island. It is difficult to estimate the vast influence of that first year's experiment on the saving of child life in the City of New York. The Commissioners of Charity immediately took the alarm and built and equipped the Infant Asylum on Randall's Island, where the mortality was reduced to less than twenty per cent. The Nursery and Child's Hospital, under Mrs. Du Bois, secured a change of the law placing that institution on the same basis as this asylum, and from that date the mortality of children in its care has been little more than twelve per cent. Following that Sister Irene obtained a charter for the Foundling Asylum based on the law of the Infant Asylum, and with the care of two thousand children in the most variable conditions as regards the prospect of living, has a mortality of less than twenty per cent. Still other institutions have been founded on the basis of this Asylum and are meeting with the same success in saving child life."

In 1872, the New York Infant Asylum bought the property where the present Hospital stands, at Amsterdam Avenue and 61st Street, for \$55,000—\$16,500 cash and the balance on mortgage—but the building was not occupied until April, 1873. The house at No. 24 Clinton Place was not abandoned, however, until 1878.

In 1899 the New York Infant Asylum consolidated with the old Marion Street Maternity Hospital and the cash realized from the sale of the Marion Street property, some \$75,000, together with \$18,000 donated for the purpose, was used to help build part of the present Hospital building.

In 1910 the New York Infant Asylum was consolidated with the Nursery and Child's Hospital under the name of New York Nursery and Child's Hospital. Under this consolidation the work of the two corporations has been continued and enlarged. The work of the present Hospital can be classified as follows:

- (1) A Lying-In Hospital;
- (2) A Hospital for sick children;
- (3) A Boarding-out Department, supplanting the nursery in the building. The foundling children are placed in suitable homes and their general welfare supervised by visitors from the Hospital;
- (4) An Outside Obstetrical Department, continuing the work begun by the Old Marion Street Maternity Hospital. Physicians connected with the staff are sent to the homes of those who apply for aid.

There are always from eighty to one hundred sick children in the

wards of the Hospital. They are roomed in the three children's wards on the seventh floor, and sometimes another ward in the quarantine building is pressed into service. The shelter on the roof of the old building is also devoted to the children. The entire children's service is under the supervision of graduate nurses who are responsible for the care and treatment of the children, and for the training of student nurses from affiliated hospitals. These young student nurses are given a three months' course of training in the care of children, a diploma being conferred upon them at its satisfactory completion.

Besides the children's services, the Hospital maintains a maternity service. During the past year the public wards have cared for seven hundred and seventeen patients. The Hospital maintains free beds for the care of worthy women.

The third and fourth floors, and part of the fifth and sixth, are for the use of private and semi-private patients. These rooms are in constant demand and during the past year this floor cared for one thousand six hundred and twelve women. There are also well-equipped nurseries on these floors for the use of the babies of the private patients. In addition to the private single rooms and the semi-private rooms, there are maintained two small private wards where women are cared for at a moderate charge during confinement.

Another activity which has recently grown rapidly in importance is the Out-door Obstetrical Department. This work has generally supplanted the work of the Old Marion Street Maternity Hospital Wards. The Hospital now goes to the homes of these women almost entirely instead of having them come to the Hospital. The woman who wishes to avail herself of this service registers at the Hospital, and at the time of her confinement she is attended by one of the three doctors attached to this department and by one of the nurses. During the past year six hundred and sixty-three women were cared for in their homes and there were fourteen hundred and eighteen applications for delivery. The Clinic connected with this department had six thousand two hundred and thirty-five calls upon it.

For the care of the sick, graduate and student nurses are in attendance. A graduate nurse is in charge of each department of the Hospital and she is aided by student nurses. The latter come to us for three months from affiliated hospitals in which they are taking a general course in nursing.

The present capacity of the Hospital is two hundred and fourteen beds for children and one hundred and seven beds for women.

Report of the President

To the Members of the Corporation of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital:

Upon the various phases of the work done within the Hospital, in the Children's Clinic and bestowed upon women in their homes for confinement, we are justified in saying that no better care is afforded in this city. The attention of physicians and nurses continues to be of the best—and generously afforded.

A much appreciated and rapidly growing "Clinic for Children" has called for increased accommodation. This has been met through generous gifts of money, by means of which a new building, 75 x 30 feet, has been donated to us.

This branch of our service will thus be afforded opportunity for growth and development both for the care of children, and to the educational advantage of students and physicians.

Fortunately there is no pressing need for additional or other physical equipment.

Mr. Daniel C. Adams has expressed his desire to retire from the Chairmanship of the Executive Committee. Our present *physical* well-being is largely due to his efforts, and, our building operations having been completed, he is entitled to the granting of his request. He has been for years enthusiastic and untiring in his labors to further the best interests of the Institution, and we regret his decision.

The "Social Service" department commands an increasing respect for its success in dealing with the problems of the weak and ailing poor. The Committee in charge devotes much time and intelligent thought in behalf of the ignorant and misguided.

The issuing of simple booklets, prepared with great care to guide expectant mothers and those with children, is a step forward.

The financial support of our Home charities encountered very grave interruptions during the war, and *such* support does not return as needed and hoped for, now that the war is over.

All institutions are feeling this. The City philanthropies patiently stood aside during five years for the great needs of that period, and invaded their capital in order to "carry on" home work.

Even the "United Hospital Drive," conducted, as it was, in a thorough and intelligent manner, fell off one-third in the funds collected, from the amount of the previous year.

Those who look on, feel that the habit of giving with rare liberality to the aid of foreign needs and suffering—deserving as these needs have been—is the main cause of embarrassment to domestic charities.

Curtailement of our work will become necessary unless this situation changes—lowering of our standards cannot be permitted.

No effort of our Institution should receive more attention, at the present time, than that of finding the means to continue the work which is necessary in behalf of our own community.

EDWARD L. PARTRIDGE.

Report of the Executive Committee

To the President and Board of Directors:

The year ending September 30, 1920, has been a constant struggle to make our revenue meet our expenditures. While we have not been eminently successful, a comparison with the deficits of other hospitals shows that we have not been alone in our financial troubles, nor is the deficit as great in proportion as that of other institutions. We have again increased the price of our private rooms and with a tendency towards reduction in the price of home staples we feel that even without outside help the year 1921 will show a reduction of the working deficit. It will by no means be eliminated, however, and an increased revenue is imperative.

The purchase of 157 West 61st Street and its use as a dormitory for the maids has again brought all our people within the hospital grounds.

The greatest development in the work itself has been in the Pediatric service and in the Social Service work. The research laboratory established in 1919 is beginning to show important results and several papers have already been published.

Statistics are dry reading but the new figures in the table compiled last year by Mr. Adams are illuminating.

RECORD

	1919	1920
Different children treated.....	4,653	7,822
Total treatments, children.....	8,282	13,311
Different women treated.....	2,039	2,564
Total treatments, women.....	4,975	6,235
Women delivered in hospital.....	1,370	1,771
Women delivered outside of hospital.....	569	662
Nurses' and doctors' visits to tenements.....	5,934	7,844
Part Pay patients.....	320	526
Private patients.....	1,103	1,277
Social Service visits.....	4,363	6,221
Social Service cases.....	2,982	2,379

BOARDING-OUT DEPARTMENT

Total different children with foster mothers.....	961	823
Number of visits to children.....	10,810	8,818
Different children in hospital wards.....	910	441

As a scientific hospital we have taken distinct steps in advance and all who help meet our problems can be assured that the Hospital is one of the leaders in its special work in the City, if not in the country.

MOSES ELY,
Acting Chairman.

Report of the Finance and Auditing Committee

To the President and Board of Directors:

During the fiscal year that closed on September 30th, 1920, the Finance and Auditing Committee authorized the purchase, for investment, of the following bonds:

- \$10,000 Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe General 4s—1995.
- 10,000 Canada Southern Consolidated Guaranteed 5s—1962.
- 10,000 Central Pacific Refunding Guaranteed 4s—1949.
- 10,000 Chesapeake & Ohio First Consolidated 5s—1939.
- 10,000 Chicago & Northwestern General Mortgage 5s—1987.
- 10,000 New York Telephone First & General Mortgage $4\frac{1}{2}$ s—1939.
- 10,000 Pennsylvania Railroad General Mortgage 5s—1968.
- 10,000 Southern Pacific-Central Pacific Stock Collateral 4s—1949.
- 10,000 Southern Railway First Consolidated 5s—1994.
- 1,000 New York Central Mortgage $3\frac{1}{2}$ s—1997 (Permanent Endowment Fund)
- 300 U. S. Government Lib. Loan 3rd $4\frac{1}{4}$ s (Permanent Endowment Fund).
- 100 U. S. Government Victory Loan $4\frac{3}{4}$ s (Matthew B. DuBois Ward Tr. Fund)

To provide cash to meet current expenses, the sale of the following was authorized:

- \$10,000 Chicago & Northwestern General 5s—1987.
- 10,000 Baltimore & Ohio Convertible $4\frac{1}{2}$ s—1933.
- 1,000 Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul General $4\frac{1}{2}$ s—1989.

The Treasurer's accounts have been regularly audited each month by Messrs. John I. Cole, Son, & Co.

The list of our investments will be found with the Treasurer's report.

EDWARD H. PEASLEE, *Chairman.*



Report of Treasurer

To the President and Board of Directors:

In presenting for your examination the usual tables prepared to tell the financial story of the Hospital's fiscal year ended September 30th, 1920, it may not be inappropriate to single-out for special emphasis a few of the more important details.

During the year the Hospital received on account of legacies:

From the Estate of Josephine L. Peyton:

Cash	\$10,000.00
Mortgage (past due) bearing interest at 6% on premises No. 568-570 Prospect Avenue, Bronx.....	35,000.00
From the Estate of Mary J. Kingsland.....	50,000.00 ✓
From the Estate of James Rufus Smith.....	1,032.27
From the Estate of Augustus C. Brown.....	717.17 ✓

Our mortgages were reduced by payments on account of principal, as follows:

Robert Tag Mortgage.....	\$500
David Pollack Mortgages.....	500
F. W. Meyer Mortgage.....	500

We received from Mrs. Du Bois and Miss Du Bois for the Matthew B. Du Bois Ward Trust Fund on November 5th, 1919, U. S. Government Liberty Bonds of a market value of \$5,245.81, as follows:

\$1,000 Second 4s
2,000 Third 4¼s
2,000 Fourth 4¼s
500 Victory Loan 4¾s

and later in the year \$100 in cash.

The property No. 157 West 61st Street was bought for \$16,000, of which \$10,000 remains on mortgage at 4½% interest.

The following bonds were purchased during the year for the General Fund of the Hospital:

\$10,000 Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe General 4s—1995
10,000 Canada Southern Consolidated Guaranteed 5s—1962
10,000 Central Pacific Refunding Guaranteed 4s—1949
10,000 Chesapeake & Ohio First Consolidated 5s—1939
10,000 Chicago & Northwestern General Mortgage 5s—1987
10,000 New York Telephone First & General Mortgage 4½s—1939
10,000 Pennsylvania Railroad General Mortgage 5s—1968
10,000 Southern Pacific-Central Pacific Stock Collateral 4s—1949
10,000 Southern Railway First Consolidated 5s—1994

Of these, \$10,000 Chicago & Northwestern General 5s—1987 were subsequently sold at a loss of \$355. \$10,000 Baltimore & Ohio Convertible 4½s—1933 were also sold at a loss of \$743.75, and \$1,000 Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul General 4½s—1989 were sold at the inventory price.

We purchased for the permanent Endowment Fund,
\$1,000 New York Central & Hudson River Mortgage 3½s—1997
300 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 3d 4¼s—1928
and for the Matthew B. Du Bois Ward Trust Fund Account,
\$100 U. S. Government Victory Loan 4¾s—1923

The actual deficit for the year is \$126,921.06, which has been charged to Capital Account, but since this includes \$3,711.38, the amount required to take up the depreciation in market value of our securities, \$1,098.75 to cover the actual loss on bonds sold, and \$40,683.05 for reconstruction expenses, our operating deficit may be said to be \$81,427.88. It should be borne in mind, however, that the considerable sum spent for reconstruction in our old and new hospital buildings covers the expense of changes that are expected to result in permanently increasing our revenue. Nevertheless, our deficit, from whatever point of view it is considered, is alarmingly large and there can be no doubt that it presents a problem that calls for the careful consideration of every member of the Board.

Respectfully submitted,
C. BOUCHER, *Treasurer.*

Table I.

New York Nursery and Child's Hospital

Receipts and Disbursements of Cash

From Cash Book from October 1, 1919, to September 30, 1920.

CASH

Cash on hand and in banks, October 1, 1919..... \$99,044.96

RECEIPTS

Pay Patients Receipts	\$166,321.18	
Boarding Children Receipts	10,282.56	
Miscellaneous Revenue and Board for Special Nurses.....	21,299.53	
Medical Salaries for Special Nursing	58,526.25	
Donations	23,924.63	
Interest and Dividends	20,206.92	
Charity Ball	13,035.95	
United Hospital Fund	18,181.71	
Pharmacy Receipts	6,475.06	
City of New York	105,835.40	
Westchester County	1,120.87	
Suffolk County	242.02	
Nassau County	851.12	
Sullivan County	93.60	
Students Fees	360.00	
Annual Dues	370.00	
Associate Members Dues	540.00	
Rent	100.00	
House Expenses (Refunds).....	513.76	
Boarding Out Department (Refunds).....	223.02	
Social Service Fund	4,044.95	
Permanent Endowment Fund (Interest on Bank Balance)....	.61	
State Income Tax (a/c Salaries).....	12.00	
Robert Tag Mortgage on account of principal.....	500.00	
David Pollack Mortgages on account of principal.....	500.00	
Frederick W. Meyer Mortgage on account of principal.....	500.00	
Matthew B. DuBois Ward Trust Fund Account.....	100.00	
Matthew B. DuBois Ward Earning Account.....	466.90	
Estate of Mrs. William M. Kingsland.....	50,000.00	
Estate of Julia L. Peyton.....	10,000.00	
Estate of James Rufus Smith.....	1,032.27	
Estate of Augustus C. Brown.....	717.17	
U. S. Government Certificates of Indebtedness Due Decem- ber 15, 1919	35,000.00	
Sold, 1,000 Chicago, Milwaukee, & St. Paul General 4½s....	755.00	
Sold, 5,000 Baltimore & Ohio, Conv. 4½s.....	3,093.75	
Sold, 5,000 Baltimore & Ohio, Conv. 4½s.....	3,162.50	
Sold, 10,000 Chicago, North Western Gen'l 5s.....	9,487.50	\$567,876.23
		\$666,921.19

DISBURSEMENTS

Accounts Payable	\$503,949.29	
Refunds to Private Patients.....	3,485.76	
Medical Salaries for Special Nursing.....	58,077.38	
Miscellaneous Revenue (Refund)	15.00	
Exchange on Checks	10.45	
Interest Payable	570.00	
Suffolk County Check Returned.....	38.30	
Cash Payment Property, 157 West 61st Street.....	5,884.31	
State Income Tax (a/c Salaries).....	12.00	
Insurance, 1882—2nd Avenue	45.78	
(Pay Patient Receipts) checks returned by banks.....	275.85	
Bought \$10,000 N. Y. Telephone 4½s.....	8,787.50	
Bought \$10,000 Canada Southern 5s.....	9,012.50	
Bought \$10,000 Southern Railway 5s	8,947.50	
Bought \$10,000 Atchison Gen'l 4s	8,012.50	
Bought \$10,000 Southern Pacific, Central Pacific Col. 4s.....	7,337.50	
Bought \$10,000 Central Pacific Refunding 4s.....	7,812.50	
Bought \$10,000 Chesapeake & Ohio 1st. Cons. 5s.....	9,537.50	
Bought \$10,000 Chicago, North Western 5s.....	9,842.50	
Bought \$10,000 Pennsylvania Gen'l 5s.....	9,362.50	
Bought \$1,000 N. Y. Central 3½s (Permanent Endowment Fund)	651.25	
Bought \$300 3rd Liberty Loan 4¼s (Permanent Endowment Fund)	259.35	
Bought \$100 Victory Liberty Loan 4¾s (Du Bois Ward)....	95.71	
Accrued Interest on bonds purchased	1,293.18	\$653,316.11

CASH

Cash on hand, September 30, 1919, as follows:		
Central Union Trust Company Regular.....	11,492.39	
“ “ “ “ Permanent Endowment Fund.....	27.55	
“ “ “ “ Special Account	547.90	
Corn Exchange Bank, Regular Account.....	1,537.24	\$13,605.08
		\$666,921.19



Table II.

BALANCE SHEET—OCTOBER 1, 1919.

ASSETS	LIABILITIES
Land and Buildings.....	\$388,150.00
Bonds and Mortgages.....	170,778.30
Stocks and Bonds.....	83,801.38
Securities consisting of: Per- manent Endowment Fund, including \$437.54 of cash....	47,679.45
CURRENT ASSETS	
Due by City of New York....	18,512.57
Due by Rye Morley, Supt....	5,500.00
Due by Westchester County..	259.40
Due by Nassau County.....	196.48
Due by Suffolk County.....	73.23
Due by Sullivan County.....	59.80
Estate of Augusta C. Chapin.	1.00
Estate of Augustus C. Brown	1.00
Estate of Julia L. Peyton....	1.00
Estate of Benjamin Aymar Sands	1.00
Estate of Frederick Lawrence Upjohn	1.00
Estate of Mrs. Wm. M. Kings- land	1.00
Linsley Trust Fund	1.00
Medical Salaries	1,001.90
Cash	98,607.42
	\$814,626.93

BALANCE SHEET—OCTOBER 1, 1920.

ASSETS	LIABILITIES
Land and Buildings	\$426,608.91
Bonds and Mortgages	204,250.00
Stocks and Bonds	111,440.21
Securities consisting of Per- manent Endowment Fund, including \$27.55 of cash....	47,628.23
CURRENT ASSETS	
Due by City of New York...\$	16,577.51
Due by Westchester County .	794.43
Due by Nassau County	611.86
Due by Suffolk County	423.00
Due by Rye Morley Kinsey, Supt.	6,000.00
Estate of Augusta C. Chapin.	1.00
Linsley Trust Fund	1.00
Estate of Benjamin Aymar Sands	1.00
Estate of Frederick Lawrence Upjohn	1.00
Medical Salaries	553.03
Cash	13,577.53
	\$828,468.71
	Permanent Liabilities
Capital, October 1, 1919.....	\$678,994.99
Operating Loss	126,921.06
	\$552,073.93
Estate of Mrs. Wm. M. Kingsland	49,999.00
Estate of Augustus C. Brown.	716.17
Estate of Julia L. Peyton....	46,017.00
Estate of James Rufus Smith.	1,032.27
	\$649,838.37
Capital October 1, 1920.....	\$649,838.37
Endowed Beds	46,000.00
William H. Moller Mortgage.	10,000.00
Matthew B. Du Bois Ward Trust Fund Account.....	12,034.22
Matthew B. Du Bois Ward, Earning Account	449.64
Permanent Endowment Fund.	47,628.23
Current Liabilities	
Accounts Payable	49,491.00
Advance Payments by Pay Pa- tients	13,027.25
	\$828,468.71

Table III. Detail of Current Expenses

Items adjusted to the Fiscal Year, October 1, 1919, to September 30, 1920

OPERATING EXPENSES

Foodstuffs	\$ 88,678.14
Clothing, Boots and Shoes.....	2,148.35
Linen and Bedding.....	6,342.96
Fuel	18,471.36
Light	3,105.40
Telephone	1,745.62
Household Goods and Utensils.....	3,183.16
Engineer's Supplies.....	1,073.45
House and Machinery Repairs.....	41,900.88
Stationery and Printing.....	4,564.56
Salaries and Wages.....	85,086.80
Superintendent's Petty Cash.....	1,236.44
Miscellaneous Household Expenses.....	7,391.16
Hospital Bureau.....	550.00
Postage and Telegrams.....	417.29
Social Service Fund.....	7,697.31
Pharmacy Account.....	2,897.13
Pathological Laboratory.....	4,063.60
Furniture and Fixtures.....	8,875.57
Rent	300.00

RECONSTRUCTION

1st floor, New Building.....	908.00
159 West 61st Street.....	22,458.91
6th floor, Operating Room.....	1,944.50
Furnishings 5th and 6th floor, New Rooms and Nurses' Home.....	2,878.30
Quarantine	3,786.66
Pathological Laboratory.....	1,448.51
3rd floor, Nursery.....	1,242.40
10th floor, New Building.....	6,733.00
1st floor, Old Building.....	709.00
157 West 61st Street.....	1,333.50
2nd floor, New Building, Doctors' Quarters.....	4,249.00
5th and 6th floors, New Rooms.....	4,643.78
2nd floor, Old Building, Kitchen.....	5,748.40
9th floor, New Building.....	5,058.00

MEDICAL

Drugs and Medical Supplies.....	20,943.70
Surgical Instruments and Repairs.....	629.87
Medical Salaries.....	26,723.39

GENERAL EXPENSES

Treasurer's Office Salaries.....	11,530.10
Audit	300.00
Publicity	2,585.54
General Miscellaneous Expenses.....	6,487.36

OUTDOOR DEPARTMENT

Medical Salaries.....	6,922.72
Postage and Stationery.....	65.25
Breast Milk and Nurses' Carfares.....	2,056.37

BOARDING-OUT DEPARTMENT

Boarding-Out Payroll.....	64,256.77
Supervisor, Nurses and Clerical Salaries.....	10,046.01
Foster Mothers' Miscellaneous Expenses.....	1,153.46
Doctors' Bills.....	144.00
Clothing, Boots and Shoes.....	16,439.75
Postage and Telegrams.....	85.50
Stationery and Printing.....	30.43
Miscellaneous Expenses.....	329.42
Visiting Nurses' Carfares	664.59

93,149.93

Table IV. Securities

		Book Value Oct. 1, 1919.		Book Value Oct. 1, 1920.	Inventory Loss
\$16,000	Mobile & Ohio Railroad Gen'l 4s.....	(55) \$8,800.00		(55) \$8,800.00	.....
15,000	Baltimore & Ohio, Conv. 4½s	(70) 10,500.00		(69½) 10,425.00	\$75.00
15,000	Southern Ry. Mobile & Ohio 4s	(59) 8,850.00		(59) 8,850.00	.....
5,000	N. Y. Telephone 4½s...	(88¾) 4,418.75	}	(77¾) 7,725.00	1,062.50
5,000	N. Y. Telephone 4½s...	(87¾) 4,368.75			
10,000	Canada Southern 5s...	(90) 9,012.50		(87) 8,700.00	312.50
6,000	South. Ry., 1st Cons. 5s.	(89¼) 5,362.50	}	(86½) 8,650.00	297.50
4,000	South. Ry., 1st Cons. 5s.	(89½) 3,585.00			
10,000	Atchison Gen'l 4s.....	(80) 8,012.50		(77½) 7,750.00	262.50
10,000	South. Pac., Cent'l Pac., Col. 4s	(73¾) 7,337.50		(70¾) 7,062.50	275.00
10,000	Central Pacific Ref. 4s.	(78) 7,812.50		(73¾) 7,375.00	437.50
10,000	Chesapeake & Ohio, 1st Cons. 5s	(95¼) 9,537.50		(91½) 9,150.00	387.50
10,000	Pennsylvania Gen'l 5s...	(93½) 9,362.50		(89½) 8,950.00	412.50
35,000	U. S. Certificates of In- debtedness	(100) 35,000.00		.....	.....
75	shares, Chi., Mil. & St. Paul pfd.	(63¾) 4,753.13		(61½) 4,612.50	140.63
12	shares, Chi., Mil. & St. Paul com.	(42½) 510.00		(40¼) 483.00	27.00
5	shares, Union Pac. pfd.	(69½) 347.50		(65¼) 326.25	21.25
5	shares, National Bank of Commerce	(164) 820.00		(164) 820.00	.....

Permanent Endowment Fund

		Book Value Oct. 1, 1919.		Book Value Oct. 1, 1920.	Inventory Loss
\$3,000	N. Y. Cent'l 1st Ref. 3½s	(70) \$2,100.00		(68¾) \$2,058.75	41.25
1,000	N. Y. Cent'l 1st Ref. 3½s	(65) 651.25		(65) 651.25	.....
100	4th Lib. Loan Bond 4¼s.	(94.28) 94.28		(87.02) 87.02	7.26
50	3d Lib. Loan Bond 4¼s.	(47.62) 47.62		(44.30) 44.30	3.32
300	3d Lib. Loan Bond 4¼s.	(86.20) 259.35		(86.20) 259.35	.....

Matthew B. Du Bois Ward Trust Fund

\$5,000	Pennsylvania Gen'l 5s...	(91¼) \$4,562.50		(91¼) \$4,562.50	.....
4,000	3d Lib. Loan Bond 4¼s.	(95.10) 3,806.85		(95.10) 3,806.85	.....
1,000	2d Lib. Loan Bond 4¼s.	930.80		930.80	.....
2,000	4th Lib. Loan Bond 4¼s.	1,868.00		1,868.00	.....
500	Vic. Lib. Loan Bond 4¾s	497.10		497.10	.....
100	Vic. Lib. Loan Bond 4¾s (94.96)	95.71		(94.96) 95.71	.....

STOCKS AND BONDS SOLD DURING THE FISCAL YEAR

October 1, 1919, to September 30, 1920

			Loss
\$1,000 Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Gen'l 4½s—			
Value, Oct. 1, 1919.....	(75½)	\$755.00	
Sold Feb. 5, 1920.....	(75½)	755.00	
\$10,000 Baltimore & Ohio Conv. 4½s—			
Value Oct. 1, 1919.....	(70)	\$7,000.00	
Sold \$5,000, Feb. 24, 1920.....	\$3,093.75 (62)		
Sold \$5,000, Feb. 24, 1920.....	3,162.50 (63¾)		
		6,256.25	
			\$743.75
\$10,000 Chicago Northwestern Gen'l 5s—			
Value when purchased.....		\$9,842.50	
Sold Feb. 25, 1920.....	(95)	9,487.50	
			\$355.00

BONDS AND MORTGAGES

Mt. Vernon Mortgage 5½%	\$80,000.00
F. W. Meyer Mortgage 5%	20,500.00
Rose Levere Mortgage 5%	10,000.00
John Connors Mortgage 5%	14,000.00
Robert Tag Mortgage 5%	22,750.00
Edwin V. Hellawell Mortgage 6%	22,000.00
Werner Mortgage 6%	35,000.00
	\$204,250.00

REAL ESTATE

61st Street land and buildings.....	\$165,067.63
Staten Island Place.....	40,900.50
New Building, 45 Amsterdam Avenue.....	127,936.65
159 West 61st Street.....	76,704.13
157 West 61st Street.....	16,000.00
	\$426,608.91

PERMANENT ENDOWMENT FUND

David Pollack Mortgage.....	\$ 14,166.69
David Pollack Mortgage.....	15,166.66
David Pollack Mortgage.....	15,166.66
3d Liberty Loan Bonds 4¼s.....	303.65
4th Liberty Loan Bond 4¼s.....	87.02
New York Central Ref. 3½s.....	2,710.00
Central Union Trust Company, on deposit.....	27.55
	\$47,628.23

Table V.

Century Fund Donations

October 1, 1919, to September 30, 1920

The Century Fund was organized by Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee in 1917, its object being to procure subscriptions of \$100 toward the maintenance of the Hospital. Subscribers to the Fund are considered to be Associate Members.

The following were members of this Fund during the present fiscal year:

Daniel C. Adams, Esq. \$ 100.00	Mrs. Helen Hartley Jenkins.... 100.00
An Ex-Patron, through Mrs. F. S. Witherbee..... 100.00	Mrs. Charles Duncan Miller.... 100.00
Mrs. Edward J. Berwind..... 100.00	Edward L. Partridge, M. D.... 100.00
Mrs. John M. Bowers..... 100.00	William Rhinelanders Stewart, Esq. 100.00
Stephen Baker, Esq..... 100.00	Lispensard Stewart, Esq..... 100.00
Edward J. Berwind, Esq..... 100.00	Mrs. James M. Varnum..... 100.00
The Bachelors, through Wm. R. Stewart, Jr..... 100.00	Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee..... 100.00
Mrs. Charles D. Dickey..... 100.00	
Mrs. James W. Gerard..... 100.00	\$1,600.00

Donations of Money Received by Treasurer

October 1, 1919, to September 30th, 1920

Daniel C. Adams, Esq. (towards x-ray) \$ 1,000.00	Miss Jean C. Bradley..... \$15.00
E. S. Avery, Esq..... 25.00	Mrs. John M. Bowers (Century Fund) 100.00
Daniel C. Adams, Esq. (Century Fund)..... 100.00	Stephen Baker, Esq. (Century Fund) 100.00
A Friend (through Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee) (Century Fund) 100.00	G. T. Bonner, Esq..... 10.00
Mrs. D. F. Appleton..... 5.00	Mrs. A. B. Berwanger..... 25.00
Anonymous 1.00	E. Percy Bramwell, Esq..... 3.00
A Lieutenant, U. S. N..... 15.00	Miss Harriet C. Boettner..... 2.00
Mrs. William M. Bowes..... 40.00	Mrs. Simon Bachmann..... 2.00
Miss Mary V. Bement (through D. C. Adams, Esq.)..... 25.00	Mrs. William H. Birchall..... 10.00
Brez Foundation (Jules Racine, Treasurer) 2,000.00	Arthur Bruckman, Esq..... 5.00
Borgfeldt & Co..... 25.00	Burton Braley, Esq..... 2.50
Mrs. Edward J. Berwind (Century Fund) 100.00	Mrs. F. M. Bacon..... 10.00
Mrs. C. A. Baynon..... 5.00	Mrs. C. A. Baynon..... 5.00
	Edward J. Berwind, Esq. (Century Fund)..... 100.00
	Mrs. B. G. Brooks..... 25.00
	Mr. and Mrs. S. Hinman Bird. 10.00

Miss Harriet T. Bryce.....	\$10.00	Mrs. James J. Goodwin.....	\$25.00
Mrs. Rex Beach.....	10.00	Mrs. James W. Gerard (Century Fund).....	100.00
Mrs. E. L. Bondy.....	1.00	Miss Helen Gilmore.....	5.00
Henry N. Brinsmade, Esq.....	10.00	Edwin Goodwin, Esq.....	5.00
Bachelors, The (through W. R. Stewart, Jr.) (Century Fund)	100.00	August Gebhardt, Esq.....	10.00
Mrs. H. Barry.....	5.00	Master Larner Montgomery Gambrell.....	2.00
Mrs. E. M. Breslin.....	4.00	Mrs. E. B. Gardner.....	25.00
Mrs. F. T. Busk.....	5.00	Mrs. J. P. Guepin.....	2.00
Mrs. Carnegie.....	100.00	Mrs. R. H. Goffe.....	1.00
Mrs. Samuel John Clarke.....	25.00	Mrs. Bancroft Gerardi.....	5.00
Mrs. F. Kingsbury Curtis.....	10.00	Robert L. Gerry, Esq., Resident Physician.....	1,500.00
Mrs. William Nelson Cromwell	25.00	Social Service Worker.....	1,800.00
T. Caylus, Esq.....	2.00	Mrs. Robert L. Gerry (for Elizabeth Denyer).....	225.97
Miss Esther L. Coffin.....	5.00	Miss Jane Hall.....	5.00
Mrs. S. T. Cannon.....	10.00	Mrs. Clarence M. Hyde.....	25.00
Miss Sylvia Cohen.....	18.00	Miss Jane Hall.....	5.00
Mrs. George V. Coc.....	15.00	Mrs. George S. Hastings.....	10.00
Mrs. George N. Clausen.....	5.00	Mrs. Julia Heiden.....	10.00
Cornell University (salaries for Drs. Bakwin and Muller)	1,496.29	E. Hollard, Esq.....	1.00
Cornell University (toward x-ray)	2,000.00	Mrs. E. O. Holter.....	10.00
Mrs. Charles D. Dickey (Century Fund).....	100.00	A. Hagen, Esq.....	10.00
Mrs. Eugene Du Bois.....	100.00	Mrs. R. Howes.....	5.00
Mrs. F. E. Donaldson.....	5.00	Mrs. James B. Haggin.....	50.00
Fellows Davis, Jr., M. D.....	10.00	George Garr Henry, Jr., Esq... ..	5.00
Mrs. M. L. Delafield.....	5.00	Mrs. E. deP. Hosmer.....	5.00
Mrs. F. G. Dow.....	25.00	John M. Haffen, Esq.....	50.00
Mrs. Ruger Donoho.....	5.00	Mrs. Helen Hartley Jenkins (Century Fund).....	100.00
Miss Katherine Du Bois.....	200.00	Frederic Jellinghaus, Esq.....	25.00
Miss Amy Crawford Doherty..	3.00	F. Coit Johnson, Esq.....	25.00
Miss Elsie Earle.....	2.00	H. LeRoy Jones, Esq.....	5.00
Mrs. Lydia F. Emmet.....	10.00	Merrill Judis, Esq.....	1.00
Mrs. J. M. Eder.....	2.00	G. C. Jemisp, Esq.....	1.00
Miss Florence S. Esberg.....	10.00	M. Crouse Klock, Esq. (through D. C. Adams, Esq.).....	250.00
Mrs. Max Eisman.....	5.00	Miss Ellen King.....	10.00
Mrs. Walter Emmerich.....	10.00	Mrs. Charles Knox (for Nutrition Class).....	100.00
Mrs. Harris Fahnestock.....	25.00	Mrs. Herbert D. Kingsbury... ..	50.00
Lynn L. Fulkerson, M. D.....	15.00	Mrs. Otto L. Koscherak.....	15.00
From a Friend (toward Piano)	100.00	Mr. and Mrs. Walter Graham Ladd.....	200.00
K. T. Frederick, Esq.....	10.00	Mrs. Albert M. Lee.....	3.00
Lenore and Sam Fry, Jr.....	3.00	Mrs. Albert M. Lee (in Memory of a Friend, Jacob Heiden).....	5.00
Mrs. William Fox (through Federation for Support Jewish Philanthropic Societies)....	20.00	M. Henry Lambert, Esq.....	5.00
Eugene G. Foster, Esq. (towards x-ray).....	1,000.00	Mrs. William H. Lefferts....	10.00
From a Friend (towards x-ray)	1,000.00	Mrs. Henry M. Leiford.....	5.00
Eugene G. Foster, Esq.....	5.00	J. Mortimer Lichtenauer, Esq..	2.00
From a Patient of Dr. Painter	100.00	Mrs. I. Ferris Lockwood.....	5.00
Mrs. Harry Harkness Flagler	25.00		
Miss Aline S. Frank.....	5.00		
From a Patient.....	2.00		

Charles Linchitz, Esq.....	\$5.00	Alexander V. Roe, Esq.....	\$10.00
Mr. and Mrs. Albert M. Lee (In Memory of Susan L. Ernst)	5.00	Miss Claire O. Rosenthal.....	1.00
Mrs. Bradley Martin.....	25.00	Mrs. F. L. Rodewald.....	5.00
Mansfield Merriman, Esq.....	10.00	O. L. Richard, Esq.....	10.00
Messrs. Dunlevy and Jeremiah Milbank (Ice Cream for Thanksgiving)	10.00	Mrs. Carrie A. Remick.....	10.00
Mrs. Frank H. Maynard.....	250.00	Miss Anna J. Rothschild.....	5.00
Frank H. Maynard, Esq.....	250.00	George Emlen Roosevelt, Esq..	25.00
Mrs. Alfred Graham Miles....	100.00	Mrs. O. C. Reynolds.....	5.00
Dunlevy Milbank, Esq.....	100.00	Mrs. C. A. Rapallo.....	5.00
Jeremiah Milbank, Esq.....	100.00	Mrs. W. E. Ruprecht.....	3.00
Morton H. Meinhard, Esq. (through Federation for Sup- port Jewish Philanthropic So- cieties)	10.00	James Rowland, Esq.....	5.00
Mrs. John Markoe.....	10.00	Lispensard Stewart, Esq. (Cen- tury Fund)	100.00
Stephen C. Millett, Esq.....	100.00	William R. Stewart, Esq. (Cen- tury Fund)	100.00
D. A. McKinley, Esq.....	10.00	St. Christopher League.....	1,000.00
Mrs. Emma C. Millett.....	25.00	Mrs. May Riley Smith.....	3.00
Miss Jeannie Moore.....	10.00	Roslee B. Steinfeld, Esq.....	5.00
Mrs. L. H. Monks.....	5.00	Lispensard Stewart, Esq.....	100.00
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Medical Report

October 1st, 1919 to September 30th, 1920

Pediatric Service Admissions	
Boarding-Out Department.....	321
House Cases.....	921
Total	1,242

Pediatric Diseases	
Circulatory System.....	27
Blood System.....	21
Lymphatic System.....	19
Digestive System.....	128
Nutritional Diseases.....	360
Miscellaneous System.....	3
Respiratory System.....	623
Nervous System.....	79
Diseases of New Born.....	119
Genito-Urinary System.....	88
Diseases of the Skin.....	139
Infectious Diseases.....	52
Syphilis	112
Tuberculosis	78
Organs of Locomotion—Skull and Spine	11
General Injuries.....	1
Ear	150
Eye	23
Well Children.....	132
Total	2,156

Indoor Obstetrics	
Total number delivered.....	1,771
Male	925
Female	846
Delivered by Visiting Physicians (Private)	857
Delivered by Resident Physician (Private)	340
Delivered by House Staff.....	526

Presentations	
Vertex	1,653
Breech	95
Face	8
Transverse	6
Shoulder	1
Precipitates	2
Operative Deliveries	
Forceps Delivery—Low	234
Medium	136
High	17
Version	31
Episiotomy	67
Manual Delivery Placenta.....	2
Manual Dilatation of Cervix.....	19
Induction of Labor.....	31
Abdominal Cesarean Section.....	31
Vaginal Cesarean.....	6

Craniotomy	1
Vaginal Hysterotomy.....	1
Accidental Hemorrhage.....	1
Toxemia—Mild	5
Severe	4

Complications	
Twins	18
Post Partum Hemorrhage.....	2
Placenta Previa.....	6
Deformed Pelvis.....	7
Cardiac	2
Syphilis	8
Tamponage of Uterus.....	7
Prolapse Cord.....	7
Polyhydramnios	6
Premature Still Births.....	34
Still Births at Term.....	29
Retained Placenta.....	2
Spina Bifida.....	1
Hemacephalic	1
Abscess Breast.....	5
Mastitis Breast.....	1
Manual Dilatation Placenta.....	2
Eclampsia	5

Outdoor Obstetrics	
Total number delivered.....	663

Presentations	
Vertex	589
Breech	20
Face	2

Application of Forceps	
Low	2
Medium	5
High	3
Version	5
Precipitates	67

Complications	
Post Partum Hemorrhage.....	4
Prolapse Cord.....	2
Premature Still Births.....	34
Still Births at Term.....	29
Toxemia	1
Post Partum Eclamptic.....	1
Dilatation and Curettage.....	1
Hydatidiform Male.....	1
Monstrosity	1

Visits to Tenements	
Doctors	1,145
Students	2,490
White Nurses.....	3,090
Colored Nurses.....	1,248
Total	7,973

Visits to Clinic

Applications for delivery.....	1,464
Gynecological clinic.....	1,051

Children's Clinic..... 10,005

Total 12,520

Surgical Operations

Trachelorrhaphy	13
Perineorrhaphy	17
Right Salpingo-Oophorectomy ...	10
Left Salpingo-Oophorectomy.....	7
Left Salpingectomy	1
Right Salpingectomy.....	1
Right Oophorectomy.....	6
Left Oophorectomy.....	4
Double Salpingectomy.....	1
Supra Vaginal Hysterectomy.....	18
Complete Hysterectomy.....	2
Abdominal Cesarean Section.....	31
Vaginal Cesarean Section.....	6
Dilatation and Curettage.....	94
Dudley Operation	1
Baldy Webster Suspension.....	4
Sacral Suspension	4
Gilliam Suspension of Uterus.....	10
Montgomery Simpson Suspension of Uterus	2
Ventral Suspension	3
Appendectomy	24
Sterilization	1
Amputation of Cervix and Per- ineorrhaphy	1
Repair of Vesico Vaginal Fistula.	1
High Vaginal Fixation.....	1
Resection of Right Ovary.....	1
Therapeutic Abortion	4
Dilatation of Cervix and Ventral Fixation	1
Multiple Myomectomy and Ventral Fixation	1
Hemorrhoidectomy	2
Removal of Intra Uterine Polyp.	1
Excision of Cyst of Neck.....	1
Dilatation of Cervix	1
Incision and Drainage, Breast Ab- scess	5
Myomectomy	1
Stem Pessary	3
Amputation of Cervix	2
Removal of Ovarian Cyst.....	2
Shortening of Round Ligament...	1
Vaginal Hysterectomy	1
Removal of Cervical Tumor.....	1
Removal of Cervical Gland.....	1

Deaths

Still Births	76
Sudden Death following T. and A. Operation	1
Prematurity	55
Acute Intestinal Intoxication.....	14

Pemphigus Neonatorum	1
Atelectasis	5
Hemorrhagic Disease of New Born	4
Cirrhosis of Liver and General Septicemia	1
Furunculosis with Cellulitis of Scalp	1
Broncho Pneumonia	44
Cerebral Hemorrhage	11
Cerebral Spinal Meningitis.....	3
Omphalitis with Peritonitis and Septicemia	1
Hemorrhage — Version — Breech Extraction for Central Placenta Previa—Puerperal Infection ...	1
General Miliary Tuberculosis, Broncho Pneumonia	1
Lobar Pneumonia	6
Acute Miliary Tuberculosis with Tuberculous Meningitis	1
Impetigo—General Septicemia ...	1
Nasal Pharyngitis, Acute Mas- toiditis and Cellulitis of Scalp...	1
Malnutrition and Inanition.....	1
Chronic Intestinal Intoxication...	2
Broncho Pneumonia and Car- cinoma of Liver	1
Acute Peritonitis	2
Ileo Colitis—Impetigo Contagiosa	1
Brain Tumor, Complicating Preg- nancy	1
Cervical Adenitis and Malnutri- tion	1
Aspiration Pneumonia and Prema- turity and Inanition	1
Status Lymphaticus	2
Septicemia and General Peritonitis	1
Acute Gastritis	1
Lobar Pneumonia—Toxemia of Pregnancy—Cesarean Section ..	1
Streptococcic Meningitis	2
Gastro Enteritis	29
Spina Bifida	1
Tuberculous Meningitis	3
Otitis Media--Status Lymphaticus	1
Asphyxia and Atelectasis.....	1
Acute Nephritis	3
Ileo Colitis	5
Streptococcus Meningitis	1
Septicemia from Infected Um- bilical Cord	1
Chronic Hydrocephalus and Bron- cho Pneumonia	1
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	3
General Miliary Tuberculosis....	4

Acute Meningitis	3	Anacephalic Monster	1
Acute Bilateral Lymphadinitis		Acute Cardiac Dilatation	1
Streptococcus	1	Asphyxia — Breech Extraction,	
Chronic Hydrocephalus	3	Prolapse Cord	1
Post Partum Hemorrhage—Long		Cleft Palate, Hair Lip	1
Labor—High Forceps	1	Eclampsia	5
Malnutrition — Patent Foramen		Asphyxia	2
Ovale	1	Acute Cardiac Failure — Long	
Acute Peritonitis, Ruptured—		Labor—Low Forceps.....	1
Acute Appendicitis	2	Diabetis—Mellitus	1
Icterus Neonatorum	1	General Furunculosis and Em-	
Multiple Neuritis, Post Diph-		pyema	1
theretic	1	Multiple Abscess of Both Lungs..	1
Furunculosis—Streptococcus Men-		Cellulitis of Back following Rat	
ingitis	1	Bite	1
Fibroid Uteri, Supra Vaginal		Extreme Infected Jaundice	1
Hysterectomy	1	Acute Lymphatic Lukemia	2



Report of House Committee

The chief interest of the House Committee this past year has been in the development of the Social Service work which has been so ably conducted by Miss Smith, and a very efficient department has been built up which is shown by the Social Service report here attached. The St. Christopher's League contributed generously in supplying material which several members of the House Committee made up into layettes for the Social Service department and three of the workers have been supported by the members of the committee which shows the great interest the House Committee has taken in this work. And we are indebted to kind contributors, especially to several through Miss Smith, for their generous financial assistance towards the Relief Fund of this service.

At all times, on visiting the hospital, the members have found it in such excellent order that there has been little to suggest, and always a word of praise has been expressed for the wonderful way in which Mrs Kinsey directs and supervises everything in the hospital.

I wish to emphasize, as always, the need of books and magazines; also any donations of clothing, rugs, toys and furniture will be greatly appreciated.

CORNELIA H. GERRY, *Chairman.*

Social Service Department

ANNUAL REPORT

Total number of workers' visits.....	6221
Total number of cases.....	2379

In submitting the figures representing the number of cases under the observation of the Social Service Department during the year, one wishes they might speak, as it is difficult to tabulate the actual detailed work accomplished.

Beginning the first of April it was decided to confine our Prenatal Work strictly to our district (which is from Twenty-third to One Hundred and Fourth Street, West of Fifth Avenue) in order to give more thorough instructive care and supervision, and more finished Post Partum follow-up care. The district has been divided into three sub-districts and a worker (who is a trained nurse) assigned to each sub-district. Every patient upon applying for registration is interviewed in the department and if admitted to the service for care is subsequently visited the following week by the nurse in her district who becomes her confidant, instructor, adviser and helper until the case is closed.

During the year 1,344 mothers came under our Prenatal supervision, 1,143 of these became Post Partum for follow-up care in the interest of mother and baby. Forty-nine children were placed for temporary shelter during the mothers' illness; 127 presented social complications for adjustment; 91 were referred to relief organizations and institutions or hospitals for medical, surgical and dental care; and 40 were unmarried mothers with resulting problems.

We have been greatly assisted in this work by the helpful co-operation of the nurses of the Association for Improving Conditions of the Poor, who are doing intensive work in five blocks of the colored district, between 59th and 65th Street; the Maternity Center, who visit our out of the district cases; the Babies' Welfare Association, who assist us in finding temporary shelter for our babies and report the registration of those referred to Milk and Health Stations; N. Y. Diet Kitchen; also the relief organizations in our district and the Paulist Fathers' Association.

The need for more assistance in the instructive home care and follow-up work among the children of our Pediatric Clinic becomes greater every day. Aside from the large number of clinic cases and discharged hospital cases (which include little prematures and babies for special feeding care) a vast amount of research and constructive work is being done. There are classes for children suffering from malnutrition, heart conditions, asthma, eczema, luetics, and sixty of our babies are being followed up in the study of the Thymus Gland which is being made by means of the X-ray. We have only one worker in this field who has had the assistance from time to time of volunteer workers for short periods. Needless to say the work is much handicapped and we are looking forward to the time when we may have another permanent worker added, as you can readily see how greatly she is needed.

During the year 69 mothers and 146 children were sent to the country; 97 mothers and their children were given boat trips; 22 babies were placed in foster homes through the Boarding-Out Department; 4 babies were placed for adoption; 42 families were given material relief; 13 families medical, surgical and dental treatment; 530 quarts of milk were supplied to families needing extra nourishment; positions secured for 30 self-supporting mothers and 10 fathers.

In closing may we express our appreciation of the interest and co-operation of the House Committee, Superintendent and Hospital Staff, and acknowledge the following donations of clothing and gifts received in the office.

Report of the Charity Ball

Our Ball "came back" in all its glory and shone with a brilliancy not in evidence for many years. The Army and Navy were well represented, and we could once more deal in superlatives and say, "among those present" were younger people, smarter people and more representative people. The music was splendid, the entire floor of the Waldorf was comfortably filled, and as they say in the country, "All reported the best time ever."

Mrs. Charles B. Alexander, as President of the Ball, showed her executive ability in the selection of her Vice-Presidents and Ball Committee, and by giving a dinner for the Governor (who at the last moment was not able to attend owing to illness), and in many ways adding to the success of the Ball.

Mr. Lawrence S. Butler acted as Chairman of the Floor Committee, and introduced more youth and more "pep" and more life into this already vital adjunct of the Ball.

Mrs. Robert L. Gerry kindly acted as Secretary, and filled the breach made at the last moment by the resignation of Miss Lena R. Curtis.

The services of Miss Florence V. Doane, as Executive Secretary, were a much needed acquisition this year, as patron lists were revised and the names of many new patrons were added. Much work was done to modernize pre-war methods.

As the result of our united efforts, after all expenses of the Ball were met, \$13,035.95 was turned over to the Hospital as the proceeds of the Charity Ball, an increase of \$2,433.64 over the Ball of 1919.

MRS. FRANK S. WITHERBEE, *Treasurer.*



Report of the Lenten Sewing Class, 1920

The Sewing Class met this year at the residences of:

Mrs. Robert L. Gerry
Mrs. Hamilton Fish
Mrs. Lawrence L. Gillespie
Mrs. Simeon B. Chapin
Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee

We had on our list the names of 128 contributors, an increase of 45 from 1919, four members also sent two contributions, and Mr. Boucher donated \$10.

45 active members gave.....	\$220
65 contributing members gave.....	325
18 contributors gave donations for linen.....	} 305
4 gave twice	
1 Mr. Boucher	
133	\$850

The class developed considerably this year in every way. Not only was more money received, but we had an average attendance of twenty-six at each meeting. Last year we had eighteen.

The members of the class made..... 980 garments
The House of Industry made..... 367 garments
The House of Industry made
without charge 505 garments
and patterns 6

making a total of.....1,858 garments
176 more than last year.

And so the linen shelves at the Hospital were for a time replenished.

MRS. FRANK S. WITHERBEE, *Treasurer.*

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

RECEIPTS:	EXPENDITURES:
Balance from 1919	Dutton—Printing 500 invitations
45 active members dues.....	and envelopes, 500 slips about
65 contributing members dues...	linen and receipt book.....
18 donations to linen fund.....	\$ 41.50
4 gave twice	Clafin's, 2,278 yards material
1 donation from Mr. Boucher }	and buttons
} 305.00	619.83
	Mary McCormick, for six weeks'
	work on press notices
	25.00
	N. Y. House and School of In-
	dustry:
	Cutting out 980 garments... 55.30
	Cutting out 878 garments... 42.99
	Cotton tape, buttons, spools 17.40
	Making 367 garments..... 13.24
	\$815.28
	Balance to 1921
	282.25
133	\$1,097.51
\$1,097.51	\$1,097.51

Sewing Articles Donated

January 1st, 1920 to January 1st 1921

Bronx Sewing Committee
All Angels Church
St. Georges Society

Calvary Parish House (Benevolent Society)
St. Thomas House

N. Y. House & School of Industry, through Mrs. Witherbee and Lenten Sewing class have sent 1552 garments to the Hospital during the year 1920.

BOARDING-OUT DEPARTMENT

Church of the Incarnation
Harlem District Charity Society

Organization

Chapel of the Incarnation
Ladies Benevolent Society of St. Marks Church

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Donations in Kind

February 1st, 1920 to February 1st, 1921

Feb. 10	Miss Ruth Anson	Scrap-books
Feb. 10	Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee	9 knitted caps
Feb. 26	Mrs. N. Baudourne	2 doz. knitted caps
Mar. 9	Mrs. F. Ashton de Peyster	1 layette
Mar. 9	Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee	4 knitted caps, 5 knitted scarfs
Mar. 15	Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee	Books for the bookcases on the private floors
Mar. 22	Mrs. F. L. Rodewald	9 knitted caps
Mar. 22	Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee	Magazines and books
Mar. 22	Miss Ruth Anson and friends	Scrap-books
Apr. 2	Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee	
..A great many Easter plants for the wards and the Hospital		
Apr. 5	Mrs. May Riley Smith	Box of Easter favors for the children
Apr. 5	Ethical Culture Society	Potted plants for wards
Apr. 6	Miss Dora Crimmins	Scrap-book
Apr. 6	Pinneo School for Boys	Check for \$6.50
Apr. 7	Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee	73 baby dresses
Apr. 14	Mrs. Edward Stevens	Package of baby clothes and toys
Apr. 21	Miss Sylvia Strong	Large box of toys
Apr. 21	Miss Emily Woelder	Wicker wheel-chair
May 1	Mrs. Herbert Strauss	Toys and magazines
May 3	Miss Marion Whitman	Flowers
May 3	All Angels Church	90 baby's bibs
May 10	One of the Directors	Piano for the Interne Staff
May 12	Mrs. Allen C. Bakewell	Baby clothes
May 14	Miss Maude Wallace	\$50 Donation to be used for Clinic
May 18	Mrs. Benjamin C. Porter	12 woolen baby caps
May 18	Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee	Booklet (given to the Social Service Department)
May 24	Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee	2 books
May 24	Mrs. R. L. Gerry	Large donation of toys
May 27	Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee	10 chairs
May 28	Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Phipps	Large bunch of lilacs
May 28	Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee	14 books for patients; 2 dolls
June 1	Miss Bellaire	Flowers and books
June 2	Mrs. George M. Wilde	Lilacs
June 5	Mrs. E. H. Peaslee	Lounge for Maid's Home
June 6	Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee	13 books; patients tables
June 8	Miss Marion S. Witman	Flowers
June 8	Mrs. S. B. Chapin	
Clothes for Social Service Department (dresses, hats, etc.)		
June 15	Mrs. Frederic A. de Peyster	Several large pieces of furniture
June 17	Mrs. H. Phipps	Peonies
June 17	Foster and Adams	Peonies
June 17	Radius High School Club	Wash cloths for babies
June 19	Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee	10 toys
June 22	Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee	10 toys
June 25	Mrs. Stephen Clark	2 Boston ferns—for roof
July 2	Mrs. Carlton	
Bed, mattress, toys, child's chair, small folding table—for Social Service Department		
July 8	Mrs. W. H. Birchall	Children's books
July 26	Mrs. Justine B. Koscherak	\$15 for Annual Birthday Party on Roof
Aug. 31	Miss Alice A. D. De Lamar	Flowers
Sept. 14	Mrs. H. W. Alexander	Children's Books
Oct. 5	Mrs. Thomas Velie	Books for children
Oct. 19	Mr. M. S. Sloan	Doll house equipped with electricity
Dec. 10	Mrs. Rodman Wanamaker	Box of toys, Xmas tree, 30 sets collars and cuffs

Dec. 13	Simon Ascher & Co. (through Mrs. Grumbach)	Knitted goods
Dec. 14	Mrs. I. D. Levy	Box of toys
Dec. 15	Mrs. O. Bronson	70 Religious calendars
Dec. 16	Mrs. Rodman Wanamaker	Toys for Xmas tree
Dec. 17	Mrs. Alida Armstrong Krebs	2 caps for babies
Dec. 17	Mrs. O. C. Reynolds	1 box of candy; 1 box of toys
Dec. 17	Mrs. James P. Burrell	Crocheted balls and picture cards
Dec. 17	Mrs. Albert R. Ledoux	Doll-house and books
Dec. 18	Mrs. Levy	Books
Dec. 18	Mrs. Schuyler Greene	Clothes and toys
Dec. 18	Mrs. A. C. Allison	Clothes and toys
Dec. 18	Mrs. L. L. Richards	Toys
Dec. 19	Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee	Books for patients
Dec. 21	Mrs. Rex Beach	Toys
Dec. 21	Red Cross Surgical Supplies Aux.	14 dolls
Dec. 23	Mrs. Albert M. Lee	Toys
Dec. 24	Mrs. William R. Sidenberg	Books
Dec. 24	Mrs. Walter Graeme Ladd	105 knitted caps
Dec. 24	Mrs. Arvid	Dolls
Dec. 24	Mrs. F. E. Donaldson	Toys
Dec. 24	Franklin Simon Co.	Large box of stationery
Dec. 24	Miss Matton	Holly wreaths and roping
Dec. 24	Mr. A. M. Tibben (Geo. Borgfelt & Co.)	Toys
Dec. 26	Mr. Charles S. Presbrey	Toys
Dec. 29	Mrs. C. L. Bonham	Books
Jan. 13	Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee	Invalid chair
Jan. 17	Mr. Meyer Engel	2 doz. baby dresses
Jan. 18	Mrs. Frederic A. de Peyster	Magazines
Jan. 19	Mr. Meyer Engel	2 doz. dresses for children



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In memory of Dr. Matthew B. Du Bois.

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MRS. GUY FAIRFAX WHITING,
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I give and bequeath to the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital (a New York Corporation) the sum of

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\$350 will support a Bed for one year
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In Memory of

MRS. EDWARD J. BERWIND

"Mrs. Edward J. Berwind came on the Board of our old Nursery and Child's Hospital in 1888, at which time she first came to reside in New York from Philadelphia, and she has remained with us always until now, at her death.

"She filled the arduous office of Treasurer of the Charity Ball fourteen years, 1897 to 1910 inclusive, was its President in 1917 and was Honorary Vice-President of our Consolidated Institution since 1910.

"All of her service on the Board, or on Committees or in office was clear-headed, painstaking and efficient.

"In her relations with her associates she was always cordial, considerate and gentle, giving due value to their opinions and loyally sustaining and furthering the decisions of the majority.

"Her nature was such as to invite confidence and affection. She herself had the gift of loving and the allied gift of tenderness. No trouble, anxiety or pain of her own caused her to forget her friends or her love for them or check the outflow of tender personal expressions. Though possessed of large wealth and social prominence, those possessions did not form for her her standard of human excellence.

"Although of a distinctive individuality and of a determined character in essential things, she was unassuming in all of her ways, and her gentleness increased the influence of her loving attitude towards life—and what is our great beneficent Institution founded on, if not on Love?

"Without children of her own, her heart, instead of shrinking, expanded so as to embrace all children in its warmth and its desire to protect.

"And so we say farewell to the bodily co-operation of our dear associate, but the memory of her loving nature will abide with us always."

(From the minutes of a meeting of the Board of Directors of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital.)

Report of the President

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE CORPORATION OF THE NEW YORK NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL:



HE reports of the Treasurer, of the Executive Committee, and of various Sub-Committees, which will follow, will bring before you the present aspect of our conditions and of our work so clearly that I commend them for study, without duplication on my part.

Today we sadly have the *memory*, only, with us of Mrs. Edward J. Berwind, after many years of devoted friendship and service in the work of our Hospital. Elsewhere will be found an expression of our regard.

From our Medical Board we lose, by resignation, the secretarial services of Doctor Rowland G. Freeman, which have been disinterested and valuable.

Never has the prospective advantage of our "House Committee" appeared brighter, nor its members more in earnest.

A notable example of thoughtful generosity was exhibited by Mrs. W. Thorn Kissel, who made herself personally responsible for a matinee at the Metropolitan Opera House, which realized, after much effort upon her part, the sum of \$2,000 to the Hospital's advantage.

The coming year, 1923, may be termed our "Centennial Year,"—as the "New York Asylum for Lying-in Women," constituting for some years past a most important, integral part of our Institution, began in 1823 its beneficent work of Obstetrical care of poor New York women in their homes.

Obstetrical hospitals did not exist 100 years ago, and unskilled service of friends and neighbors led to grave results among poor women. Our Hospital predecessors districted the City, and arranged for the care of these women by selected physicians and nurses of that period, without expense to the patients.

EDWARD L. PARTRIDGE.



SUNSHINE WARD
HERE UNDER THE HEALTHY INFLUENCE OF FRESH AIR AND SUNLIGHT, LITTLE WHITE FACED, ANEMIC
PATIENTS BLOSSOM INTO ROSY, HEALTHY BABIES

Report of the Executive Committee

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:



AT THE close of our last fiscal year the Executive Committee and all others interested in the Hospital were greatly concerned over finances. The high cost of all hospital supplies in addition to the increased cost of the ordinary necessities of life had produced a deficit which was most alarming. The financial crisis was complicated by the fact that at no time had the services that the Hospital was rendering to those appealing to it for aid been at a higher level. To diagnose the emergency, a Special Committee consisting of Messrs. Munroe, chairman, Moore, Boucher, Blagden and Roosevelt, was appointed to investigate and report within 30 days on a plan to bring the work of the Hospital within its income. This Committee interviewed the officers of the corporation, the superintendent and members of the Executive Committee, and in December, 1920, it reported recommending: (1) that no work be curtailed; (2) that the supervision of the Hospital work proper be separated from the strictly business part of the organization; (3) that a business director be appointed, and (4) that the Directors begin a determined campaign to raise money for annual expenses and for capital to replace at least the inroads made in recent years.

Following these recommendations Mr. John R. Howard, Jr., was appointed business manager on March 1, 1921. Thanks to strict economy and to the reduction of the price of all supplies, the deficit at the close of this fiscal year is materially smaller than last year, but there is still a deficit to vex us. The fourth recommendation still remains to be acted upon.

Various special gifts are acknowledged with the grateful thanks of the Committee. Mrs. Stephen Clark has contributed \$3,500 towards the completion of the new clinic building. Mr. Thorn Kissel and Mr. Gustav Pagenstecher have each contributed \$1,200 towards the salaries of two nurses to accompany and assist medical students at births in the Outdoor Obstetric Department. The presence of these nurses is a most efficient check on possible laxness or carelessness on the part of students sent to tenement homes at all hours of the day, and is besides of material aid to the mother and the family.

During the summer Dr. Oscar M. Schloss presented his resignation as Attending Physician and Director of the Pediatric service, explaining that he had accepted the professorship of Pediatrics at Harvard University. It was with the greatest regret that his resignation was accepted. The enthusiasm which his presence and learning had aroused among his associates and assistants made his leaving hard to face, but the organization he built up and the esprit de corps he inspired have been well maintained.

The year closed with the resignation of Mrs. Kinsey, our superintendent for the past seven years. Under her skilful and self-denying administration we have seen our work expand and grow both in volume and in value to the community.

As this report is read the new clinic is in operation and the relief from the crowded conditions on the ground floor is most welcome. Plans are under way to turn over part of the added space to the Social Service Department, and it may be possible to move the X-ray apparatus into the main building.

In looking forward the Committee feels that some changes are necessary to make the machinery of management less cumbersome, nor must it be lost sight of for a moment that there is still a deficit to be met.

MOSES ELY,
Chairman of the Executive Committee.



Report of Finance and Auditing Committee

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS :

DURING the fiscal year ended September 30th, 1921, the Finance and Auditing Committee, in order to provide funds to meet the current expenses of the Hospital, authorized the sale of \$30,000, par value of bonds, but later in the year we were able to make purchases aggregating \$95,000, par value of bonds, not including \$600 Fourth Liberty Loan 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ s bought for the Permanent Endowment Fund. Details of these transactions are set forth in the Treasurer's report, where there will also be found a list of our investments.

The Treasurer's accounts have been regularly audited each month by Messrs. John I. Cole, Son & Co.

EDW. H. PEASLEE,
Chairman.



Report of the Treasurer

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:



TO CORRECTLY appreciate the Hospital's financial progress during the fiscal year ended September 30th, 1921, it seems necessary to look back to the previous year long enough to note that the result was then an operating deficit of \$81,427.88.

This year our actual deficit is \$13,928.29, which has been charged to Capital Account. By allowing for depreciation in securities owned, of \$2,283.65, not including \$48.75 charged to Permanent Endowment Fund, the amount is reduced to \$11,644.64, which may be said to be our operating deficit.

This striking improvement is due partly to favorable conditions that have enabled us to reduce our operating costs; partly to increased efficiency of our management; and partly to the larger earnings resulting from the extensive reconstruction work done last year in our old and new hospital buildings.

The usual tables are presented herewith and a careful study of them is urged upon members of the Board for a thorough understanding of the details of our financial problem. It seems fitting, nevertheless, to call attention to certain items in the year's chronicle that are of special interest.

During the year the Hospital received on account of legacies:

From the Estate of Charles E. Rhinelanders.....	\$1,000.00
From the Estate of William Henry.....	100.00
From Guaranty Trust Company, as Trustee, in settlement of our interest in the Estate of Augustus C. Brown.....	655.78

Our mortgages, held for investment, were reduced by payments on account of principal, as follows:

Robert Tag Mortgage.....	\$500
David Pollack Mortgages.....	500
F. W. Meyer Mortgage.....	500

The Mount Vernon mortgage of \$80,000 was paid off, and we lifted the mortgage of \$10,000 that had remained on the property, No. 157 West 61st Street, since we bought it last year.

During the year, the following bonds were sold:

\$10,000 Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe General 4s, 1995.....	at a loss of \$133.75
10,000 Chesapeake & Ohio First Consolidated Mortgage 5s, 1939.....	
.....	at a profit of 120.00
\$10,000 Southern Pacific-Central Pacific Collateral 4s, 1949.....	at a loss of 165.00

The following bonds were purchased for the General Fund of the Hospital:

\$10,000 Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe General 4s, 1995	
10,000 Chesapeake & Ohio First Consolidated Mortgage 5s, 1939	
10,000 Great Northern Railway Company 7s, 1936	
10,000 Northern Pacific-Great Northern Joint 6½s, 1936	
10,000 Pennsylvania Railroad Company 15-Year 6½s, 1936	
10,000 Southern Pacific-Central Pacific Collateral 4s, 1949	
25,000 United States Government 6% Certificates of Indebtedness, 1921	
10,000 United States Government Liberty Loan Fourth 4¼s, 1938	

For the Permanent Endowment Fund we bought:

\$600 United States Government Liberty Loan Fourth 4¼s, 1938

We negotiated the sale of a parcel constituting about one-third of our Staten Island property, for which we received in cash \$6,036, and a Purchase Money mortgage for \$23,000, bearing interest at the rate of 3 per cent. for the first three years, and 6 per cent. thereafter.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES BOUCHER,
Treasurer.



Table I.

Receipts and Disbursements

From Cash Book from October 1, 1920, to September 30, 1921.

Cash on hand and in banks, October 1, 1920..... \$13,605.08

RECEIPTS

Pay Patients.....	\$214,885.10
Boarding Children	16,329.51
Board for Special Nurses.....	32,012.57
Miscellaneous Revenue.....	5,182.14
Medical Salaries for Special Nursing.....	81,144.50
Pharmacy	10,323.98
X-Ray	293.75
Donations	21,952.65
Donations—Clinic Building Fund.....	5,930.00
Interest and Dividends.....	20,104.29
*Charity Ball.....	10,742.01
United Hospital Fund.....	13,710.96
City of New York.....	100,718.76
Westchester County.....	1,738.33
Nassau County.....	1,499.12
Suffolk County.....	781.20
Dutchess County.....	196.64
Social Service Fund.....	4,870.00
Students' Fees.....	881.25
Annual Dues.....	330.00
Associate Members' Dues.....	490.00
House Expenses (Refunds).....	714.90
Boarding Out Department (Refunds).....	439.74
Outdoor Department (Refunds).....	6.03
Permanent Endowment Fund (Interest on Bank Balance)....	2.13
Matthew B. Du Bois Ward Earning Account.....	665.40
Staten Island Property (Sale of Property).....	6,286.00
Robert Tag Mortgage on account of Principal.....	500.00
David Pollack Mortgages on account of Principal.....	500.00
Frederick W. Meyer Mortgage on account of Principal.....	500.00
Mt. Vernon Mortgage, Principal.....	80,000.00
Estate of Augustus C. Brown.....	655.78

*The \$450. additional received by Mrs. Witherbee, as Treasurer of the Charity Ball, too late to be included in this fiscal year, brought the proceeds of the Ball up to \$11,192.01.

Estate of Charles E. Rhinelande.....	1,000.00	
Estate of William Henry.....	100.00	
Sold \$4,000 Chesapeake & Ohio Cons. 5s.....	3,714.00	
Sold \$6,000 Chesapeake & Ohio Cons. 5s.....	5,556.00	
Sold \$5,000 Atchison Gen'l 4s.....	3,811.25	
Sold \$5,000 Atchison Gen'l 4s.....	3,805.00	
Sold \$10,000 Southern Pacific, Central Pacific, Col. 4s.....	6,897.50	\$659,270.49

\$672,875.57

DISBURSEMENTS

Accounts Payable.....	\$472,936.35
Refunds to Private Patients.....	5,118.20
Medical Salaries for Special Nursing.....	83,650.15
Exchange on Checks.....	6.10
Interest Payable.....	540.84
William H. Moller Mortgage.....	10,000.00
Satisfaction Piece in connection with payment of Moller Mortgage	14.50
Expenses in connection with sale of Staten Island Property...	1,987.73
Receiver of Taxes, 157 West 61st Street.....	171.23
Mt. Vernon Mortgage, refund of overpayment.....	156.11
(Pay Patient Receipts) Checks returned by Banks.....	548.78
Clinic Building Fund.....	5,872.10
Bought \$10,000 Atchison Gen'l 4s.....	7,415.00
Bought \$2,000 Chesapeake & Ohio Cons. 5s.....	1,803.00
Bought \$2,000 Chesapeake & Ohio Cons. 5s.....	1,823.00
Bought \$2,000 Chesapeake & Ohio Cons. 5s.....	1,823.00
Bought \$2,000 Chesapeake & Ohio Cons. 5s.....	1,805.50
Bought \$2,000 Chesapeake & Ohio Cons. 5s.....	1,813.00
Bought \$10,000 Southern Pacific, Central Pacific, Col. 4s.....	6,840.00
Bought \$10,000 Northern Pacific, Great Northern 6½s.....	9,665.00
Bought \$10,000 Great Northern Railway 7s.....	9,665.00
Bought \$7,000 Pennsylvania 6½s.....	7,001.75
Bought \$3,000 Pennsylvania 6½s.....	3,000.75
Bought \$25,000 U. S. Government Certificates of Indebtedness.	25,000.00
Bought \$10,000, 4th Liberty Loan Bonds 4¼s.....	8,828.25
Bought \$600, 4th Liberty Loan Bonds 4¼s (Permanent En- dowment Fund)	521.66
Accrued interest on bonds purchased.....	358.75

\$668,365.75

CASH

Cash on hand September 30, 1921, as follows:

Central Union Trust Company, Regular.....	3,193.21	
Central Union Trust Company, Special.....	1,088.30	
Central Union Trust Company, Permanent Endowment Fund.	8.02	
Corn Exchange Bank, Regular Account.....	220.29	4,509.82

\$672,875.57

Table II.

Balance Sheet—October 1, 1920

ASSETS	LIABILITIES
Land and Buildings.....\$426,608.91	Capital, October 1, 1919.....\$678,994.99
Bonds and Mortgages..... 204,250.00	Permanent Liabilities
Stocks and Bonds..... 111,440.21	Operating Loss 126,921.06
Securities constituting Perma- nent Endowment Fund, in- cluding \$27.55 in cash..... 47,628.23	<u>\$552,073.93</u>
CURRENT ASSETS	Estate of Mrs. Wm. M. Kings- land 49,999.00
Due by City of New York.... \$16,577.51	Estate of Augustus C. Brown. 716.17
Due by Westchester County.. 794.43	Estate of Josephine L. Peyton. 46,017.00
Due by Nassau County..... 611.86	Estate of James Rufus Smith 1,032.27
Due by Suffolk County..... 423.00	Capital, October 1, 1920.....\$649,838.37
Due by Rye Morley Kinsey. Supt. 6,000.00	Endowed Beds 46,000.00
Estate of Augusta C. Chapin. 1.00	William H. Moller Mortgage. 10,000.00
Linsley Trust Fund..... 1.00	Matthew B. Du Bois Ward Trust Fund 12,034.22
Estate of Benjamin Aymar Sands 1.00	Matthew B. Du Bois Ward Earning Account 449.64
Estate of Frederick Lawrence Upjohn 1.00	Permanent Endowment Fund. 47,628.23
Medical Salaries 553.03	Current Liabilities
Cash 13,577.53	Accounts Payable 49,491.00
<u>\$828,468.71</u>	Advance Payments by Pay Patients 13,027.25
	<u>\$828,468.71</u>

Table II.

Balance Sheet—October 1, 1921

ASSETS	LIABILITIES
Land and Building	Capital, October 1, 1920
\$398,682.14	\$649,838.37
Bonds and Mortgages	Permanent Liabilities
146,250.00	Operating Loss
Stocks and Bonds	13,928.29
Securities constituting Perma- nent Endowment Fund, in- cluding \$8.02 in cash	\$635,910.08
47,581.61	Estate of Augustus C. Brown
CURRENT ASSETS	655.78
Due by City of New York	Estate of William Henry
17,792.00	100.00
Due by Westchester County	Estate of Charles E. Rhine- lander
373.51	1,000.00
Due by Nassau County	Capital, October 1, 1921
590.13	\$637,665.86
Due by Suffolk County	Endowed Beds
298.60	46,000.00
Due by Dutchess County	Matthew B. Du Bois Ward Trust Fund
148.49	12,034.22
Due by Rye Morley Kinsey, Supt.	Permanent Endowment Fund
6,000.00	47,581.61
Estate of Augusta C. Chapin	Current Liabilities
1.00	Refunds
Linsley Trust Fund	284.19
1.00	Accounts Payable
Estate of Benjamin Aymar Sands	30,941.80
1.00	Advance Payments by Pay Patients
Estate of Frederick Lawrence Upjohn	21,835.60
1.00	
Medical Salaries	
2,443.69	
Cash	
4,501.80	
\$796,343.28	\$796,343.28

Table III.

Detail of Usual Receipts and Expenses

Applicable to the Fiscal Year, October 1, 1920 to September 30, 1921.

Receipts

Pay Patients	\$215,872.35	
City of New York	101,933.25	
Interest and Dividends	20,693.37	
Special Nurses' Board	32,012.57	
Miscellaneous Revenue	5,413.64	
Charity Ball	10,742.01	
Pharmacy	10,323.98	
United Hospital Fund	13,710.96	
Donations	21,985.55	
County Charges	3,796.73	
Students' Fees	881.25	
Social Service Fund	4,930.00	
Annual Dues	330.00	
Associate Members Dues	490.00	
House Expense (Refunds)	715.90	
Boarding-Out Department (Refunds)	439.74	
Outdoor Department (Refunds)	6.03	
		\$444,277.33

Operating Expenses

Foodstuffs	\$85,024.07
Clothing, Boots and Shoes	1,286.65
Linen and Bedding	5,278.75
Fuel	21,000.26
Light	2,848.36
Telephone	2,926.91
Household Goods and Utensils	1,753.87
Engineer's Supplies	1,236.39
House and Machinery Repairs	25,674.92
Stationery and Printing	4,036.59
Salaries and Wages	90,825.34
Superintendent's Petty Cash	1,496.83
Miscellaneous Household Expenses	7,155.29
Hospital Bureau	600.00
Pathological Laboratory	7,762.38
Postage and Telegrams	365.26
Social Service Fund	11,648.73

Pharmacy Account	\$2,794.49
Furniture and Fixtures	2,853.07

Medical

Drugs and Medical Supplies	15,611.61
Wines, Liquors and Prepared Food	102.60
Surgical Instruments and Supplies	1,351.52
Salaries	37,725.66

General Expenses

Treasurer's Office Salaries	11,500.30
Administration Payroll	9,586.57
Audit	300.00
Publicity	2,403.78
General Miscellaneous Expenses	5,526.46

Outdoor Department

Medical Salaries	9,404.51
Postage and Stationery	30.00
Breast Milk and Carfare	1,931.80

Boarding-Out Department

Boarding-Out Payroll	61,980.50
Supervisor, Nurses and Clerical Salaries.....	8,985.00
Foster Mother's Miscellaneous Expenses	1,118.86
Doctor's Bills	119.40
Clothing, Boots and Shoes	11,074.80
Postage and Telegrams	75.00
Stationery and Printing	12.00
Miscellaneous Expenses	58.26
Visiting Nurses' Carfares	455.18
	<u>43,778.94</u>

\$455,921.97

Excess of Expenditures Over Receipts, Deficit.....	<u>\$11,644.64</u>
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Table IV.

Securities

		Book Value Oct. 1, 1920		Book Value Oct. 1, 1921	Inventory Loss
\$16,000	Mobile & Ohio Gen'l 4s.....	(55) \$8,800.00		(55) \$8,800.00	.....
15,000	Baltimore & Ohio, Conv. 4½s. (69½)	10,425.00	(69½)	10,425.00	.....
15,000	South. Ry., Mobile & Ohio 4s. (59)	8,850.00	(59)	8,850.00	.....
10,000	Canada Southern 5s.....	(87) 8,700.00	(87)	8,700.00	.....
10,000	South. Ry., 1st Cons. 5s.....	(86½) 8,650.00	(86)	8,600.00	\$50.00
10,000	N. Y. Telephone 4½s.....	(77¼) 7,725.00	(77¼)	7,725.00	.....
10,000	Central Pacific Ref. 4s.....	(73¾) 7,375.00	(73¾)	7,375.00	.....
10,000	Pennsylvania Gen'l 5s.....	(89½) 8,950.00	(88)	8,800.00	150.00
	5 shares Nat'l Bank of Commerce (164)	820.00	(164)	820.00	.....
	5 shares Union Pacific, pfd.....	(65¼) 326.25	(65¼)	326.25	.....
	12 shares Chi., Mil. & St. P., com. (40¼)	483.00	(25½)	306.00	177.00
	75 shares Chi., Mil. & St. P., pfd.. (61½)	4,612.50	(40)	3,000.00	1,612.50

SECURITIES PURCHASED DURING THE YEAR

\$10,000	Atchison Gen'l 4s, Bought Dec. 11, 1920, @.....	(74) \$7,415.00	(74)	\$7,415.00	.....
2,000	Chesapeake & Ohio, 1st Cons. 5s, Bought Dec. 11, 1920, @.....	(90) 1,803.00	(90)	1,803.00	.....
4,000	Chesapeake & Ohio, 1st Cons. 5s, Bought Dec. 11, 1920, @.....	(91) 3,646.00	(91)	3,646.00	.....
10,000	Southern Pacific, Central Pacific, Col. 4s, Bought Dec. 15, 1920, @.....	(68¼) 6,840.00	(68¼)	6,840.00	.....
25,000	U. S. Certificates of Indebtedness, Bought Dec. 15, 1920, @.....	(100) 25,000.00	(100)	25,000.00	.....
2,000	Chesapeake & Ohio, 1st Cons. 5s, Bought Dec. 15, 1920, @.....	(90⅞) 1,805.50	(90⅞)	1,805.50	.....
2,000	Chesapeake & Ohio, 1st Cons. 5s, Bought Dec. 16, 1920, @.....	(90½) 1,813.00	(90½)	1,813.00	.....
10,000	4th Liberty Loan Bonds, 4¼s, Bought Jan. 5, 1921, @.....	(88.22) 8,828.25	(88.22)	8,828.25	.....
10,000	Pennsylvania 6½s, Bought Mar. 14, 1921, @.....	(99⅞) 10,002.50	(99⅞)	10,002.50	.....
10,000	Great Northern Ry. 7s, Bought June 2, 1921, @.....	(96½) 9,665.00	(96½)	9,665.00	.....
10,000	Northern Pacific, Great Northern 6½s, Bought June 6, 1921, @.....	(96½) 9,665.00	(96½)	9,665.00	.....

Permanent Endowment Fund

\$3,000 N. Y. Central 1st Ref. 3½..... (68⅞)	\$2,058.75	(67)	\$2,010.00	\$48.75
1,000 N. Y. Central 1st Ref. 3½.... (65)	651.25	(65)	651.25	.....
50 3rd Liberty Loan Bond 4¼s..(44.30)	44.30	(44.30)	44.30	.....
300 3rd Liberty Loan Bond 4¼s..(86.20)	259.35	(86.20)	259.35	.....
100 4th Liberty Loan Bond 4¼s..(87.02)	87.02	(87.02)	87.02	.....

Securities Purchased During the Year

\$600 4th Liberty Loan Bond 4¼s, Bought Mar. 31, 1921, @... (86.86)	\$521.66	(86.86)	\$521.66
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Matthew B. Du Bois Ward Trust Fund

\$5,000 Pennsylvania 5s..... (91¼)	\$4,562.50	(88)	\$4,400.00	\$162.50
4,000 3rd Liberty Loan Bond 4¼s..(95.10)	3,806.85	(93.90)	3,756.00	50.85
1,000 2nd Liberty Loan Bond 4¼s..	930.80	(90.20)	902.00	28.80
2,000 4th Liberty Loan Bond 4¼s..	1,868.00	(90.80)	1,816.00	52.00
500 Victory Liberty Loan Bond 4¾s	497.10	.....	497.10	.....
100 Victory Liberty Loan Bond 4¾s(94.96)	95.71	(94.96)	95.71	.....

BONDS AND MORTGAGES

John Connors Mortgage 5%.....	\$14,000.00
Frederick W. Meyer Mortgage 5%.....	20,000.00
Rose Levere Mortgage 5½%.....	10,000.00
Barnett Wilensky Mortgage 3%.....	23,000.00
Robert Tag Mortgage 5%.....	22,250.00
Edwin V. Hellawell Mortgage 6%.....	22,000.00
Werner Mortgage 6%.....	35,000.00
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	\$146,250.00

REAL ESTATE

61st Street Land and Buildings.....	\$165,067.63
New Building, 45 Amsterdam Avenue.....	127,936.65
159 West 61st Street.....	76,704.13
157 West 61st Street.....	16,000.00
Staten Island Place.....	12,973.73
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	\$398,682.14

PERMANENT ENDOWMENT FUND

David Pollack Mortgage.....	\$14,999.99
David Pollack Mortgage.....	14,999.99
David Pollack Mortgage.....	14,000.03
\$4,000 N. Y. Central 1st Ref. 3½s.....	2,661.25
700 4th Liberty Loan Bonds.....	608.68
350 3rd Liberty Loan Bonds.....	303.65
Central Union Trust Company, Cash.....	8.02
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	\$47,581.61



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Table V.

Century Fund

The Century Fund was organized by Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee in 1917, its object being to procure subscriptions of \$100 for the benefit of the Hospital. Subscribers to the Fund are considered to be Associate Members.

The following were members of this Fund during the present fiscal year:

A Friend, through Mrs. F. S. Witherbee	\$100.00	Mrs. James Watson Gerard.....	100.00
Daniel C. Adams, Esq.....	100.00	Elbridge T. Gerry, Esq.....	100.00
An Ex-Patron, through Mrs. F. S. Witherbee.....	100.00	Mrs. E. Henry Harriman.....	100.00
Stephen Baker, Esq.....	100.00	Mrs. C. Oliver Iselin.....	100.00
Mrs. Edward J. Berwind.....	100.00	Mrs. Helen Hartley Jenkins.....	100.00
Charles Boucher, Esq.....	100.00	Edward de P. Livingston, Esq...	100.00
Mrs. John M. Bowers.....	100.00	Mrs. Charles Duncan Miller....	100.00
The Bachelors, through Wm. R. Stewart, Jr., Esq.....	100.00	Dr. Edward L. Partridge.....	100.00
Mr. Gherardi Davis, in memory of his wife, Alice Davis...	100.00	William Rhinelander Stewart, Esq.	100.00
Mrs. Charles D. Dickey.....	100.00	Lispenard Stewart, Esq.....	100.00
Mrs. Frederick A. de Peyster..	100.00	Mrs. Algernon Sydney Sullivan.	100.00
Eugene G. Foster, Esq.....	100.00	Mrs. James M. Varnum.....	100.00
		Mr. Horace S. Wilkinson.\$50.00	
		Mrs. Horace S. Wilkinson 50.00	100.00
		Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee.....	100.00



Donations of Money Received by Treasurer

October 1, 1920, to September 1921

Daniel C. Adams, Esq. (Century Fund).....	\$100.00	Miss Elsie Earle.....	2.00
A Friend (through Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee (Century Fund).....	100.00	Mrs. Lydia F. Emmett.....	5.00
Grace R. Alland (Clinic Building Fund).....	5.00	Florence Sutro Esberg (Clinic Building Fund).....	20.00
Lucile M. Andrews (Clinic Building Fund).....	25.00	Mrs. Harris Fahnstock.....	25.00
Mrs. M. V. Arguelles.....	3.00	Mrs. Harry Harkness Flagler..	25.00
Stephen Baker, Esq. (Century Fund).....	100.00	Eugene G. Foster, Esq. (Century Fund).....	100.00
Elsie E. Bernheim (Clinic Building Fund).....	10.00	Bertha Fox (Clinic Building Fund).....	10.00
*Mrs. Edward J. Berwind....	50.00	Mrs. William Fox (through Federation for Support of Jewish Philanthropic Societies).....	10.00
*Mrs. Edward J. Berwind (Century Fund).....	100.00	Aline S. Frank.....	10.00
George Borgfeldt & Company.	25.00	Mrs. Walter Geer.....	25.00
Mrs. A. N. Bowes.....	10.00	Mrs. James W. Gerard (Century Fund).....	100.00
Mrs. John M. Bowers (Century Fund).....	100.00	Elbridge T. Gerry, Esq. (Century Fund).....	100.00
Charles Boucher, Esq. (Century Fund).....	100.00	Robert L. Gerry, Esq. (Salaries Social Service Worker and Resident Physician).....	2,750.00
Miss Evelyn M. Breslin.....	4.00	Mrs. Robert L. Gerry (for Elizabeth Denyer).....	450.00
Mrs. Carnegie.....	100.00	Mrs. James J. Goodwin.....	25.00
Mrs. Stephen C. Clark (Clinic Building Fund).....	3,500.00	Mrs. James B. Haggin.....	20.00
Mrs. J. J. Clark.....	25.00	Jane Hall.....	10.00
Harriet J. Cooper.....	5.00	Mrs. E. Henry Harriman.....	100.00
Cornell University (Salaries for Drs. Bakwin & Denzer).....	2,255.56	Mrs. E. H. Harriman (Century Fund).....	100.00
Mr. Gherardi Davis (Century Fund), in memory of his wife, Alice Davis.....	100.00	Mrs. E. H. Harriman (Clinic Building Fund).....	500.00
Mrs. Frederick A. de Peyster (Century Fund).....	100.00	Catherine L. Harris (Clinic Building Fund).....	500.00
Mrs. Charles D. Dickey (Century Fund).....	100.00	Oscar E. Herrnstadt, Esq....	10.00
Mrs. F. G. Dow.....	25.00	Hess & Hess (Clinic Building Fund).....	25.00
Mrs. S. Droste.....	10.00	Gerla V. Hirschland (Clinic Building Fund).....	100.00
Miss Katherine Du Bois (through Dr. Partridge).	5,000.00	Edward Hatch, Jr. (Boarding-Out Dept.).....	2,500.00
		Mrs. C. Oliver Iselin (Century Fund).....	100.00

* Deceased.

G. G. Iselin, Esq. (Clinic Building Fund).....	100.00	Mrs. Edmonds Putney.....	15.00
Mrs. C. T. Jellinghaus.....	5.00	Mrs. M. Taylor Pyne.....	25.00
Mrs. Helen Hartley Jenkins (Century Fund).....	100.00	William J. Riker, Esq.....	10.00
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Graeme Ladd	200.00	H. Pendleton Rogers, Esq.....	100.00
Mrs. F. Levi (Clinic Building Fund)	5.00	Ella D. Rose (Clinic Building Fund)	20.00
Mrs. Samuel Lewisohn (Clinic Building Fund).....	20.00	Roy Rosenthal, Esq.....	10.00
Mrs. Francis Lissberger.....	10.00	Mrs. Jacob Samuels.....	5.00
Edward de P. Livingston, Esq. (Century Fund).....	100.00	Mrs. H. E. Sawyer.....	3.00
Mrs. Dorothy Mayer.....	10.00	Vera Sinclair (through Dr. Davis) (Clinic Building Fund)	500.00
Morton H. Meinhard, Esq. (through Federation for support of Jewish Philanthropic Societies).....	10.00	St. Christopher League.....	1,000.00
Otto Meyer, Esq. (Clinic Building Fund).....	50.00	Theodore Stanfield, Esq. (for Premature Babies).....	100.00
Dunlevy Milbank, Esq.....	100.00	S. S. Steiner, Esq.....	5.00
Jeremiah Milbank, Esq.....	100.00	S. S. Steiner, Esq. (Clinic Building Fund).....	10.00
Elsa S. Milinis (Clinic Building Fund).....	25.00	Lispenard Stewart, Esq. (Century Fund).....	100.00
Mrs. Charles Duncan Miller (Century Fund).....	100.00	William Rhinelandier Stewart, Esq. (Century Fund).....	100.00
Mrs. E. C. Millett.....	25.00	Mrs. Algernon Sydney Sullivan (Century Fund).....	100.00
Miss Mary G. Millett.....	200.00	Miss M. Louise Sullivan.....	10.00
Stephen C. Millett, Esq.....	50.00	The Brez Foundation (through Jules Racine, Esq.).....	2,000.00
Mr. and Mrs. Stephen C. Millett	50.00	The Bachelors (Century Fund) (through Wm. R. Stewart, Jr.)	100.00
E. M. O'Neill, Esq.....	100.00	The Bachelors (Century Fund) (through Wm. R. Stewart, Jr.)	100.00
Mrs. Jesse Oppenheim.....	2.00	Mrs. James M. Varnum (Century Fund).....	100.00
Mrs. William Church Osborn..	25.00	Mrs. F. S. Von Stade.....	10.00
Gustav Pagenstecher, Esq. (Clinic Building Fund)....	500.00	Mrs. Harry Wassall.....	5.00
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Christmas Donations, 1921

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		Total Christmas Donations.....	\$1,093.10

Donations in Kind

February 1st, 1921, to February 1st, 1922

Feb. 3	Mrs. Chas. P. Tolman.....	Toys
Feb. 3	Miss Frances S. Hoppin.....	2,000 pamphlets "Advice to Expectant Mothers" "Advice to Mothers with Young Babies"
Feb. 18	Mrs. William H. Birchall.....	2 sweaters for children and scrap-book
Mar. 2	Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee.....	Complete set of Dickens' books (20)
Mar. 10	Mrs. McBurney.....	Baby clothes
Mar. 26	Miss Harriet Carter.....	4 dozen toy ducks for children
Apr. 6	Mr. R. H. Carleton, Jr.....	Books for children
Apr. 11	Antoine Chiris Co.....	Boxes of toys made by wounded French soldiers in Paris during war
Apr. 12	Garden Florist.....	2 boxes of flowers for the children
Apr. 25	Mr. C. D. Huyler.....	150 chocolate Easter eggs
Apr. 29	Mrs. Lyman Rhoades.....	Boxes of children's clothing and toys
Apr. 29	Mrs. W. C. Becker.....	Books for children
May 16	Mrs. A. Gallatin.....	Books
May 20	Miss Marguerite Post.....	Large donation of books
May 21	Miss Harriet D. Carter.....	Quilt
May 25	Mrs. S. B. Chapin.....	Clothing for Social Service Department
May 25	Miss Matton.....	Large box of roses
May 25	Mrs. L. L. Richards.....	Books and blackboard
June 1	Mrs. A. Gallatin.....	Large donation of books
June 4	Mary and Patricia McKay.....	Box of toys

Donations in Kind (Continued)

June 14	Mrs. Jenny.....	Toys for Social Service Dept. and magazines
June 21	Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee.....	Books and magazines for private floors
July 13	Mrs. Roth	Magazines
Aug. 11	Mrs. E. H. Peaslee.....	Flowers
Aug. 17	Mrs. W. J. Lippincott.....	Baby carriage
Aug. 27	Mrs. Henry Phipps.....	Flowers
Sept. 10	American Red Cross (through Mrs. Chas. Mickle)....	Linen scrap-books
Sept. 29	Mrs. Lyman Rhoades.....	Pictures
Oct. 3	Mrs. W. J. Rosen.....	3 baby carriages
Oct. 11	Mrs. F. H. Geer.....	Box of toys
Oct. 13	Mrs. Wm. R. Sidenberg.....	Boys' books
Nov. 1	Mrs. E. B. Knowlton.....	Crib and mattress, given to Social Service Dept.
Nov. 22	Mrs. Matthew B. Du Bois.....	\$25 for favors for Nurses' Thanksgiving
Dec. 6	Miss Jane Hall.....	Baby blanket
Dec. 6	Mrs. Allan C. Bakewell.....	Baby clothes
Dec. 6	Mr. John Daniels.....	5 boxes of flowers
Dec. 6	Mrs. Longmer.....	Toys
Dec. 7	Mrs. W. H. Birchall.....	Sweaters
Dec. 8	Mrs. M. Ayers.....	Books for children
Dec. 8	Mrs. Prentice Strong.....	Baby clothes, basket, etc.
Dec. 10	Simon Ascher & Co. (through Mrs. Grumbach).....	Knitted goods
Dec. 14	Miss M. Post.....	Books and toys
Dec. 20	Mrs. H. Wright.....	2 dolls for Christmas
Dec. 20	Girls' Friendly Society of St. Paul's.....	Post cards
Dec. 20	Miss Alma E. Smith.....	Post cards
Dec. 20	Arcadia Club, West Side Y. M. C. A.....	2 combination hot water bottles 2 picture books
Dec. 20	Mrs. Wm. Nelson Cromwell.....	18 baby sweaters
Dec. 20	Mr. Wm. Ottman.....	Toys
Dec. 20	Mrs. Walter Blumenthal.....	Toys
Dec. 21	Mr. A. M. Tibben (Geo. Borgfeldt & Co.).....	Toys
Dec. 23	Mrs. Albert M. Lee.....	Toys
Dec. 23	Mrs. Rex Beach.....	2 boxes of toys
Dec. 23	Mrs. Donaldson.....	Toys
Dec. 23	Mrs. Wm. H. Woodin.....	500 peppermint sticks
Dec. 23	Albert and Nathan Ford.....	Toys
Dec. 23	Mrs. E. C. Millett.....	Babies' woolen socks
Dec. 23	Mrs. S. S. Abbott.....	Baby carriage and clothes
Dec. 23	Miss Muriel Shirley Miller.....	Toys
Dec. 23	Miss Virginia Allison.....	Toys
Dec. 23	Mrs. Rice	Books
Dec. 23	Members of Kiwanis Club of N. Y. C.....	336 Christmas packages each containing book, doll or game, and candy; 1 large Christmas tree with trimmings.
Dec. 25	Mrs. DeLancey Nicoll.....	3 turkeys for Xmas
Jan. 3	Ludwig Baumann & Co.....	.8 bundles of toys
Jan. 7	Mrs. C. Stetson Butler.....	Toys
Jan. 8	Mr. E. J. Berwind.....	Flowers
Jan. 16	Mrs. Helen M. Becker.....	Post cards
Jan. 17	Mr. M. B. Caldren.....	7 rag dolls
Jan. 18	Mrs. Thaw.....	Toyhouses and crib
Jan. 23	Miss Marion S. Whitman.....	18 blankets for St. Chris. Ward
Jan. 26	Mrs. I. D. Levy.....	Toys

Hospital Statistics for Year Ending September 30, 1921

	OBSTETRIC SERVICE				GYNECOLOGICAL			PEDIATRIC SERVICE		GRAND TOTAL ALL PATIENTS
	Private		Ward		Private	Ward	Hospital	B. O. D.	Total	
	Women	Babies	Women	Babies						
Patients in Hospital, October 1, 1920.....	54	54	18	20	8	6	28	24	52	242
Admitted during year....	1,205	1,209	484	481	240	57	894	208	1,102	4,778
Total number treated....	1,259	1,263	502	501	248	63	922	232	1,154	4,990
Discharged during year..	1,227	1,231	470	473	234	60	902	209	1,111	4,806
Remaining Sept. 30, 1921	32	32	32	28	14	3	20	23	43	184
Deliveries	1,172		507							1,679
Outdoor Department: Deliveries in homes.... Visits to homes by doctors and nurses.....										621
Outpatient Department: New Patients			1,248							8,204
Re-visits to Dispensary			2,983			814			2,982	5,044
Social Service Cases.....						1,675			15,495	20,153
Social Service Visits.....										3,886
B. O. D. Department: Number Children cared for										7,303
Visits to Children.....										600
										6,702

Medical Report

October 1, 1920, to September 30, 1921

PEDIATRIC SERVICE

Pediatric Service		Causes of Death	
In Hospital Oct. 1, 1920.....	52	Acute Intestinal Intoxication.....	26
Admitted:		Chronic Intestinal Indigestion.....	1
Boarding-Out Department... 208		Intestinal Obstruction	1
Hospital Cases	894	Gastro Enteritis and Broncho Pneu-	
	— 1,102	monia	2
Total Treated	1,154	Acute Gastro Enteritis	7
Discharged	1,138	Acute Gastro Enteritis and Otitis	
Remaining, Oct. 1, 1921.....	43	Media	1
		Chronic Gastro Enteritis and Ma-	
		rasmus	2
		Acute Gastro Enteritis and Prema-	
		turity	3
		Gastro Enteritis and Acidosis.....	1
		Gastro Enteritis and Cerebro-spinal	
		Meningitis	1
		Gastro Enteritis and Malnutrition.	1
		Ileo Colitis	1
		Marasmus	7
		Marasmus and Intestinal Intoxica-	
		tion	3
		Marasmus, Gastro Enteritis and	
		Congenital Malformation of the	
		Heart	1
		Acute Intestinal Intoxication and	
		Prematurity	1
		Marasmus and Cellulitis of Scalp.	1
		Lobar Pneumonia	2
		Broncho Pneumonia	26
		Acute Broncho Pneumonia and	
		Acute Mastoiditis	1
		Acute Broncho Pneumonia and	
		Acute Gastro Enteritis.....	2
		Broncho Pneumonia and Status	
		Lymphaticus	2
		Broncho Pneumonia and Acute	
		Intestinal Intoxication	5
		Broncho Pneumonia and Measles..	1
		Broncho Pneumonia and Prema-	
		turity	1
		Tuberculous Broncho Pneumonia	
		and Miliary Tuberculosis.....	1
	231		
	— 1,138		

Pediatric Diseases

Circulatory System	37
Blood System	6
Ductless Glands	2
Lymphatic System	11
Digestive System	56
Poisons	1
Nutritional Diseases	208
Miscellaneous System	2
Respiratory System	463
Nervous System	36
Disease of New-Born	65
Genito-Urinary System	71
Disease of the Skin	65
Infectious Diseases	24
Syphilis	9
Tuberculosis	32
Organs of Locomotion—Skull and	
Spine	10
Ear	175
Eye	7
Well Children	208

Condition on Discharge

Well	390
Improved	466
Not Improved	51
Died:	
Under 24 hours.....	49
Over 24 hours.....	182
	— 231
	— 1,138

Broncho Pneumonia and Pulmonary Edema	1	Hemorrhagic disease of New Born	3
Lobar Pneumonia and Acidosis....	1	Status Lymphaticus and Tetany..	1
Lobar Pneumonia, Bilateral Empyema and Meningitis	1	Status Lymphaticus.....	1
Lobar Pneumonia and Septicemia..	1	Septicemia and Pyemia.....	1
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	3	Septicemia, Streptococcus Hemolyticus	1
Pulmonary Tuberculosis and Miliary Tuberculosis	1	Generalized Peritonitis— Pneumococcus	1
Tuberculous Peritonitis	1	Empyema, Septicemia and Multiple Abscess in lung.....	1
General Miliary Tuberculosis.....	6	Cerebro-spinal Meningitis and Broncho Pneumonia.....	1
Tuberculous Broncho Pneumonia..	1	Epidemic Cerebro-spinal Meningitis	1
Acute Miliary Tuberculosis.....	1	Empyema and Broncho Pneumonia	1
Tuberculous Meningitis	8	Generalized Peritonitis due to intestinal obstruction.....	1
Colon Bacillus Meningitis.....	1	Pyloric Stenosis.....	2
Prematurity	26	Generalized Peritonitis and Streptococcus Septicemia.....	1
Prematurity and Marasmus.....	3	Erysipelas.....	1
Prematurity, Gastro Enteritis and Inanition	1	Broncho Pneumonia (Aspiration).	1
Prematurity, Pulmonary Atelectasis and Convulsions	1	Congenital Heart Disease.....	2
Prematurity, Suppurative Submaxillary Adenitis	1	Fibro Sarcoma, Malignant of hand, palate and mandible.....	1
Prematurity and Suppurative Arthritis	1	Peritonitis, secondary to Broncho Pneumonia.....	1
Marasmus and Pyloric Spasm....	1	Cellulitis of Scalp, due to multiple furuncles	1
Marasmus and Gastro Enteritis...	1	Acute Pericarditis and Acute Endocarditis.....	1
Marasums, and Cellulitis of neck..	1	Congenital Syphilis.....	2
Malnutrition	1	Erysipelas and Marasmus.....	1
Malnutrition and Broncho Pneumonia	1	Hodgkins Disease.....	1
Malnutrition and Septicemia.....	1	Bullous Impetigo.....	1
Gastro Enteritis, Mastoiditis and Sinus Thrombosis	1	Acute Rheumatic Fever and Pericarditis.....	1
Pernicious Anemia	1	Pyloric Stenosis and Marasmus...	1
Brain Tumor.....	1	Rickets and Mastoiditis.....	1
Asphyxia Neonatorum.....	1	Streptococcus and Meningitis....	1
Post Diphtheretic Paralysis and Myocarditis	1		



OBSTETRIC SERVICE—INDOOR

Obstetric Service—Indoor	
Total number of women delivered.	1,679
Male infants	880
Female infants	810
	1,690
Delivered by Visiting Physicians (Private)	930
Delivered by Resident Physician (Private)	242
Delivered by House Staff.....	507
	1,679

Presentations

Vertex	1,609
Breech	61
Transverse	5
Brow	3
Face	7
Double Footling.....	1
Precipitate	4
	1,690

Operative Deliveries

Forceps—Delivery—Low	248
Medium	140
High	21
Version	39
Episiotomy	69
Manual delivery, Placenta.....	17
Manual Dilatation of Cervix.....	8
Induction of labor.....	54
Abdominal Cesarean Section.....	41
Vaginal Cesarean.....	4
Craniotomy	5
Accidental Hemorrhage.....	5
Toxemia—Mild	19
Severe	10
Bagging (for Placenta Previa)...	8
Induction of abortion.....	1
Embryectomy	2
Miscarriages	10
Abortions—induced	15
incomplete	12

Complications

Twins	11
Post Partum Hemorrhage.....	9
Placenta Previa.....	12
Pernicious Vomiting.....	1
Deformed Pelvis.....	13
Cardiac	10
Tamponage of Uterus.....	10
Prolapse Cord.....	13

Polyhydramnios	2
Premature Still Birth.....	23
Still Birth at term.....	26
Retained Placenta.....	11
Abscess Breast.....	1
Eclampsia	4
Monstrosities	6
Phlebitis	3
Puerperal Infection	2
Partial Separation of Placenta...	6
Premature Separation of Placenta.	2
Adherent Placenta.....	3
Prolapse Hand.....	1
Bandl Ring.....	1
Chronic Nephritis.....	1
Contracted Pelvis.....	4
Goitre	4
Sterilization	1
Hydrocephalic	1

Condition on Discharge (Women)

Well	1,610
Improved	56
Not Improved	21
Died	10
	1,697

Deaths on Obstetrical Service (Women)

Eclampsia, Pulmonary Oedema...	1
Suppurative Phlebitis Puerperal..	1
Eclampsia	1
Broncho Pneumonia (Pregnancy).	1
Pregnancy, Mitral Stenosis, Acute Cardiac Dilatation.....	1
Eclampsia, Cesarean Section.....	1
Acute Dilatation of Stomach fol- lowing Cesarean.....	1
Pregnancy—Chronic Cardiac Valv- ular Disease	1
Toxemia of Pregnancy.....	1
Pernicious Vomiting of Pregnancy, 3 mos. (Acidosis) 17 hrs. after Therapeutic Abortion.....	1

Condition on Discharge—Born-in Babies

Well	1,607
Improved	56
Not Improved.....	3
Died	38
	1,704

Deaths—Born-in Babies

Prematurity and Inanition.....	2
Prematurity, Icterus Neonatorum..	1
Prematurity—Monstrosity	1
Prematurity and Premature Sep- aration of Placenta.....	1
Prematurity and Broncho Pneu- monia	3
Prematurity	9
Hemorrhagic Disease of New Born	8
Hemorrhagic Disease of New Born and Prematurity.....	1
Intracranial Hemorrhage and Dif- ficult Breech Extraction.....	1

Atelectasis—Neonatorum	2
Congenital Atelectais.....	1
Atelectasis and Congenital Pul- monary	1
Intracranial Hemorrhage.....	2
Congenital Atresia of Colon.....	1
Congenital Absence of Rectum...	1
Asphyxia Neonatorum and Pro- longed Labor.....	1
Tonic Uterus with Dystocia, due to Hydrocephalus.....	1
Congenital Heart Disease.....	1
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OBSTETRIC SERVICE—OUTDOOR

Total number delivered 620

Presentations

Vertex	548
Breech	23
Precipitates	57

Application of Forceps

Low	4
Medium	6
High	6
Version	8

Complications

Twins	8
Still Birth at term.....	16
Premature Still Birth.....	4
Prolapse Cord	2
Post Partum Hemorrhage.....	3
Tamponage of Uterus.....	2
Deformed Pelvis	1
Cardiac	1
Retained Placenta	5
Manual Dilatation of Placenta..	1
Hydramnios	1
Phlebitis	1
Miscarriages	4

Deaths Outdoor Obstetrical Service (Women)

Acute Dilatation of Heart, Preg- nancy (8 mos.), Myocarditis..	1
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Deaths Outdoor Obstetrical Service (Babies)

Prematurity	4
Prematurity and Syphilis	1
Icterus Neonatorum	1
Asphyxia Neonatorum	2

Visits to Tenements

Doctors	2,761
Students	2,145
White Nurses	3,451
Colored Nurses	1,057
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Total	9,414

Visits to Clinic

Application for delivery.....	1,309
Gynecological clinic	1,675
Children's clinic	15,495
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Total	18,479

SURGICAL SERVICE

Operations				
Total number of admissions.....	297			
Total Hysterectomy.....	7			
Sub-total Hysterectomy.....	9			
Myomectomy.....	7			
Removal of Uterine Polyp.....	1			
Dilatation and Curettage.....	116			
Dilatation of Cervix and Insertion of Stem Pessary.....	5			
Hemorrhoidectomy.....	4			
Exploratory Laparotomy.....	22			
Removal of Ovarian Cysts—				
Left Oophorectomy.....	5			
Right Oophorectomy.....	2			
Salpingo-oophorectomy (left)....	11			
Salpingo-oophorectomy (right)....	9			
Bilateral Salpingo-oophorectomy..	3			
Salpingectomy (right).....	1			
Salpingectomy (left).....	3			
Bilateral Salpingectomy.....	1			
Resection of Ovary (left).....	1			
Resection of Ovary (right).....	1			
Resection of Tube (right).....	3			
Resection of Both Tubes (Steril- ization).....	3			
Ligation of Both Tubes (Steril- ization).....	1			
Hematoma of Vulva:				
Incision and Evacuation.....	1			
Repair of Prolapsed Urethra.....	2			
Incision and Dilatation of Hy- menaeal Ring.....	1			
Repair of Hare Lip.....	1			
Abdominal Cesareans:				
Classical.....	31			
Vaginal Cesarean.....	3			
Cholecystectomy.....	1			
Cholecystotomy.....	1			
Appendectomy.....	40			
Incision and Drainage—				
Suppurative Mastitis.....	4			
Ventral Suspension.....			1	
Baldy Webster Suspension.....			1	
Simpson Montgomery Suspension..			5	
Watkins Interposition.....			4	
Gillian Suspension.....			21	
Sacral Suspension.....			1	
Perineorrhaphy.....			26	
Trachelorrhaphy.....			14	
Anterior Colporrhaphy.....			6	
Posterior Colporrhaphy.....			7	
Anterior and Posterior Colpor- rhaphy.....			1	
Amputation of Cervix.....			2	
Cystoscopic Examination.....			2	
Intra Uterine Radium Treatment..			1	
Repair of Spina Bifida with Men- ingocele.....			1	
Removal of Fibroma (left breast).			1	
Repair of Umbilical Hernia.....			1	
Condition on Discharge				
Well.....			179	
Improved.....			96	
Not improved.....			5	
Died.....			4	
			284	
Deaths on Surgical Service				
Pulmonary Embolus, Post oper- ative Salpingectomy.....			1	
General Peritonitis, Perforated Gastric Ulcer.....			1	
Uremia-Post operative, Chronic Salpingitis, Ovarian Cyst, Fi- broid Uterus.....			1	
Acute Cardiac failure during La- parotomy for Fibroid Uterus...			1	
			4	

Report of the House Committee

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

DURING the past year the House Committee continued to concentrate its chief efforts in the development of the Social Service Department. A second nurse for follow-up work among the children was added to the staff and the committee still held itself responsible for the salary of one visiting nurse.

In December it was found advisable to reorganize the House Committee. The work of the Social Service Committee had become so specialized that it was thought best to make it an independent sub-committee. The necessity was also felt for a committee that would interest itself in the activities of the Boarding-Out Department. The House Committee had previously occupied itself with the social service work and other outside problems. It was decided to centralize the work and have the House Committee consider only those problems related to the workings of the Hospital proper. The House Committee meetings are held on the second Tuesday of each month, as heretofore, and all of its present members have volunteered to give active service.

I submit herewith the reports of the Social Service Committee and of the Boarding-Out Committee.

KITTY L. HARRIMAN,
Chairman.





PRIVATE ROOM
RESTFUL, HOME-LIKE ROOMS ARE PROVIDED FOR PRIVATE PATIENTS

Donations for Special Purposes

For many years a lily plant has been placed in each ward of the hospital at Easter. Donations for this purpose are received and acknowledged by Mrs. Witherbee, who selected 30 plants, and this Easter remembrance is greatly appreciated by the patients in the hospital.

Money received for Easter Plant Fund:

Mrs. Bowers	\$5.00	
Mrs. and Miss DuBois	15.00	
Mrs. Gerry	10.00	
Mrs. Harriman.....	10.00	
Miss Hoppin	2.00	
Miss LeRoy	5.00	
Mrs. Witherbee	13.00	\$60.00

Julius bill for 30 plants.....		\$60.00
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Mrs. Witherbee also donated:

2 plants for Mrs. Kinsey and Miss Cuddeback.....	\$6.00	
2 privet bushes	8.00	
8 ivy plants for Roof Garden	7.00	23.00

Total		\$83.00
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Mrs. Witherbee provides a seamstress to aid in the Sewing Room three or four days each week, and this donation amounts annually to about \$300.00.



Social Service Committee

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First Annual Report of the Social Service Committee—1921



BECAUSE of the rapid and interesting development of our Social Service and the increasing need for funds to further Medical Research and Health Education, it was decided at a meeting of the House Committee to form an auxiliary branch, to be known as the Social Service Committee. This committee would confer with the superintendent and workers, and assist in meeting the demands made upon the department.

The first meeting was held February, 1921, Mrs. Robert L. Gerry, Chairman of the House Committee, presiding, and two other members, Mrs. W. Thorn Kissel, Mrs. Gustav Pagenstecher, present. Mrs. Thorn Kissel was elected Chairman of the new committee, and ways and means discussed for increasing membership, raising funds, affiliating with welfare and health agencies and co-operating with the hospital and the physicians of the clinic.

The committee now has ten active and forty associate members. A conference with the workers of the department is held twice a month, a detailed report of the work submitted and families presenting difficult social and physical problems discussed and plans formed for their assistance. As the members of the committee are represented or interested in other welfare work in the city, duplication of work is eliminated as much as possible by affiliation with these agencies.

During the year's work a special matinee performance of *La Bohème* was held at the Metropolitan Opera House which netted us \$2,021.70 for our fund. Of this \$1,800 was given to the Hospital to complete the much needed new clinic, \$3,500 having been previously donated by an associate member.

Great interest was taken in the outdoor obstetrical service of the clinic in an effort to assist the physician in giving more finished care to the patient during her delivery. Through two of our active members \$2,400 was given toward the maintenance of two graduate nurses. These nurses attend with the physician all home deliveries and administer to the care and comfort of the mother. To facilitate this work bags were fully equipped with linen and articles necessary for bedside care. These bags and a complete layette are supplied in all destitute emergency cases.

A survey of the available homes for convalescent care was made. As a result of this survey we were able, through the courtesy of the directors of the different homes visited, to provide more free care for our mothers and children. The task is still difficult, however, as there are numerous types of cases not provided for, such as children with whooping cough and mothers with nursing babies and two or more small children. For this separate funds are needed. A fund is also needed for milk and extra food for cases on specialized diet.

In closing we wish to express our appreciation to Miss Smith, the head of the Social Service Department, and her staff of assistants for the splendid work they have done and for their fine co-operation with our Committee. The office is to be enlarged, greatly facilitating the work and adding to the comfort of the staff. For this we are very grateful to the Board of Directors and Mr. Howard, the superintendent of the Hospital.

URLING H. BENEDICT,
Secretary, Social Service Committee.

Social Service Department

Visits	7903
Cases	3728
Prenatal	1309
Post Partum	1151
Children	1268
Mothers given convalescent care	106
Children given convalescent care	172
Children placed for temporary shelter	68
Children boarded in foster homes	42
Families given relief	35
Milk supplied, quarts	1966

Relief Fund

Balance February 1st	\$479.64
Petty cash	18.77
Returned loans	42.77
Gifts and membership dues	1,490.00
Total	\$2,031.18
Disbursements	1,630.34
Balance	\$400.84
Workers' carfare	\$53.42
Convalescent care	120.70
Children's board	492.66
Relief	140.00
Milk	235.38
Special food	23.30
Special nursing and domestic care	175.20
Membership dues to organizations	51.00
Special medical and dental care	54.00
Taxies and carfare for patients	23.57
Layettes	109.73
Surgical appliances	48.50
Obstetrical linen bags	32.75
Cribs and carriages	65.00
Stamps, stationery and registered letters for patients.....	5.13
Total	\$1,630.34

Donations for Special Purposes

Miss M. E. Belcher (relief)	\$10.00
Mrs. L. L. Benedict (relief)	20.00
Miss Bloch (relief)	10.00
Miss Brenda Finley (relief)	10.00
Mrs. James G. Blaine (relief)	25.00
Mr. C. Boucher (relief)	10.00
Mrs. L. B. Rand (board for tubercular baby)	120.00
Mrs. James Clark (obstetrical bags)	5.00
Mrs. G. Pagenstecher (convalescent care for family)	50.00
Mrs. Stephen C. Clark (Christmas Fund)	250.00
Mrs. Stephen C. Clark (for clinic)	3,500.00
Mrs. Gustav Pagenstecher (for obstetrical nurse).....	1,200.00
Mr. W. Thorn Kissel (for obstetrical nurse)	1,200.00



ONE OF THE WOMEN'S WARDS

CHEERFUL, SUNNY WARDS ADD TO THE COMFORT AND HAPPINESS OF OUR MOTHERS

Donations to the Social Service Department

Daniel C. Adams, Esq. (Relief).....	100.00	Mrs. W. A. Harriman.....	100.00
Anonymous	100.00	Miss Frances S. Hoppin.....	25.00
Anonymous	10.00	Miss Frances S. Hoppin.....	35.00
Mrs. John M. Bowers.....	60.00	Mrs. William Thorne Kissel (to-	
Mrs. Mary A. S. Brooks.....	10.00	ward Social Worker's salary)	300.00
Mrs. Stephen Clark (for Christ-		Mrs. William Thorne Kissel....	400.00
mas)	250.00	Clarence R. Leach, Esq., Emer-	
Mrs. Stephen Clark.....	500.00	gency Fund	10.00
Mrs. Ashton C. Clarkson.....	25.00	Miss Eleanor LeRoy.....	100.00
Mrs. Ashton C. Clarkson.....	25.00	Mrs. George A. Lung.....	100.00
Cornell University, salary for		Frederick Moore, Esq., Emer-	
Miss Andersen	1,000.00	gency Fund	100.00
Mrs. Marshall H. Clyde, toward		Edward C. Moore, Jr., Esq....	25.00
Social Worker's salary.....	45.00	Mrs. Gustav Pagenstecher.....	100.00
Mrs. Matthew B. Du Bois.....	100.00	Mrs. Gustav Pagenstecher (to-	
Emergency Fund	245.00	ward Social Worker's salary)	100.00
"	130.00	Mrs. Charles F. Roe.....	100.00
"	20.00	Mrs. Benjamin Thaw.....	100.00
"	20.00	Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee.....	100.00
"	135.00	Mrs. Charles S. Whitman.....	60.00
"	170.00	John E. Wayland, Esq.....	25.00
Miss G. A. Freeman.....	100.00		
Miss Gertrude A. Freeman.....	50.00		
House Committee towards salary	55.00	Total	\$4,030.00

Donations in Kind

- 60 pots of geraniums for Outdoor Patients (for Easter), Mrs. Jay Gould.*
- Wheel Chair, Y. W. C. A.
- Lamb, Mrs. W. Thorn Kissel.
- Two barrels of apples, Baby Stebbins.
- Chocolate eggs, Huyler Candy Company.
- 25 lbs. of sugar, Colts Studio.
- 2 dozen eggs, Mrs. Stebbins.
- 1 dozen sheets and 1 dozen pillow cases for obstetrical bags, Mrs. James G. Blaine.
- 1 dozen bath towels, 1 dozen wash cloths and 1 dozen face towels, Mrs. James Clark.

Use of automobiles given by:

- Mrs. G. Pagenstecher
- Mrs. W. Thorn Kissel
- Mrs. Jay Gould
- Mrs. L. L. Benedict
- Mrs. James G. Blaine

Clothing

- Mrs. John Bowers
- Mrs. W. Thorn Kissel
- Mrs. Robert Henry Burrows
- Dr. Mixsell
- Anonymous
- Mrs. Schuyler Green
- Mrs. N. Richards
- Mrs. James G. Blaine, Jr.
- Mrs. L. L. Benedict
- Mrs. Hall
- Mrs. Jay Gould
- Mrs. G. Pagenstecher
- Mrs. Robert L. Gerry
- Mrs. S. B. Chapin
- Mrs. Lyman Rhoades
- Mrs. J. H. Harper, Jr.
- Mrs. Marion Whitman
- Miss Whitman
- Miss Cuddeback
- Dr. Painter

Report of Boarding-Out Department



THE Boarding-Out Department began the Hospital year with 405 children and closed with 354.

Two visiting nurses have been dispensed with, one in October, 1920, and one in December, 1920. This was rendered possible by two factors, the decrease in children during 1920, and the transfer to New York State of all children boarded in New Jersey. The closing of the New Jersey homes was necessitated by the decision of the Attorney General of New Jersey that a bond of \$1,000 must be provided for each child boarded in that state, instead of the \$1,000 blanket bond covering all children, which had been the only requirement for many years. Twenty-seven homes, therefore, were discontinued and others opened in New York and vicinity.

The supervision of the children has continued as before under this decrease in the staff. The year 1920, with a larger number of children, shows 7,318 visits by five nurses, while 1921, with a smaller number of children, shows 6,702 visits by three nurses.

The State Board of Charities has this year, as in former years, urged the periodical examination of all children by a medical examiner. This is felt by the Boarding-Out Department to be its most urgent need. The expense of this medical supervision is estimated at approximately \$400 a year.

In regard to the decrease in population it may be of interest to note that from January, 1921, to January, 1922, the census has remained practically the same, beginning the year with 353 and closing with 356 children.

E. A. HOOPER,
Head of Boarding-Out Department.

BOARDING-OUT STATISTICS

October 1, 1920-September 30, 1921

Under care October 1, 1920	405	
Admitted during the year.....	246	
Total number care for.....	641	
Discharged	280	
Remaining September 30, 1921.....	354	

Classification of Children Discharged

To parents	136	
State Board of Charities (for Deportation).....	1	
Adopted	45	
Transferred to Institutions	57	
Died	41	
	280	

Classification of Children Transferred

New York Foundling Asylum.....	7	
Home for Hebrew Infants.....	15	
Hebrew Orphan Asylum.....	16	
Brooklyn Hebrew Orphan Asylum.....	3	34
Hebrew Sheltering Guardian Society.....	2	
Colored Orphan Asylum (Riverdale).....	4	
Leake & Watts Orphanage (Yonkers).....	5	
Randall's Island	1	
Five Points House of Industry.....	2	
St. Agatha's Home	1	
Seaman's Home (Staten Island).....	1	
	57	

Classification of Deaths

In New York Nursery & Child's Hospital.....	33	
In Metropolitan Hospital	4	
In Riverside Hospital	1	
In Boarding Homes	3	
	41	

Sources from Which Children Were Received

Department of Public Welfare.....	123	
Children's Court	50	
Dutchess County	2	
Westchester County	1	
Nassau County	1	
Social Service Department.....	37	
Children's Aid Society.....	1	
Jewish Aid Society (Brooklyn).....	1	
State Charities Aid Association.....	30	
	246	

Location of Boarding Homes

Manhattan	30	
Bronx, Westchester and Eastchester.....	21	
Brooklyn	16	
Staten Island	13	
Queens Borough	31	
Long Island (Out of New York City).....	20	
Westchester County	11	
	142	



FAIR EXAMPLES OF WHAT OUR FOSTER MOTHERS ACCOMPLISH FOR THE INFANTS COMMITTED TO OUR CARE BY THE CITY

Report of the Treasurer of the Charity Ball for 1921



THE Charity Ball of 1921, the sixty-fourth in its history, was a great success. Mrs. James W. Gerard acted as President, and obtained the hearty co-operation of a very representative number of Vice-Presidents and members of the Ball Committee. Mr. Lawrence S. Butler organized an efficient Floor Committee. Miss Florence V. Doane discharged her duties as Executive Secretary in a most competent manner, and Mr. Cromwell Childe handled the press notices satisfactorily.

A few interesting facts about the Charity Ball of 1921 may be noted. About 1,600 people were present, 935 hat checks were sold, showing that the nobler sex are still keen about dancing and *The Charity Ball*. For the first time the dance card, no longer a la mode, was omitted and an economy in this respect effected, as well as in advertising. The Waldorf-Astoria rent the entire floor for the same price as in former years, but the increased cost of printing, paper, posters, secretarial and press work do increase the expenses of the ball, and the increased charge of musicians is much to be regretted, and yet, when comparison is made with the cost of the ball in 1920, the total increase only amounts to \$129. The seventeen floor boxes were all sold and many of the first and second tier boxes. In old times tickets were bought in addition to the charge for boxes, but as many patrons objected to this, it is now deemed advisable to include tickets with price of box, and this item alone makes a difference of about \$1,500 less in receipts, but it is more advantageous to the success of the ball to have these boxes occupied at a lower figure. It is also interesting to notice that the ball is attended now by more patrons desiring boxes, and the decrease in receipts this year was in the general sale of tickets.

A new feature of the ball this year was a souvenir, containing the lists of all directors of the hospital and medical staff, all committees of the Ball and a brief history of the hospital. The souvenirs were donated by Black, Starr and Frost and sold by debutantes.

Four hundred and fifty dollars in belated receipts was turned over to the Treasurer of the Hospital after the account was given to him in September for entry in the Year Book, amounting then to \$10,724.01.

The net proceeds of the ball of 1921 amounted to \$11,192.01.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. FRANK S. WITHERBEE.

Treasurer.

Report of the Lenten Sewing Class, 1921

The Lenten Sewing Class met this year at the residences of :

Mrs. Robert L. Gerry
 Mrs. Lawrence L. Gillespie
 *Mrs. Edward J. Berwind
 Mrs. Frederic A. dePeyster
 Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee

We had on our list the names of 110 contributors.
 18 less than 1920.

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 128

40 active members donated.....	\$285
46 contributing members donated.....	250
24 contributors gave donations for linen amounting to	258
110 members	\$793

(6 members gave twice;
 3 members attended meetings who did not contribute)

In spite of not having as many contributors this year, owing to several of our members obtaining the cooperation of churches and societies, who were glad to have our material to make up, the following satisfactory results were achieved :

Calvary Church, through Miss LeRoy, made up.....	200 garments
St. James Trinity Church, through Mrs. Dorrance, made up.	100 garments
St. James Church, through Mrs. Freeman, made up.....	324 garments
St. Bartholomew's Church, through Mrs. Adams, made up..	206 garments
St. Thomas' Church, through Mrs. Daniell, made up.....	154 garments
Mrs. Neilson, through St. Zita's Home, made up.....	100 garments
Through Mrs. Witherbee, made up.....	472 garments
	1,556
The House of Industry made up, without charge.....	84 garments
	1,640
The members of the class made.....	660 garments
a total of.....	2,300 garments

* Deceased.

No garments had to be paid for at the House of Industry this year, and 442 additional garments were turned into the Hospital, thus making the class the most successful we have ever had.

With much regret the death is recorded of Mrs. Edward J. Berwind, long identified with the Nursery and Child's Hospital. For many years she was actively interested in the Sewing Class, and not only held annually a meeting at her house, but generously contributed the making of many garments. Her loss will prove to be a serious one to the Nursery and Child's Hospital as well as to her many friends who held her in the highest esteem.

Financial Statement

RECEIPTS :

Balance from 1920	\$282.25
40 active members dues and donations	285.00
46 contributing members dues and donations	250.00
24 donations to linen fund.....	258.00
<u>110</u>	
3 active members did not donate	
6 members donated twice	

EXPENSES :

Dutton—Printing invitations, envelopes, receipt book	\$37.50
Cromwell Child—Press notices.	25.00
Theodore Mayer, 181 yds. flannel	21.42
Claffin's, 1414 yds. flannel.....	261.68
772 yds. flannel.....	104.32
300 yds. flannel.....	37.50
12 gross buttons.....	9.60
383 yds. material.....	51.71
House of Industry :	
Cutting out 100 items..	1.50
Cutting out 2,069 items..	
and making	
patterns.... 11 items..	
	<u>2,180</u>
Items donated 120	89.44
	<u>2,300</u>
House of Industry :	
67½ yds. flannel.....	9.15
Express, cotton, etc.....	22.35
Baker Linen Co. :	
10 doz. sheets.....	152.50
10 doz. pillow cases.....	39.60
	<u>\$863.27</u>
Balance to 1922.....	211.98
	<u>\$1,075.25</u>

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Respectfully submitted,

MRS. FRANK S. WITHERBEE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Interns Awarded Diplomas from Sept., 1920 to Sept., 1921

DR. ARTHUR F. ANDERSON.....	Tufts Medical School
DR. PHILIP B. BECKER.....	University of Vermont
DR. FREDERICK R. FISCHER.....	Columbia University (P. & S.)
DR. ROBERT C. HOOD.....	Johns Hopkins Medical School
DR. CHARLES S. LIPSITT.....	Tufts Medical School
DR. DONALD CAMERON MCGILL.....	Harvard Medical School
DR. WILFRID WALLACE MCKAY.....	Queens Medical School of Canada
DR. DAVID BURTON WITT.....	Columbia University (P. & S.)

Affiliated Schools

PEDIATRIC COURSE

(Three Months)

AMSTERDAM CITY HOSPITAL	Amsterdam, N. Y.
ANNA JACQUES HOSPITAL	Newburyport, Mass.
BLODGETT MEMORIAL HOSPITAL	Grand Rapids, Mich.
COOLEY-DICKINSON HOSPITAL	Northampton, Mass.
HUDSON CITY HOSPITAL	Hudson, N. Y.
LAWRENCE & MEMORIAL ASSOCIATED HOSPITAL.....	New London, Conn.
PEEKSKILL HOSPITAL	Peekskill, N. Y.
UTICA HOMEOPATHIC HOSPITAL	Utica, N. Y.

OBSTETRIC COURSE

(Three Months)

MERIDEN HOSPITAL	Meriden, Conn.
PETER BENT BRIGHAM HOSPITAL	Boston, Mass.
POST GRADUATE HOSPITAL	20th St. and Second Ave., N. Y. City
PRESBYTERIAN HOSPITAL	70th St. and Madison Ave., N. Y. City
ROOSEVELT HOSPITAL	59th St. and 9th Ave., N. Y. City
ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL	113th St. and Amsterdam Ave., N. Y. City
SARATOGA HOSPITAL	Saratoga Springs, N. Y.

COMBINATION COURSE, PEDIATRIC AND OBSTETRIC

(Six Months)

CLIFTON SPRINGS SANITARIUM.....	Clifton Springs, N. Y.
CORNING HOSPITAL	Corning, N. Y.
KNICKERBOCKER HOSPITAL.....	131st St. and Amsterdam Ave., N. Y. City
MCLEAN HOSPITAL	Waverley, Mass.

Diplomas Awarded January 1, 1921—January 1, 1922

PEDIATRIC COURSE

- BROWN, HELEN, Anna Jaques Hospital
BURR, ESTHER, Anna Jaques Hospital
CHALMERS, CARRIE E., Peekskill Hospital
CHANDLER, BEATRICE, Hudson City Hospital
CLINE, HANNAH W., Amsterdam City Hospital
CLINE, RUTH W., Amsterdam City Hospital
COLLINS, SARAH L., Amsterdam City Hospital
COLVIN, SADIE, Hudson City Hospital
DAVOLL, MILDRED, Lawrence Memorial Hospital
DOHERTY, ETHEL E., Anna Jaques Hospital
EYRES, MARTHA B., Anna Jaques Hospital
GLOOR, CLARA, Knickerbocker Hospital
GLYNN, AGNES, Lawrence Memorial Hospital
GODE, LOIS THELMA, Amsterdam City Hospital
GRANDY, RUTH, Utica Homeopathic Hospital
GROVER, MINNIE A., Knickerbocker Hospital
HAMMERSMITH, MARIE, Amsterdam City Hospital
HANSEN, LENA E., Cooley-Dickinson Hospital
HORTON, JEANETTE E., Utica Homeopathic Hospital
JOHNSON, IRENE ELIZABETH, Lawrence Memorial Hospital
KELLY, BESSIE M., Peekskill Hospital
KLAASEN, JEANETTE E., Blodgett Memorial Hospital
KNICKLE, EMMA, Anna Jaques Hospital
LEWIS, JANE E., Clifton Springs Sanitarium
LYMAN, GRACE, Cooley-Dickinson Hospital
McCAW, NELLIE FRANCES, Cooley-Dickinson Hospital
McCLEARY, MARTHA, Amsterdam City Hospital
MASON, CATHERINE ELIZABETH, Peekskill Hospital
MATHERS, ELIZABETH, Cooley-Dickinson Hospital
MATTELLE, IRENE HELEN, Hudson City Hospital
MERRIMAN, ANGIE M., Utica Homeopathic Hospital
MORRIS, FRANCES V., Blodgett Memorial Hospital
MULLER, ANNA M., Hudson City Hospital
MURPHY, BETHEA, Utica Homeopathic Hospital
NEIL, APPILLONIA, Cooley-Dickinson Hospital
NOVOGRAD, LOUISE, Cooley-Dickinson Hospital
O'NEILL, KATHRYN TERESA, Anna Jaques Hospital
PYE, M. ELAINE, Lawrence Memorial Hospital
RAIMEY, INEZ P., Anna Jaques Hospital
SAWYER, ALETA DORIS, Cooley-Dickinson Hospital
SMITH, HELEN, Cooley-Dickinson Hospital
SPALDING, FANNIE A., Utica Homeopathic Hospital
STEACY, LAURA MAE, Peekskill Hospital
STEWART, LILLIAN MAY, Peekskill Hospital
STOKOE, MARGARET, Blodgett Memorial Hospital
SYWASSINK, MARIAN, Blodgett Memorial Hospital
VIELE, ETHEL M., Amsterdam City Hospital
WARNER, MIRIAM ELAINE, Utica Homeopathic Hospital
WEBBER, LEONTA A., Amsterdam City Hospital

COMBINED COURSE

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POST GRADUATE COURSE—PEDIATRICS

FCGG, REBECCA HOLLO, MYRTLE M.	McCONNELL, MADELINE McNEILLY, GRACE BOWAN SHLANTA, MYRA
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POST GRADUATE COURSE—OBSTETRICS

BAIRD, MARY ALICE BELMONTE, R. COLACO BOUDREAU, LOUISE MARIE BRUNN, MARTHA BUTLER, JEAN CAMPBELL, RUTH FOX, IRENE ALMA	HARTLING, KATIE LAW, MAUD McLEOD, JANET A. MORRIS, CATHERINE MOSHER, GLADYS MUIR, ISABEL REDDY, MINNIE F. WOOLEY, EDITH E.
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POST GRADUATE COURSE—COMBINATION

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OBSTETRIC COURSE

ABBOTT, ANTOINETTE, Post Graduate Hospital ADAIR, MILDRED L., Presbyterian Hospital ALEXANDER, ALICE, Meriden Hospital ALEXANDER, MARION, St. Luke's Hospital ALLANACH, ELIZABETH, Presbyterian Hospital AÜTHIER, CECILE, Peter Bent Brigham Hospital BANTON, ESTHER, Post Graduate Hospital BEAN, EVA MARIAN, Presbyterian Hospital	BENNETT, GERALDINE, Roosevelt Hospital BENTON, HANNAH S., Peter Bent Brigham Hospital BIRD, CLAUDINE AMELIA, Post Graduate Hospital BLOOD, MARION E., Peter Bent Brigham Hospital BRANKLEY, DORIS E., Peter Bent Brigham Hospital BRANSCOMBE, BESSIE, Peter Bent Brigham Hospital BRECHBUHLER, ANNETTE, Meriden Hospital BUSTIN, CATHERINE, Post Graduate Hospital
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 LIVINGSTON, RUTH, Roosevelt Hospital
 LLOYD, ALICE CROCKER, St. Luke's Hospital
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 MIDDLETON, ELIZABETH, Roosevelt Hospital
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History of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital



THE work now carried on by the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital, succeeding to all the activities and to all the traditions of the oldest nursery, the oldest child's hospital, and the oldest maternity hospital in the City of New York, which sent doctors to the homes of the poor at the time of childbirth, was begun in 1823. The present corporation was formed by the consolidation of the Nursery and Child's Hospital with the New York Infant Asylum, which had formerly consolidated with the old Marion Street Maternity Hospital. Each of these institutions was a pioneer in its particular line of endeavor.

The old Marion Street Maternity Hospital was organized in 1823 and incorporated in 1827 as "The New York Female Asylum for Lying-In Women" and was so called for the next seventy years. Its object was: "To furnish comfortable conditions and skillful attendance to respectable married women who require an asylum during the period of their confinement, and also to supply competent medical care to deserving married women at their homes under similar circumstances." It was the first institution of its kind to care for poor respectable women and was the pioneer in the city in sending physicians to such homes to attend at childbirth. In 1830 two lots were bought on Orange, now Marion Street, near Prince Street, for \$2,750, and a three-story building was built with a forty-five foot front and a depth of sixty feet. This was its headquarters for fifty-five years. In 1885 it moved to 139 Second Avenue, where it continued its quiet and unostentatious charity until 1899, when it consolidated with the New York Infant Asylum.

The ministrations of the Marion Street Hospital are now continued as a part of the work of this corporation.

The Nursery and Child's Hospital, with the name of "The Nursery for the Children of Poor Women," was founded in 1854 through the efforts of Mrs. Cornelius Du Bois, who for more than thirty years thereafter continued as its First Directress. One day, when driving in the streets of New York City, she was startled by screams from an upper story of a tenement and looking up saw a child caught by a fallen sash hanging from a window. With the help of neighbors, she broke into the

room and released the child. She found that it had been left alone while its parents were at work. Inquiries then made showed her the need existing in New York for the proper care of children.

In the Annual Report of the Hospital for 1897, Mrs. Du Bois says:

“Your attention is called to the condition of the poor children of New York before the nursery was founded. Dr. Elisha Harris gives the following statement: ‘In 1854 to 1859 about 1,000 infants were farmed out per year; ninety out of one hundred would not live to see their first birthday. In a single hut on the river side about Thirty-fourth Street, it was common to find four or five young infants lying on the floor, with a single nurse who gave them bottle food until they died. The Almshouse Governors paid so much a week until they all died. They would be marked dead on their books and that was the last of them. The expense in 1859 was over fifty thousand dollars for the support of the children in these houses that were worse than no houses at all.’”

In one week after the Nursery was opened every bed was filled with the children of wet nurses.

The first quarters of the new charity were in St. Mark's Place, and shortly after it opened it became necessary to find additional room. With cholera in the city, and the heat intense, it became suddenly evident that the house “was overcrowded, that our numbers must be divided or our children must die. The next house was found to be vacant and not an hour could be lost. The key of our basement door fitted and women with pails and brushes were sent in to clean the house while the manager on duty drove to the office of the owner with a check for a quarter's rent in advance. He was glad to deliver up the keys of a house he did not expect to rent in July and he does not know to this day that while he was leasing the house it was already occupied.”

In 1856 the Nursery acquired one of the wooden cottages which had been used by the New York Hospital while its stone wing was being constructed. When abandoned by the New York Hospital the cottage was moved to the Tonnele Estate at 14th Street and 6th Avenue, where the Nursery followed it. In 1857 the cornerstone of the building at Lexington Avenue and 51st Street was laid, but during the Civil War the building was used as a hospital for soldiers. From 1879 to 1910 the Nursery and Child's Hospital cared for a total of 38,179 inmates.

The question of funds was as acute in the early days as it is at present, and the Annual Reports show the many means adopted to raise

money for the charity. In 1865 Mr. Bierstadt contributed the proceeds of the first exhibition of his picture "A Storm in the Rocky Mountains"; and the sum of \$455.75 was realized from the exhibition of Huntington's historical painting, "Mrs. Washington's Reception Day," placed "at our disposal for a month by the voluntary kindness of its owner, Mr. A. T. Stewart." The greatest single item of revenue, however, was obtained from the annual Charity Ball inaugurated in 1857, and through all these years maintained and made a great financial and social success by the ladies interested in this charity.

In 1870 the Nursery opened its Country Home on Staten Island, where for the following ten years the children in its charge, particularly the sickly ones, were sent in order to be in the open air. At the end of the ten years the main buildings of the Home caught fire and were burned.

Although the Nursery and Child's Hospital began its work as a nursery, it was soon found necessary to provide care for its sick children, and to a certain extent this had been done, almost from the beginning. It did not, however, legally broaden its scope until several years after its founding. The primary object, however, for which the New York Infant Asylum was founded in 1865 was to take charge of foundlings and infant children to the age of two years and to provide for their support and education. It also provided such lying-in wards and methods of care and guidance as should prevent maternal abandonment of homeless infants and diminish the normal dangers and personal sufferings to which homeless mothers were exposed.

The Infant Asylum had its origin in the efforts of the Rev. Mr. Richmond to reform a class of unfortunate young women whom he found in the Maternity Wards of Bellevue Hospital. He died before his plan could be carried through, but his widow in 1865 secured a charter, and a building for the Asylum was rented at 104th Street and West End Avenue. Mrs. Richmond struggled for two years with the problems confronting the Asylum. She then died, and the work was abandoned. In 1871 the Society was reorganized through the efforts of Miss Alice Sanford and her father, General Sanford.

The Charity Commissioners of the City of New York fixed the rate at which the City was to pay for destitute children at \$1.33 per week. "The Society accepted the situation, rented a building at 8th Street near Broadway and began operations," says Dr. Stephen Smith. "The result sustained the assertions of the most sanguine members of the Board, for the mortality scarcely exceeded nine per cent., against ninety-six per cent.

on the Island. It is difficult to estimate the vast influence of that first year's experiment on the saving of child life in the City of New York. The Commissioners of Charity immediately took the alarm and built and equipped the Infant Asylum on Randall's Island, where the mortality was reduced to less than twenty per cent. The Nursery and Child's Hospital, under Mrs. Du Bois, secured a change of the law placing that institution on the same basis as this asylum, and from that date the mortality of children in its care has been little more than twelve per cent. Following that Sister Irene obtained a charter for the Foundling Asylum based on the law of the Infant Asylum, and with the care of two thousand children in the most variable conditions as regards the prospect of living, has a mortality of less than twenty per cent. Still other institutions have been founded on the basis of this Asylum and are meeting with the same success in saving child life."

In 1872, the New York Infant Asylum bought the property where the present Hospital stands, at Amsterdam Avenue and 61st Street, for \$55,000—\$16,500 cash and the balance on mortgage—but the building was not occupied until April, 1873. The house at No. 24 Clinton Place was not abandoned, however, until 1878.

In 1899 the New York Infant Asylum consolidated with the old Marion Street Maternity Hospital and the cash realized from the sale of the Marion Street property, some \$75,000, together with \$18,000 donated for the purpose, was used to help build part of the present Hospital building.

In 1910 the New York Infant Asylum was consolidated with the Nursery and Child's Hospital under the name of New York Nursery and Child's Hospital. Under this consolidation the work of the two corporations has been continued and enlarged. The work of the present Hospital can be classified as follows:

- (1) A Lying-In Hospital;
- (2) A Hospital for sick children;
- (3) A Boarding-out Department, supplanting the nursery in the building. The foundling children are placed in suitable homes and their general welfare supervised by visitors from the Hospital;
- (4) An Outside Obstetrical Department, continuing the work begun by the Old Marion Street Maternity Hospital. Physicians connected with the staff are sent to the homes of those who apply for aid.

There are always from eighty to one hundred sick children in the wards of the Hospital. They are roomed in the three children's wards on

the seventh floor, and sometimes another ward in the quarantine building is pressed into service. The shelter on the roof of the old building is also devoted to the children. The entire children's service is under the supervision of graduate nurses who are responsible for the care and treatment of the children, and for the training of student nurses from affiliated hospitals. These young student nurses are given a three months' course of training in the care of children, a diploma being conferred upon them at its satisfactory completion.

Besides the children's services, the Hospital maintains a maternity service. During the past year the public wards have cared for seven hundred and seventeen patients. The Hospital maintains free beds for the care of worthy women.

The third and fourth floors, and part of the fifth and sixth, are for the use of private and semi-private patients. These rooms are in constant demand and during the past year this floor cared for one thousand six hundred and twelve women. There are also well-equipped nurseries on these floors for the use of the babies of the private patients. In addition to the private single rooms and the semi-private rooms, there are maintained two small private wards where women are cared for at a moderate charge during confinement.

Another activity which has recently grown rapidly in importance is the Out-door Obstetrical Department. This work has generally supplanted the work of the Old Marion Street Maternity Hospital Wards. The Hospital now goes to the homes of these women almost entirely instead of having them come to the Hospital. The woman who wishes to avail herself of this service registers at the Hospital, and at the time of her confinement she is attended by one of the three doctors attached to this department and by one of the nurses. During the past year six hundred and sixty-three women were cared for in their homes and there were fourteen hundred and eighteen applications for delivery. The Clinic connected with this department had six thousand two hundred and thirty-five calls upon it.

For the care of the sick, graduate and student nurses are in attendance. A graduate nurse is in charge of each department of the Hospital and she is aided by student nurses. The latter come to us for three months from affiliated hospitals in which they are taking a general course in nursing.

The present capacity of the Hospital is two hundred and fourteen beds for children and one hundred and seven beds for women.



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DR. J. NORMAN HARNEY

Pediatrics

DR. WILLIAM S. O'DONNELL
DR. ERLING S. PLATOU
DR. ROY E. DE LA HOUSSAYE
DR. TOM F. DAVENPORT
DR. ABRAHAM MAHLER
DR. ELZIE L. GLEATON
DR. HORACE O. BELL



SUNSHINE WARD

FUNDS ARE NEEDED TO RECONSTRUCT THIS ROOF WARD FOR THE TREATMENT OF PRE-TUBERCULAR CHILDREN

Report of the President

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE NEW YORK NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL:

THE VARIOUS reports appended hereto show the details of our work. I shall not attempt to repeat them. There are, however, one or two matters to which particular attention should be drawn.

This year finishes the first century of the work of this Hospital. On April 29, 1823, a number of ladies of this city, aided by several doctors, met at No. 35 Courtlandt Street and organized the Female Asylum for Lying-In Women. The Hospital was incorporated in 1827 and was later consolidated with the New York Infant Asylum. Plans to commemorate our hundredth birthday are under way.

Part of the Staten Island property has been sold. The Charity Ball was again a great success. Attention should also be called to the efforts of the Social Service Committee to provide funds for its special work in superintending a benefit performance of "Thais" at the Metropolitan Opera House.

In looking forward it is necessary to dwell upon our immediate needs. A new building to house the nurses and the maids is becoming an acute necessity. To the women who are learning to devote their lives to the sick we should feel it a duty to provide the best accommodations possible. Some years ago the pupil nurses were moved from the main building and quartered in an old building on 61st Street, adjacent to our property, which we bought and altered into a nurses' home. Our affiliations have grown to a degree that these quarters are crowded. If we are to expand further, a new building is necessary.

EDWARD H. PEASLEE.

Report of the Executive Committee

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

THE PAST year has largely been spent in mastering details. The Executive Committee appointed a sub-committee to investigate and report upon a plan to simplify the purchases of supplies. Pursuant to the recommendations of this Committee, all purchases are referred to a sub-committee which authorizes a single purchase up to \$250, without recourse to the Executive Committee, and the Chairman of the Executive Committee has power to authorize repairs and replacements up to \$250. This plan has worked well and has relieved the Executive Committee of a large amount of detail.

Mrs. Gerry, to our great regret, was compelled to resign as Chairman of the House Committee, and Mrs. W. A. Harriman was appointed as her successor. The new clinic, which has been provided for us by the energy of Dr. Schroeder, has realized all expectations. It made possible a rearrangement of the Social Service and the Boarding-out Departments, giving to each larger quarters, although both are working in quarters that are still cramped. The X-Ray Room was also transferred to the main building. This is a great convenience, as it was almost impossible to carry women to the old room in the laboratory.

Through the efforts of Mrs. Ashton Clarkson, of the House Committee, \$200 of the \$400 needed to pay the services of a doctor to make periodical examinations of the children in the Boarding-out Department was donated. The Hospital thereupon voted the additional \$200, and during the past year the children have been periodically examined and comparative statistics obtained.

The Maids' Home has been painted and repaired, and painting has been done in the Nurses' Home. But both these quarters are antiquated, and serious consideration should be given to the problem of acquiring better and more modern accommodations.

MOSES ELY,
Chairman.

Report of Finance and Auditing Committee

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

DURING the fiscal year that closed on September 30th, 1922, the Finance and Auditing Committee authorized the sale of \$25,000, face value, of bonds, and the purchase of \$40,000, face value, of bonds for the General Fund of the Hospital. For the Permanent Endowment Fund, the purchase of \$1,450, face value, of bonds was authorized, and for the Matthew B. Du Bois Ward Trust Fund, the sale of \$2,100, face value of bonds, for reinvestment in an equal amount of other issues.

Details of these transactions are set forth in the Treasurer's report, where will also be found a list of our investments.

The bonds, stocks and mortgages belonging to the Hospital have been examined by two members of this Committee, and found to be in order.

The Treasurer's accounts have been regularly audited each month by Messrs. John I. Cole, Son, & Co.

EDWARD H. PEASLEE,
Chairman.



Report of the Treasurer

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

ALTHOUGH the financial history of the Hospital for the year ended September 30th, 1922, is set forth in detail in the accompanying tables, prepared in the usual form, there are certain items to which, perhaps, special attention should be directed.

During the year the Hospital received on account of legacies:

From the Estate of Josephine L. Peyton	\$10,304.67
From the Estate of Charles E. Rhineland	3,000.00
From the Estate of James Rufus Smith	30.94

From Mrs. Kate Macy Finn, we received \$1,000 for the permanent Endowment Fund, in memory of her mother, Mrs. Kate Carter Macy.

Mrs. DuBois gave us \$1,000 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 3rd 4¼% for the Matthew B. DuBois Ward Trust Fund.

Our mortgages held for investment have been reduced by payments on account of principal as follows:

David Pollack Mortgages	\$500.00
Robert Tag Mortgage	500.00

The following bonds have been sold:

\$10,000 U. S. Government 6% Certificates of Indebtedness, at a profit of	\$18.75
10,000 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 2d, 4¼%, at a profit of...	263.50
5,000 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 4th, 4¼%, at a profit of...	577.50

\$15,000 U. S. Government 6% Certificates of Indebtedness matured on December 15th, 1921, and \$10,000 Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Joint 6½%, due 1936, were converted into an equal face value of Northern Pacific Refunding and Improvement 6%, Series "B", due 2047.

We purchased for the General Fund

\$10,000 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 2d, 4¼%.	
10,000 Missouri Pacific 1st & Refunding 6%, due 1949.	
5,000 Tidewater Oil Company Gold 6½%—1931.	
5,000 Great Northern 5½%—1952.	
5,000 New York Central Refunding & Improvement Mtge. 5%, Series "C" —2013.	
5,000 Delaware & Hudson 5½%—1937.	

and for the Permanent Endowment Fund

\$1,000 Louisville & Nashville 1st & Ref. 5½%, Series "A," due 2003.
150 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 3d, 4¼%.
300 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 4th, 4¼%.

We sold for the Matthew B. DuBois Ward Trust Fund

\$2,000 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 3d, 4¼s, at a profit of	\$109.00
100 U. S. Government Victory Loan, 4¾s, at a profit of	4.09

and reinvested the proceeds in

\$2,000 Louisville & Nashville 5½%—2003.
100 New York Central Refunding & Improvement Mtge. 5%—2013.

Of the profit realized, \$25.25 has been credited to the General Fund to reimburse it for the amount previously charged on account of shrinkage in value, and the remainder, \$87.84, has been credited to the Trust Fund.

The transfer was completed of the second parcel of the Staten Island property, for which we received \$6,025 in cash and a Purchase Money mortgage for \$20,400, bearing interest at the rate of 3% per annum for three years and 6% per annum for two years.

The result for the year is a surplus of \$1,455.12, which has been credited to Capital, but in this amount are included the profit on securities sold amounting to \$885, and \$294.15 for inventory gain due to a revaluation of securities inadvertently marked down at the close of the previous year, so that the actual result of our operations may be said to be a surplus of \$275.97.

No little significance should be attached to the fact that for the first time since the consolidation in 1910 we have completed a year's work without a deficit, and although it is hardly to be expected that we shall be able to continue on this basis, at present, there is a certain amount of encouragement to be derived from the mere achievement, for it is an essential step in preparation for a comprehensive financial policy which should be the immediate concern of every one of the Directors.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES BOUCHER,
Treasurer.

Table I

Receipts and Expenses

October 1, 1921—September 30, 1922

RECEIPTS

Pay Patients	\$223,376.95	
City of New York	102,858.49	
Special Nurses' Board	27,609.93	
Donations	20,631.74	
Interest and Dividends	20,170.66	
*Charity Ball	13,190.99	
Dispensary and Pharmacy	11,241.76	
United Hospital Fund	10,688.30	
Social Service Fund	8,231.70	
County Charges	4,178.81	
Miscellaneous Revenue	2,050.31	
Associate Members' Dues	440.00	
Annual Dues	350.00	
Students' Fees	210.00	
		\$445,229.64

EXPENSES

Administration

Salaries—Officers and Clerks	\$25,838.31
Office Expenses	598.66
Postage, Stationery and Printing	2,583.19
Telephone, Telegraph and Legal	7,039.50
Miscellaneous	958.93
	\$37,018.59

Professional Care of Patients

Salaries and Wages	\$52,169.24
Apparatus and Instruments	1,109.15
Medical and Surgical Supplies	9,696.08
Drugs	5,521.72
Clothing	427.96
Equipment for Nurses	626.05
Dispensary and Pharmacy	7,622.54
Outdoor Department	7,841.13
Pathological Department	7,993.75
X-Ray	1,394.36
Social Service Department	11,777.86
Boarding Out Department—	
Salaries	8,473.06
Board	65,801.29
Clothing	11,701.80
Miscellaneous	2,684.04
	\$7,660.19

*Includes \$450 on account of 1921 Ball. \$19,840.03

Departments

Housekeeping—	
Wages	\$27,939.41
Linen and Bedding	2,309.63
Supplies	7,727.53
Kitchen—	
Wages	9,512.42
Supplies	78.84
Laundry—	
Wages	15,194.31
Supplies	2,097.84
Steward's Department	73,742.06
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	\$138,602.04

General House and Property

Electric Lighting	\$3,684.34
Fuel	18,490.27
Gas	3,012.35
Ice	2,629.73
Insurance	2,871.63
Maintenance, Buildings—	
Wages	9,134.64
Supplies	6,654.89
Maintenance, Machinery and Tools—	
Wages	18,011.44
Supplies	3,027.12
Plumbing and Steamfitting	1,909.86
Clinic Building	2,027.90
Miscellaneous	195.00
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	\$71,649.17

Corporation

Audit	\$300.00
Publicity	2,543.84
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	\$2,843.84
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	\$444,953.67
Excess of Receipts over Expenses	\$275.97
Profits on Securities Sold (as per table next page)	885.00
Gain on Securities Revalued (to adjust previous charges) as per table next page	294.15
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Surplus for the year	\$1,455.12

TABLE I—(Continued)

Profit on Securities Sold

\$10,999 2d Liberty Loan 4¼s.	\$263.50
\$2,000 4th Liberty Loan 4¼s.	25.25
\$5,000 4th Liberty Loan 4¼s.	577.50
\$10,000 U. S. Government Certificates of Indebtedness,	18.75

\$885.00

Gain on Securities Revalued (to adjust previous charges)

\$1,000 2d Liberty Loan 4¼s.	\$28.80
\$4,000 3d Liberty Loan 4¼s.	50.85
\$2,000 4th Liberty Loan 4¼s.	52.00
\$5,000 Pennsylvania R. R. Gen'l Mtge. 5s.	162.50

\$294.15



Table II

Balance Sheet—October 1, 1921

ASSETS	LIABILITIES
Land and Buildings	\$398,682.14
Bonds and Mortgages	146,250.00
Stocks and Bonds	171,677.31
Securities Constituting Permanent Endowment Fund, including \$8.02 in Cash	47,581.61
CURRENT ASSETS	
Due by City of New York....	17,792.00
Due by Westchester County..	373.51
Due by Nassau County.....	590.13
Due by Suffolk County.....	298.60
Due by Dutchess County.....	148.49
Due by Rye Morley Kinsey, Supt.	6,000.00
Estate of Augusta C. Chapin..	1.00
Linsley Trust Fund.....	1.00
Estate of Benjamin Aymar Sands	1.00
Estate of Frederick Lawrence Upjohn	1.00
Medical Salaries	2,443.69
Cash	4,501.80
	<u>\$796,343.28</u>
	Capital, October 1, 1920
	\$649,838.37
	PERMANENT LIABILITIES
	Operating Loss
	13,928.29
	<u>\$635,910.08</u>
	Estate of Augustus C. Brown,
	685.78
	Estate of William Henry.....
	100.00
	Estate of Charles E. Rhineland
	1,000.00
	<u>Capital, October 1, 1921..</u>
	\$637,665.86
	Endowed Beds
	46,000.00
	Matthew B. DuBois Ward Trust Fund
	12,034.22
	Permanent Endowment Fund,
	47,581.61
	CURRENT LIABILITIES
	Refunds
	284.19
	Accounts Payable
	30,941.80
	Advance Payments by Pay Patients
	21,835.60
	<u>\$796,343.28</u>

Balance Sheet—October 1, 1922

ASSETS	LIABILITIES
Land and Buildings	\$385,708.41
Bonds and Mortgages	166,150.00
Stocks and Bonds	173,339.95
Securities constituting Permanent Endowment Fund, including \$44.27 in cash	48,581.61
CURRENT ASSETS	
Due by City of New York....	16,679.15
Due by Westchester County..	441.34
Due by Nassau County.....	622.57
Due by Suffolk County.....	58.62
Due by Dutchess County.....	87.71
Due by John R. Howard, Jr., Supt.	2,000.00
Estate of Augusta C. Chapin .	1.00
Linsley Trust Fund	1.00
Estate of Benjamin Aymar Sands	1.00
Estate of Frederick Lawrence Upjohn	1.00
Medical Salaries	1,338.37
Cash	11,837.45
	<u>\$806,849.38</u>
	Capital, October 1, 1921
	\$637,665.86
	PERMANENT LIABILITIES
	Surplus
	1,455.12
	<u>\$639,120.98</u>
	Estate of Charles E. Rhineland
	3,000.00
	Estate of Josephine L. Peyton,
	10,304.67
	Estate of James Rufus Smith,
	30.94
	<u>Capital, October 1, 1922..</u>
	\$652,456.59
	Endowed Beds
	46,000.00
	Matthew B. DuBois Ward Trust Fund
	13,108.61
	Permanent Endowment Fund,
	48,581.61
	Credit on Sale Staten Island Property
	12,105.42
	CURRENT LIABILITIES
	Refunds
	459.15
	Accounts Payable
	19,390.75
	Advance Payments by Pay Patients
	14,747.25
	<u>\$806,849.38</u>

Table III

Century Fund

The Century Fund was organized by Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee in 1917, its object being to procure subscriptions of \$100 for the benefit of the Hospital. Subscribers to the Fund are considered to be Associate Members.

The following were Contributors to this Fund during the present fiscal year:

A Friend (through Mrs. F. S. Witherbee)	\$100.00
A Friend (through Mrs. F. S. Witherbee)	100.00
Daniel C. Adams, Esq.	100.00
Stephen Baker, Esq.	100.00
Edward J. Berwind, Esq. (in memory of his wife, Herminie Torrey Berwind)	100.00
Edward J. Berwind, Esq.	100.00
Charles Boucher, Esq.	100.00
Mrs. John M. Bowers	100.00
Gherardi Davis, Esq. (in memory of his wife, Alice Davis)	100.00
Mrs. Charles D. Dickey	100.00
Mr. and Mrs. Frederic A. dePeyster	100.00
Eugene G. Foster, Esq.	100.00
Mrs. James Watson Gerard	100.00
Elbridge T. Gerry, Esq.	100.00
Mrs. E. H. Harriman	100.00
Mrs. C. Oliver Iselin	100.00
Mrs. Helen Hartley Jenkins	100.00
Edward DeP. Livingston, Esq.	100.00
Mrs. Charles Duncan Miller	100.00
Dr. Edward L. Partridge	100.00
Dr. Edward H. Peaslee	100.00
Lispenard Stewart, Esq.	100.00
William Rhinelander Stewart, Esq.	100.00
The Bachelors (through William R. Stewart, Jr., Esq.)	100.00
Mrs. James M. Varnum	100.00
Mr. and Mrs. Horace S. Wilkinson	100.00
Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee	100.00
Augustus C. Gurnee, Esq.	\$50.00
In memory of Mrs. W. S. Gurnee.	}
Governor Nathan L. Miller	50.00
Through Mrs. Henry Fairchild Osborn.	}
Mrs. Algernon Sidney Sullivan	\$50.00
Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee	50.00

Table IV

Securities

General Fund

	Book Value Oct. 1, 1921	Book Value Oct. 1, 1922
\$10,000 Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Ry. Gen'l 4s—1995	(74) \$7,415.00	(74) \$7,415.00
\$15,000 Baltimore & Ohio Conv. 4½—1933	(69½) 10,425.00	(69½) 10,425.00
\$10,000 Canada Southern Ry. Cons. "A" 5s—1962	(87) 8,700.00	(87) 8,700.00
\$10,000 Central Pacific Ry. First Ref. Mtge. 4s—1949	(73¾) 7,375.00	(73¾) 7,375.00
\$2,000 Chesapeake & Ohio Ry. 1st Cons. Mtge. 5s—1939	(90) 1,803.00	(90) 1,803.00
\$2,000 Chesapeake & Ohio Ry. 1st Cons. Mtge. 5s—1939	(90½) 1,805.50	(90½) 1,805.50
\$2,000 Chesapeake & Ohio Ry. 1st Cons. Mtge. 5s—1939	(90½) 1,813.00	(90½) 1,813.00
\$4,000 Chesapeake & Ohio Ry. 1st Cons. Mtge. 5s—1939	(91) 3,646.00	(91) 3,646.00
\$10,000 Great Northern Ry. Gen'l Mtge. 7s "A"—1936	(96½) 9,665.00	(96½) 9,665.00
\$16,000 Mobile & Ohio R. R. Gen'l Mtge. 4s—1938	(55) 8,800.00	(55) 8,800.00
\$10,000 N. Y. Telephone 1st & Gen'l Mtge. S. F. 30 Yr. 4½s—1939	(77¾) 7,725.00	(77¾) 7,725.00
*\$10,000 Northern Pacific Ry. Refunding & Improvement Mtge. 6s "B"— 2047	(96½) 9,665.00	(96½) 9,665.00
\$10,000 Pennsylvania R. R. Gen'l Mtge. 5s "B"—1968	(88) 8,800.00	(88) 8,800.00
\$10,000 Pennsylvania R. R. 15 Yr. Secured 6½s—1936	(99⅞) 10,002.50	(99⅞) 10,002.50
\$10,000 Southern Pacific, Central Pacific Stock Coll. 4s—1949	(68¼) 6,840.00	(68¼) 6,840.00
\$10,000 Southern Railway 1st Cons. Mtge. 5s—1994	(86) 8,600.00	(86) 8,600.00
\$15,000 Southern Railway, Mobile & Ohio Coll. 4s—1938	(59) 8,850.00	(59) 8,850.00
\$5,000 U. S Government Liberty Loan 4th, 4¼s—1938	(88.22) 4,417.25	(88.22) 4,417.25
75 shares Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry. pfd.	(40) 3,000.00	(40) 3,000.00
12 shares Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry. com.	(25½) 306.00	(25½) 306.00
5 shares National Bank of Com- merce	(164) 820.00	(164) 820.00
5 shares Union Pacific R. R. pfd....	(65¼) 326.25	(65¼) 326.25

*Acquired through conversion of \$10,000 Northern Pacific-Great Northern Ry. 6½s.

SECURITIES PURCHASED DURING THE YEAR

		Book Value Oct. 1, 1921		Book Value Oct. 1, 1922
\$5,000	Tidewater Oil Co. 15 Yr. 6½s—1931. Bought Dec. 19, 1921.....	(101)	\$5,057.50	(101) \$5,057.50
\$5,000	Great Northern Ry. Gen'l Mtge. 5½s "B"—1952. Bought March 31, 1922	(96⅝)	4,838.75	(96⅝) 4,838.75
\$5,000	N. Y. Central R. R. Ref. & Imp. Mtge. 5s "C"—2013. Bought April 12, 1922	(94½)	4,725.00	(94½) 4,725.00
\$10,000	Missouri Pacific R. R. 1st & Ref. Mtge. 6s "D"—1949. Bought April 20, 1922	(99)	9,915.00	(99) 9,915.00
\$5,000	Delaware & Hudson 5½s—1937. Bought Aug. 24, 1922	(101⅞)	5,101.25	(101⅞) 5,101.25

Permanent Endowment Fund

\$3,000	N. Y. Central & Hudson River R. R. Co. Mtge. 3½s—1997	(67)	\$2,010.00	(67) \$2,010.00
\$1,000	N. Y. Central & Hudson River R. R. Co. Mtge. 3½s—1997	(65)	651.25	(65) 651.25
\$50	U. S. Government Liberty Loan 3d, 4¼s—1928	(44.30)	44.30	(44.30) 44.30
\$300	U. S. Government Liberty Loan 3d, 4¼s—1928	(86.20)	259.35	(86.20) 259.35
\$100	U. S. Government Liberty Loan 4th, 4¼s—1938	(87.02)	87.02	(87.02) 87.02
\$600	U. S. Government Liberty Loan 4th, 4¼s—1938	(86.86)	521.66	(86.86) 521.66

SECURITIES PURCHASED DURING THE YEAR

\$1,000	Louisville & Nashville 1st & Ref. 5½s "A"—2003. Bought March 4, 1922	(102)	\$1,021.50	(102) \$1,021.50
\$150	U. S. Government Liberty Loan 3d, 4¼s—1928. Bought March 4, 1922	(98.30)	148.45	(98.30) 148.45
\$300	U. S. Government Liberty Loan 4th, 4¼s—1938. Bought March 4, 1922	(97.60)	293.80	(97.60) 293.80

Matthew B. DuBois Ward Trust Fund

\$5,000	Pennsylvania R. R. Gen'l Mtge. 5s "B"—1968	(88)	\$4,400.00	(91¼) \$4,562.50
\$1,000	U. S. Government Liberty Loan 2d, 4¼s—1942	(90.20)	902.00	..... 930.80
\$1,000	U. S. Government Liberty Loan 3d, 4¼s—1928 .....	.....	977.70	..... 977.70
\$2,000	U. S. Government Liberty Loan 3d, 4¼s—1928	(93.90)	1,878.00	..... 1,928.85
\$2,000	U. S. Government Liberty Loan 4th, 4¼s—1938	(90.80)	1,816.00	..... 1,868.00
\$500	Victory Liberty Loan 4¾s—1923.....	.....	497.10	..... 497.10

SECURITIES PURCHASED DURING THE YEAR

		Book Value Oct. 1, 1921		Book Value Oct. 1, 1922
\$2,000 Louisville & Nashville 1st & Ref. Mtge. 5½s "A"—2003. Bought April 10, 1922	(102)	\$2,043.00	(102)	\$2,043.00
\$100 N. Y. Central & Hudson River R. R. Ref. & Imp. Mtge. 5s "C"—2013. Bought April 12, 1922	(95)	95.00	(95)	95.00

Bonds and Mortgages

John Connors Mortgage 5%	\$14,000.00
Frederick W. Meyer Mortgage 5%	20,000.00
Rose Levere Mortgage 5½%	10,000.00
Barnett Wilensky Mortgage No. 1 3%	23,000.00
Barnett Wilensky Mortgage No. 2 3%	20,400.00
Robert Tag Mortgage 5%	21,750.00
Edwin V. Hellawell Mortgage 6%	22,000.00
Werner Mortgage 6%	35,000.00
	\$166,150.00

Real Estate

61st Street Land and Buildings	\$165,067.63
New Building, 45 Amsterdam Avenue	127,936.65
159 West 61st Street	76,704.13
157 West 61st Street	16,000.00
	\$385,708.41

Permanent Endowment Fund

David Pollack Mortgage 5½%	\$14,833.33
David Pollack Mortgage 5½%	14,833.33
David Pollack Mortgage 5½%	13,833.35
\$4,000 N. Y. Central & Hudson River R. R. Co. Mortgage 3½s— 1997	2,661.25
\$1,000 Louisville & Nashville 1st & Ref. 5½s "A"—2003	1,021.50
\$500 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 3d 4¼s—1928	452.10
\$1,000 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 4th 4¼s—1938	902.48
Cash, Central Union Trust Company	44.27
	\$48,581.61



ST. CHRISTOPHER'S WARD

CHILDREN'S ADMITTING WARD—CUBICLES TO PREVENT CROSS INFECTION—GLASS TO PROMOTE SUNSHINE AND SOCIABILITY

New York Nursery and Child's Hospital

Donations of Money Received by Treasurer

October 1, 1921—September 30, 1922

Daniel C. Adams, Esq. (Century Fund)	\$100.00	Eugene G. Foster, Esq. (Century Fund)	100.00
G. W. Adams, Esq.	10.00	August Gebhard, Esq.	20.00
A Friend (through Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee Century Fund)	100.00	Mrs. Walter Geer	25.00
A Friend (through Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee Century Fund)	100.00	Mrs. James W. Gerard (Century Fund)	100.00
Anonymous	6.70	Elbridge T. Gerry, Esq. (Century Fund)	100.00
Stephen Baker, Esq. (Century Fund)	100.00	Mrs. Robert L. Gerry (salary for seamstress)	160.00
Mrs. Henry G. Bartel	5.00	Robert L. Gerry, Esq. (salaries Social Service Worker and Resident Physician)...	3,900.00
Miss Alice J. Baxter	2.00	Mrs. James J. Goodwin	25.00
Edward J. Berwind, Esq. (Century Fund)	200.00	Mrs. Charles H. Gurney	750.00
In memory of his wife, Herminie Horrey Berwind.		Augustus C. Gurnee, Esq. (Century Fund)	50.00
(\$100 to continue donation for many years given by Mrs. Berwind.)		(In memory of Mrs. W. S. Gurnee.)	
(\$100 to continue donation for many years given by Mr. Berwind.)		Mrs. Y. A. Hadden	100.00
George Borgfeldt & Company	25.00	Miss Jane Hall	20.00
Charles Boucher, Esq. (Century Fund)	100.00	Mrs. E. H. Harriman (Century Fund)	100.00
Mrs. John M. Bowers (Century Fund)	100.00	Jack Harris, Esq.	100.00
Mrs. Franklin I. Brown	3.00	Robert Hoe, Esq. (for six surgical beds)	140.00
Miss Emily Vernon Clark ...	15.00	Charles H. Holland, Esq. (Clinic Building Fund) ...	25.00
Cornell University (Salaries),	4,881.65	Clarence M. Hyde, Esq.	25.00
Gherardi Davis, Esq. (Century Fund),	100.00	Mrs. C. Oliver Iselin (Century Fund)	100.00
(In memory of his wife, Alice Davis.)		Mrs. Helen Hartley Jenkins (Century Fund)	100.00
Mrs. Warren Delano	25.00	G. E. Jennings, Esq.	1.00
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February 1st, 1922, to February 1st, 1923

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Mrs. D. K. Weiskopf	Toys	
Miss Frances Hoppin	4 baby caps	
Mrs. James Dowd	10 dozen stockings, 5 dozen baby shirts	
Mrs. Ashton C. Clarkson	3 baby caps, 1 baby sweater	
Dora Louise Pousette-Dart	Picture book	
Miss Frances Hoppin	1 baby cap	
Mrs. Harold B. Holmes	Valentines	
Mr. Robert Hoe	6 iron beds with special adjustable bottoms	
Hospital Book and Newspaper Society	Books and magazines	

MARCH

Mrs. A. M. Orne	Book	
Miss Edith S. Colquitt	Post Cards	

APRIL

St. Stephen's Church	Flowers	
Mrs. H. B. Walker	Worsted Dolls	
Mrs. L. A. LaBarre	Magazines	
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Miss Nora McMahan	} Thirty Easter Eggs	
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English-Speaking Union	Flowers	
Mrs. Francis Edward Hill	Box of preserves	
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Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee	Magazines	
Hospital Book and Newspaper Society	Books and magazines	
Mr. Walter E. Sachs	Alpine lamp	
Mrs. Ashton C. Clarkson	2 native trees for roof	

MAY

Mrs. Joseph Dick	Bed and clothing	
Miss Grace T. Layer	Flowers	
Blair Academy	Flowers	
Rutherford Public Schools	Flowers	
Miss Harriet Carter	Post cards	
Scarsdale Garden Club	Flowers	
Blair Academy	Flowers	
Union Methodist Church	Flowers	
Mrs. S. B. Chapin	Magazines	
Miss Grace T. Layer	Flowers	
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Mrs. Gustav Pagenstecher	Box of tulips	
Dr. Fellowes Davis, Jr.	2 instruction charts for nurses' lecture room	
Barbara and Marjorie Schwartz	Toys	
Dr. Edward H. Peaslee	Cocoanuts	
Miss Elizabeth Beck	Flowers	
Mrs. John Levy	Books and games	
Miss Grace T. Layer	Flowers	
Mrs. Engel	Magazines	
Dr. Edward H. Dennen	Magazines	

JUNE

Scarsdale Garden Club	Flowers
Mrs. Benedict	8 shawls
Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee	Books and magazines
Miss Grace T. Layer	Flowers
Pierrepoint School	Flowers
Scarsdale Garden Club	Flowers
Mrs. J. R. Carter	Bottles
Mrs. Henry E. Fritz	"Kiddie-Kar"
Miss Rhoda Buchanan	Doll
Mrs. Fred Guinzberg	Flowers
Pierrepoint School	Flowers
Scarsdale Garden Club	Flowers
Mrs. Porter	6 shawls
Miss Kildenbrand	Post cards

JULY

Scarsdale Garden Club	Flowers
Tried and True Class	S. S. papers
Scarsdale Garden Club	Flowers
Mrs. James Stark	Flowers
Mr. Dave Noeder	4½ dozen children's dresses

AUGUST

Union Methodist Church	Flowers
Mrs. Henry Phipps	Flowers
Union Methodist Church	Flowers
Miss Frances Hoppin	5 baby shawls
Mr. E. J. Cadigan	Post cards
Mrs. Paul Plunkett	Flowers

SEPTEMBER

Mrs. Paul Plunkett	Flowers
Mrs. Grace B. Walker	Worsted Dolls
Union Methodist Church	Flowers
Miss Isobel Banks	S. S. papers
Mr. Cornelius Fellowes	Flowers
Scarsdale Garden Club	Flowers

OCTOBER

Union Methodist Church	Flowers
American Bankers' Association	12 ferns
Dr. M. H. Harris' Sunday School	Fruit
Mrs. Strauss	Box of apples
Christ Church	Cards
Church Periodical Club (Mr. S. M. Taplin)	Papers

NOVEMBER

Mr. J. Frederick Talcott	Medals for the kiddies
Mrs. M. H. Hamilton	Scales
Mr. D. C. Adams	Books
Phi Omega Pi	Toys
Mrs. Susie E. Moore	Flowers
Mrs. Allan Bakewell	Clothing

DECEMBER

Members of Kiwanis Club of N. Y. C.....	379 Christmas packages each containing book, doll or game, and candy; 1 large Christmas tree with trimmings.
Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee	Books
Mrs. J. C. Edgar	Old linen
Suzuki & Co.	Flowers
Mrs. James P. Burrell	Crocheted balls and post cards
Mrs. Porter	Knitted caps
George Borgfeldt & Co.	Case of toys
Mrs. J. F. D. Lanier	2 woolen scarfs
Miss Mary Doty	Victrola records
Mr. Joseph Rosenfeld	Paper dolls and blocks
Hospital Book and Newspaper Society	Reading matter
Mrs. M. Engel	1 doz. children's dresses, 3 doz. children's white coats
Mrs. A. J. McComb	2 sweaters and toys
Mrs. Rex Beach	Toys
The Schavoir Rubber Co.	1 box rubber balls and toys
Children's Cheer League	3 packages of toys
Mrs. A. S. Sullivan	Candy and toys
Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee	Christmas cards
Mrs. Randolph Mason, Mrs. Bowers, Mrs. Bissell	Toys
Dr. Edward H. Peaslee	1 box of greens
Philip and Dorothea Liebmann	Toys
Mrs. George Austin	17 knitted caps
L. J. Rose	Box of crackers and jellies
Samuel Gabriel Sons & Co.	Books and toys
Mrs. Rosenberg	Toys
S. & H. Grocery	Box of raspberry jam
Simon Ascher & Co., Inc. (through Mrs. H. Grumbach) ...	Woolen knit goods
H. W. Kusters	Toys
Mrs. George W. Hill	100 pounds candy
Mrs. Arthur C. Anderson	Clothing
Mrs. R. Levy	Toys
Mrs. Cohen	Doll, 2 woolen caps and scarf
Margaret Alice Lee	Toys
Y. W. C. A. (Miss Godfrey)	Rag dolls
Mrs. M. M. Goldsmith	Toys
Misses Louise and Bertha Clausen	Christmas stockings
Mrs. A. R. Pope	Candy and toys
Franklin Simon & Co.	123 articles of clothing
Mrs. Rosetta Goldsmith	2 dozen balls
Mrs. Gordan H. Balch	Toys
Mrs. Lewis Moore	30 pounds candy
Mr. S. G. Currie	Phonograph for children's floor
Mrs. W. H. Birchall	2 children's sweaters
Mrs. Barnett	Toys
Fleischaker & Baum	Dolls

JANUARY

Mrs. Henry Seligman	6 crocheted blankets
Miss Frances Hoppin	4 shawls, 12 baby caps
John Martin's Bookshop	Magazines for children
St. Stephen's Church (Dr. Seagle)	Flowers
Mrs. J. H. Foster	Flowers
American Red Cross (our material),	20,000 surgical dressings

Hospital Statistics for Year Ending September 30, 1922.

	OBSTETRIC SERVICE				GYNECOLOGICAL		PEDIATRIC SERVICE			GRAND TOTAL	
	Private		Ward		Private	Ward	Hospital	B. O. D.	Total	1922	1921
	Women	Babies	Women	Babies							
Patients in Hospital, October 1, 1921.....	42	36	30	29	3	3	33	33	66	209	212
Admitted during year...	1,004	989	804	783	274	84	609	*380	989	4,927	4,778
Total number treated...	1,046	1,025	834	812	277	87	642	413	1,055	5,136	4,990
Discharged during year,	1,004	995	799	779	265	81	637	372	1,009	4,932	4,806
Remaining Sept. 30, 1922	42	30	35	33	12	6	5	41	46	204	184
Deliveries	981	.....	779	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,760	1,760	1,679
Outdoor Department: Deliveries in homes... Visits to homes by doctors and nurses...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	635	621
Outpatient Department: New Patients .....	.....	.....	1,614	.....	.....	1,010	.....	.....	2,838	5,462	5,044
Revisits to Dispensary	.....	.....	3,933	.....	.....	1,045	.....	.....	12,113	17,091	16,357
Total visits.....	.....	.....	5,547	.....	.....	2,055	.....	.....	14,951	22,553	21,401
Social Service Cases....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,206	3,886
Social Service Visits....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,858	7,303
B. O. D. Department: Number children cared for	685	600
Visits to children.....	6,447	6,702

* Sick, 286; Well, 94.



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Medical Report

October 1, 1921, to September 30, 1922

PEDIATRIC SERVICE

Pediatric Service	
In Hospital Oct. 1st, 1921.....	66
Admitted—	
Boarding-Out Dept.—Well, 94	
Sick, 286	
Hospital Cases	633
	—1,013
Total Treated	1,079
Discharged	1,033
Remaining Sept. 30th, 1922.....	46

Pediatric Diseases

Circulatory System	13
Blood Diseases	13
Ductless Glands	1
Lymphatic System	16
Digestive System	109
Disease Caused by Poisons	1
Nutritional Diseases	146
Miscellaneous Diseases	2
Respiratory System	516
Nervous System	32
Diseases of New-Born	118
Genito-Urinary System	97
Diseases of the Skin	70
Infectious Diseases	53
Syphilis	6
Tuberculosis	42
Organs of Locomotion—Skull and Spine	12
General Injuries	2
Ear	272
Eye	21
Well Children	94

Condition on Discharge

Well	394
Improved	405
Not Improved	69
Died—	
Under 24 hours	48
Over 24 hours	117
	— 165
	1,033

Deaths Classified Under Region Affected

Circulatory System	3
Lymphatic System	4
Digestive System	9
Nutritional Diseases	15
Miscellaneous Diseases	2
Respiratory System	54
Nervous System	10
Diseases of New-Born	42
Infectious Diseases	10
Tuberculosis	7
Ear	9

Causes of Death

Prematurity	36
Prematurity and Broncho Pneu- monia	2
Prematurity, Strangulated Ingui- nal Hernia	1
Prematurity and Atelectasis	3
Prematurity and Abscess of Scalp	1
Prematurity and Cerebral Hemi- orrhage	1
Broncho Pneumonia	38
Broncho Pneumonia, Bilateral Otitis Media and Mastoidi- tis	2
Broncho Pneumonia, Streptococ- cus Bacterameia	1
Broncho Pneumonia and Masto- iditis	1
Broncho Pneumonia and Intes- tinal Indigestion	1
Chronic Broncho Pneumonia, Multiple Lung Abscesses and Empyema	1
Lobar Pneumonia	1
Lobar Pneumonia and Empy- ema	1
Lobar Pneumonia and Chronic Valvular Disease	1
Cerebro Spinal Meningitis	2
Cerebro Spinal Meningitis and Otitis Media	1

MEDICAL REPORT—(Continued)

Cerebral Hemorrhage due to prolonged delivery	1	Septicemia and Peritonitis	1
Malnutrition and Otitis Media ..	1	Tetany and Broncho Pneumonia	1
Malnutrition and Sclerema	1	Gastro Enteritis and Acidosis ..	1
Malnutrition, Cellulitis of Scalp secondary to Furunculosis	1	Sepsis from Infection of Umbilicus	1
Malnutrition	2	Hodgkins' Diseases, Secondary Anemia	1
Malnutrition and Sepsis	1	Congenital Intestinal Obstruction	1
Marasmus	2	Hemorrhagic Disease of New Born	1
Marasmus and Broncho Pneumonia	4	Septicemia, Secondary to Cellulitis of Elbow	1
Marasmus and Erysipelas	1	Bilateral Retropharyngeal Abscess and Bacteremia	1
Tuberculosis and Broncho Pneumonia	2	Septicemia	2
Tuberculous Meningitis	1	Suppurative Cervical Adenitis, Septicemia	1
Tuberculous Meningitis and Broncho Pneumonia	1	Pneumococcus Peritonitis and Pneumococcus Sepsis	1
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	2	Chronic Cardiac Valvular Disease	1
Pulmonary Tuberculosis, Mastoiditis and Sinus Thrombosis	1	Scurvy, Secondary Anemia	1
General Miliary Tuberculosits and Tuberculous Meningitis ..	2	Streptococcus Meningitis	1
Mastoiditis and Broncho Pneumonia	1	Gastro Enteritis	1
Otitis Media and Mastoiditis ...	1	Gastro Enteritis, Bilateral Otitis Media	1
Bilateral Otitis Media and Acute Intestinal Intoxication	1	Status Lymphaticus, Congestion of Internal Organs, Thymus Gland	1
Otitis Media, Mastoiditis and Pneumococcus Meningitis	2	Chronic Internal Hydrocephalus, Encephalitis Lethargica	1
Otitis Media, Bilateral Mastoiditis and Gastro Enteritis	1	Chronic Valvular Disease, Myocardial Insufficiency	1
Bilateral Otitis Media and Convulsions	1	Congenital Obliteration of Bile Duct	1
Nasopharyngitis and Bilateral Otitis Media	1	Status Lymphaticus	1
Nasopharyngitis and Malnutrition	1	Peritonitis	1
Nasopharyngitis, Otitis Media and Broncho Pneumonia	1	Acute Intestinal Intoxication ...	2
Nasopharyngitis, Otitis Media, Mastoiditis and Septicemia ...	1	Streptococcus Septicemia	1
Nasopharyngitis and Broncho Pneumonia	1	Diaphragmatic Hernia and Gastric Dilatation	1
Nasopharyngitis, Suppurative Otitis Media, Septicemia and Peritonitis	1	Intestinal Intoxication and Otitis Media	1
Ethmoiditis, Sepsis	1	Intestinal Intoxication and Broncho Pneumonia	1
Cirrhosis of Liver	1	Influenza and Influenza Meningitis	1
Pneumococcus Peritonitis	1		

OBSTETRIC SERVICE—INDOOR

Obstetric Service—Indoor	
Total number of women delivered	1,760
Male Infants	904
Female Infants	868
	1,772
Delivered by Visiting Physicians (private)	822
Delivered by Resident Physician (private)	160
Delivered by House Staff	778
	1,760

Presentations

Vertex	1,686
Breech	77
Transverse	5
Face	3
Precipitate	1
	1,772

Operative Deliveries

Forceps Delivery—Low	248
Medium	148
High	29
Forceps on after coming head... ..	2
Version and Breech Extraction, ..	55
Breech Extraction	38
Cesarean Section (Classical)	49
Cesarean Section (Low Flap)	2
Episiotomy	51
Induction of Labor (Bagging)	44
Bagging (Placenta Previa)	3
Manual Dilatation of Cervix	12
Instrumental Dilatation of Cervix ..	2
Repair of 3° Laceration	9
Manual Extraction of Placenta, ..	7
Craniotomy	2
Embryectomy	1
Transfusion for Post Partum Hemorrhage	2
Tamponage of Uterus	20
Miscarriages	14
Abortions—Induced	13
Incomplete	24

Complications

Twin Pregnancy	12
Premature Still Births	13
Still Birth at Term	37
Monstrosities	4
Dry Labor	25
Uterine Inertia	12
Contracted Pelvis	21

Toxemia of Pregnancy—Mild ..	16
Severe, ..	8
Eclampsia	8
Placenta Previa	8
Partially Detached Placenta	5
Polyhydramnios	7
Prolapse Cord	7
Contraction Ring Dystocia	2
Post Partum Hemorrhage	14
Adherent Placenta	3
Retained Placenta	5
Uterus Didelphys	3
Pelvic Kidney	1
Ovarian Cyst	3
Fibroid Uterus	3
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	2
Tubercular Laryngitis	1
Cardiac	14
Congenital Dislocation (both hips) ..	1
Chronic Nephritis	3
Puerperal Psychosis	4
Goitre	2
Diabetes	1
Phlebitis	5
Breast Abscess	11
Puerperal Sepsis	3

Condition on Discharge (Women)

Well	1,702
Improved	90
Not Improved	7
Died	4

Cause of Death (Women)

Diabetic Coma (Puerperal) ..	
Breech Extraction—Monstrosity Still Birth (Ward Case) ..	1
Post Partum Shock and Hemorrhage, Medium Forceps, 24 hours' labor—Cervical Dystocia (Private Case)	1
Puerperal Sepsis, Normal Delivery—Labor induced with bag-membranes ruptured 2 days (Private Case)	1
Pulmonary Embolus, 12 days Post Partum, Normal Delivery (Private Case)	1

Condition on Discharge—Born-in Babies

Well	1,682
Improved	53
Died	39

MEDICAL REPORT—(Continued)

Deaths—Born-in Babies		Intestinal Obstruction due to	
Congenital Heart Disease	2	Congenital Adhesive Bands ..	1
Post-operative Shock, Spina Bi- fida (with Myelo Meningo- cele)	1	Acute Capillary Bronchitis, Stat- us Lymphaticus	1
Hemorrhagic Disease of New Born	4	Congenital Cystic Kidney	1
Hypertrophy Thymus	1	Congenital Heart Disease, defect in Intraventricular Septum ...	1
Prematurity-Inanition	1	Broncho Pneumonia	1
Atelectasis-Neonatorum	4	Intra-Cranial Hemorrhage, For- ceps Delivery	1
Prematurity	16	Intra-Cranial Hemorrhage, Long Labor, Forceps	1
Prematurity, Version and Breech Extraction, partially detached Placenta	1	Prematurity, Broncho Pneu- monia	1
Pulmonary Oedema, following Gastro Enterostomy for Intes- tinal Obstruction	1		<hr/> 39

OBSTETRIC SERVICE—OUTDOOR

Total number delivered	635	Hair Lip and Cleft Palate	1
		Post Partum Hemorrhage	1
Presentations		Deaths Outdoor Obstetrical Serv- ice (Women)	
Vertex	562	None.	
Breech	14	Deaths Outdoor Obstetrical Serv- ice (Babies)	
Face	3	Premature Still Births	10
Transverse	3	Still Births at Term	6
Precipitate	60	Atelectasis	1
Double Footling	1	Visits to Tenements	
Operations		Doctors	1,276
Low Forceps	7	Students	2,335
Medium Forceps	5	White Nurses	3,896
High Forceps	2	Colored Nurses	1,286
Version	5	Total	<hr/> 8,793
Complications			
Twins	8		
Complete Abortions	6		
Miscarriages	2		
Premature Separation of Pla- centa	1		

INFANT DEATH RATE

	Total	Still-Births at Term	Rate	Premature Still-Births	Rate	Total Still- Births	Rate	Infant Deaths to 14 Days	Rate	Grand Total	Rate
Private Cases...	826	17	2.06%	7	.85%	24	2.91%	19	2.37%	43	5.21%
Hospital Cases..	950	20	2.11%	6	.63%	26	2.70%	20	2.16%	46	4.80%
Outdoor Cases..	643	6	.93%	10	1.55%	16	2.48%	1	.16%	17	2.64%
 Total	 2415	 43	 1.78%	 23	 .95%	 66	 2.73%	 40	 1.70%	 106	 4.39%

MATERNAL DEATH RATE

	<i>Total</i>	<i>Deaths</i>	<i>Rate</i>
Private Cases	822	3	.36%
Hospital Cases	938	1	.11%
Outdoor Cases	635	0	.....
 Total	2395	4	.17%



The newly equipped septic nursery. The glass partitions are large enough to prevent cross infection but small enough for a minimum interference with ventilation.

SURGICAL SERVICE

Total number of admissions ...	356	Excision of Bartholin Cyst	1
Dilatation and Curettage	139	Removal of Intra-Ligamentous	
Anterior Colporrhaphy	14	Cyst of Left Broad Ligament,	1
Posterior Colporrhaphy	7	Removal of Rectal Polyp	1
Perineorrhaphy	31	Repair of Hernia	2
Bilateral Trachelorrhaphy	20	Simpson Shortening of Round	
Interposition Operation	2	Ligaments	2
Appendectomy	62	Cystoscopic (Diagnostic)	3
Cesarean Section	51	Cholecystectomy	1
Stem Pessary	15	Excision of Hymen	4
Dilatation of Cervix	14	Plastic Enlargement Vagina ...	1
Amputation of Cervix	14	Excision of simple non-infected	
Incision and Drainage (Breast		Cyst of Left Vulvo-Vaginal	
Abscess)	10	Gland	1
Gilliam Suspension	17	Kelly Operation Suspension ...	1
Freeing of Adhesions	6	Sterilization	6
Repair of Spina Bifida	2	Hemorrhoidectomy	6
Bilateral Salpingectomy	4	Excision of Fibroma (Right	
Salpingectomy (Right)	5	Breast)	1
Salpingectomy (Left)	4	Excision of Tumor (Left	
Resection of Cyst of Right		Breast), Diagnostic	1
Ovary	2	Insertion of Radium	4
Plastic on Both Tubes	1	Myomectomy	3
Partial Resection of Both Tubes,	2	Transfusion for Primary Anemia,	
Resection of Right Cystic Ovary,	1	6 days Post Partum	1
Resection of Right Tube	1	Utero-Sacral and Simpson	
Left Oophorectomy	5	Shortening of Round Liga-	
Right Oophorectomy	3	ments	1
Double Oophorectomy	2	Excision of Cervical Polyp ...	1
Salpingo-Oophorectomy (Left),	11	Excision of Right Breast	1
Salpingo-Oophorectomy (Right),	8	Kelly repair of Urethrocele ...	1
Bilateral Salpingo Oophorec-			
tomy	6	Condition on Discharge	
Exploratory Laparotomy	15	Well	225
Supra-Vaginal Hysterectomy ...	14	Improved	111
Vaginal Hysterectomy	2	Not Improved	7
Complete Hysterectomy	2	Died	2
Removal of Vaginal Cyst	1	345	
Utero-Sacral and Modified Gil-		Deaths on Surgical Service	
liam Suspension	2	Supra-Vaginal Hysterectomy Bi-	
Ventral Suspension	11	lateral Salpingo Oophorec-	
Sacral Suspension	1	tomy, Fibroid Uterus, Chronic	
Ventral Fixation	1	Myocarditis	1
Post Vaginal Section	2	Carcinoma (Primary both Ova-	
Alexander Suspension of Uterus,	1	ries), Exploratory Lapora-	
Shortening of Round Liga-		tomy	1
ments (Baldy-Webster)	2		
Multiple Myomectomy	1		

Report of the House Committee

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

IN JANUARY, 1922, the House Committee of the Nursery and Child's Hospital was reorganized, with a membership of nine ladies. The Committee functioned through three sub-committees—the Boarding-Out Department Committee, the Committee on Nurses and the Housekeeping Committee. The members of each of these Committees visited the Hospital frequently and made reports on conditions as they found them in their several Departments, at the regular monthly meetings of the House Committee. Various helpful suggestions were made and acted upon. The Boarding-Out Department Committee rendered special aid to its Department by making possible a semi-annual doctor's examination of the children in its care.

KITTY L. HARRIMAN,
Chairman.



A corner of the premature nursery. The room is kept at a temperature of 80 degrees with ample ventilation. Hoods are placed on the bassinets to protect the babies from draft.

Donations for Special Purposes

Easter Fund

It has been for many years a custom to place a Lily plant in each Ward and Dining Room of the Hospital on Easter Day. Contributions to the Fund this year were received from:

RECEIPTS		EXPENDITURES	
Mrs. Bowers	\$5.00	Julius for Plants for Wards,	\$56.00
Mrs. Clarkson	3.00	Three Rose Bushes for	
Mrs. de Peyster	5.00	Heads of Departments ...	9.00
Mrs. Du Bois	5.00	One Dozen Ivy Plants for	
Miss Du Bois	5.00	Roof Garden Boxes	4.00
Mrs. William A. Harriman..	10.00		<hr/>
Miss Hoppin	2.00	Balance forward to Florence	\$69.00
Miss LeRoy	5.00	Nightingale Day Fund	5.00
Dr. Partridge	5.00		
Dr. Peaslee	5.00		
Mrs. Pratt	10.00		
Mrs. Witherbee	14.00		
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	\$74.00		\$74.00

As the Hospital was open for inspection on Florence Nightingale Day and Members of the House Committee received all visitors, the entrance hall and wards were brightened by a few Spring blossoms and rented plants.

RECEIPTS		EXPENDITURES	
Balance from Easter Fund..	\$5.00	Julius for loan of plants and	
Mrs. Du Bois	8.00	delivery of same	\$15.00
Mrs. Witherbee	12.00	Ten large bunches of lilacs..	10.00
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	\$25.00		\$25.00

MRS. FRANK S. WITHERBEE,
Treasurer.

Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee and Mrs. Robert L. Gerry each provide a seamstress to aid in the Sewing Room throughout the year.

Social Service Committee

Active Members

MRS. W. THORN KISSEL, *Chairman*

MRS. WILLIAM H. APPLETON
MRS. WILLIAM ARMOUR
MRS. L. L. BENEDICT
MRS. J. G. BLAINE, JR.
MRS. N. J. BOOKER
MRS. J. C. CLARK
MRS. STEPHEN C. CLARK

MRS. L. L. BENEDICT, *Secretary*

MRS. ROBERT L. GERRY
MRS. JAY GOULD
MRS. O'DONNELL ISELIN
MRS. GRAYSON M. P. MURPHY
MRS. GUSTAV PAGENSTECHER
MRS. L. B. RAND
MRS. JOSEPH WALKER

Associate Members

MRS. A. V. ARMOUR
MRS. GEORGE ARMOUR
MRS. ELLIOTT BACON
MISS EDNA BARGER
MR. N. J. BOOKER
MISS BERTHA BOOT
MRS. F. AMBROSE CLARK
MRS. T. L. CHADBOURNE
MRS. RICHARD COLT
MRS. G. A. CROCKER
MISS HELEN CROCKER
MRS. JOHN CUTLER
MISS ELEANOR CUYLER
MRS. CHARLES DICKEY
MRS. CLEVELAND E. DODGE
MRS. WILLIAM P. DOUGLAS
MRS. NEWBOLD LE ROY EDGAR
MRS. THOMAS EMERY
MRS. H. K. EVANS
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MRS. HORACE HAVEMEYER
MRS. EDWIN O. HOLTON, JR.
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MRS. R. F. HOYT
MRS. E. ROWLAND HARRIMAN
MRS. W. R. INNIS
MRS. ADRIAN ISELIN
MRS. COLUMBUS ISELIN
MRS. LEWIS ISELIN
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MRS. FREDERICK OSBORN
MRS. PAUL PENNOYER
MR. W. P. PICKHARDT
MRS. JOHN PITNEY
MISS POND
MRS. JOHN T. PRATT
MRS. JOHN PRENTICE
MRS. WILLIAM ROSSE PROCTOR
MRS. G. L. REDMOND
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MRS. CHARLES S. SARGENT
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MRS. F. C. SAYLER
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MRS. JOHN SLOANE
MISS M. T. SMITH
MRS. R. PENN SMITH
MRS. MANSFIELD TERRY
MISS EMILY TREVOR
MRS. H. C. VALENTINE
MRS. LANGDON VALENTINE
MRS. G. H. WALKER
MR. JOSEPH WALKER
MRS. J. S. WATSON
MRS. ARNOLD WHITREDGE
MRS. F. M. WITHERS

Second Annual Report of the Social Service Committee

October, 1921—September, 1922

THE Social Service Committee has shown considerable growth during its second year. The active members have increased from ten to sixteen and our list of associate members is now seventy, as against forty of last year.

The dues of the Associate Members brought in \$1,145.00 to date and the money was placed in the Relief Fund. This fund has been spent principally in giving convalescent care, extra nourishment, temporary shelter and emergent relief to those of our families in need, who are not being cared for by other Welfare Organizations.

We have also spent considerable money in dues to organizations who have in return given us most helpful assistance necessary to our work. One of the new memberships this year was the Clinton Neighborhood Dental Clinic, which has cared for one hundred and twenty-six of our mothers and children. Realizing the importance of this branch of health work, we hope to extend the privilege to many more during the coming year.

It was thought advisable to have members of the committee directly responsible for different branches of the work of the department. One member assigned to the Cardiac Class, another to the Nutrition Class, Convalescent Care, Dental Work, Layettees and Obstetrical Bags, Employment, etc. They have visited and conferred with institutions and organizations interested in Public Health and Welfare Work, thereby broadening our vision and eliminating as much as possible duplication and wasted effort.

Beginning August 1, we were able to add another Pediatric Worker to the personnel of the department in an effort to follow up more completely the children discharged from the Hospital. The two Obstetrical Nurses added to the staff last year in the interest of the Outdoor Service have proven the most qualified help to the physicians and a great comfort to the mothers delivered at home.

Our convalescent care the past summer has been doubled and we hope during this year to send a larger number of mothers and children to the country during the very hot weather.

The number of children placed in foster homes through the splendid co-operation of the Boarding-Out Department has practically doubled this year. In spite of efforts made to keep mother and child together, in most cases the economic pressure is such that the mother is compelled to work to make ends meet and it is thought advisable for the health of the child to place it for temporary foster care. The types of babies so placed have been varied and extremely interesting.

We want to extend our thanks to the Mayor's Committee on Free Milk for having given us 9,207 quarts of milk and also to the Italian School, whose girls' sewing class made us three dozen layettes. It would be impossible to thank all the Health and Welfare Organizations we are indebted to for their splendid help to us.

We owe a vote of thanks to the workers of the department for their loyalty and untiring efforts.

FRANCES DALLETT KISSEL,
Chairman.

Staff

MISS HARRIET JANE SMITH, R.N., *Director*

MISS G. M. NEVINS, R.N., *Assistant Director and Prenatal Worker*

MISS I. C. YOUNG, R.N., *Prenatal Worker*

MRS. F. DOYLE, R.N., *Prenatal Worker*

MISS SKYLDERI ANDERSEN, R.N., *Pediatric Worker*

MISS L. T. MACKINNON, R.N., *Pediatric Worker*

MISS ANNA CASSLER, *Nutrition Worker*

MISS M. QUIGLEY, *Record Clerk*

Nutrition Class

Children enrolled	30
Children underweight, 10% and 10% +.....	15
Children underweight, 7%	8
Children underweight, 5%	7
Home instructions	200

The child entering this class must be admitted from the general clinic and referred by the examining physician. Preferred cases are those not less than ten per cent underweight. All physical defects, such as diseased tonsils, adenoids, carious teeth, faulty posture, etc., are treated.

Weight taken once a week, measurements once a month. Class meets every week, Saturday A. M. Routinely, the child is weighed, the nutrition teacher gives him a slip noting the weight and passes him on to the nurse, who talks with the child and gets a report of the week's happenings, amount of sleep, exercise, fresh air, etc., and makes a note of these on the chart, with record of gain or loss. The child is then seen by the physician, who gives a physical examination, if necessary, always an interview, giving advice or encouragement, as the case may call for.

The children are then taken to the Diet kitchen where, under the direction of the nutrition worker, a simple nourishing dish is prepared and served. The mothers are invited to this class and are extremely interested.

Poster work, health games and songs are used. When a child has reached its normal weight, a diploma with seal and three signatures is given, also a gift of some educational value, and the child becomes an honorary member of the class. We have recently added a corrective posture teacher, who gives the children needing posture corrections specialized gymnastics three times a week.

Ten children were given dental treatment. Seven children were sent to the country during vacation period and returned with a gain of five to six pounds. Twelve attended the summer play school, gaining 1 to 4 pounds. Four children received diplomas. Extra nourishment in the home is supplied by the Social Service Department when necessary.

SKYLDRI ANDERSEN, R. N.,
Social Worker.

Cardiac Class

Children enrolled	250
Visits to homes	720

This class is the official Cardiac Class for the public school children of the lower West Side and has enrolled and supervised two special Cardiac Classes in Public Schools 17 and 58.

These children are segregated, twenty-five in a class, and are under observation from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. Hot lunch is served to them at school, and a rest period of one hour on cots is given after lunch under the supervision of the nurse, who also takes temperature and pulse daily.

The purpose is to make it possible for these children to continue their studies under ideal conditions. It is an experiment arranged by the Cardiac Committee of the Board of Education to determine whether segregation is to be recommended as a routine method for handling Cardiopathic children.

Children attend classes at this clinic by appointment—

Class 1. Every 2—6 months.

Class 2. Once a week.

Class 3. Put to bed at home or hospital.

Class 4 and 5. Possible and potential cardiacs report every six months.

Routine—Thorough physical examination, fluoroscopic tracings, exercise tests, vital capacity and correction of physical defects, such as diseased tonsils, carious teeth, imperfect eyesight, faulty posture, etc. Home visits, nursing care, mothers' meetings, convalescent care, vocational guidance, medical treatment, corrective posture and emergent relief under supervision of Social Service Department.

This class is not only one of the largest in the city, but has given most valuable research on functional tests which are being used in other clinics. In recognition of this work a sum of money has been contributed from the F. K. Sturges Fund to further research.

Staff

DR. MAY G. WILSON
DR. EUGENIA INGERMAN
MISS ROTHOLZ, Social Worker, Public Schools
MISS S. ANDERSEN, R.N.

Clinic Volunteers

MRS. O. LOWENSTEIN
MRS. A. MACK
MISS A. LEVY

Annual Report

October 1, 1921—September 30, 1922

Social Service Department

Visits	7,858
Families	3,206
Prenatal	1,830
Post Partum	1,412
Surgical	244
Children	1,132
Mothers given convalescent care	87
Children boarded in foster homes	95
Children given convalescent care	303
Children placed for temporary shelter	46
Mothers and children given dental treatment	126
Families given day boat trips	460
Families given relief	56
Layettes given	38
Milk supplied	10,660 qts.

Relief Fund

Balance on hand October 1, 1921	\$359.68	
Petty cash	41.26	
Returned loans	44.00	
Gifts and membership dues	2,211.70	
		<u>\$2,656.64</u>

Disbursements

Workers' carfare	\$83.30
Relief	180.72
Convalescent care	303.43
Milk	200.62
Membership dues to affiliating organizations	246.00
Layettes	166.79
Children's board	73.00
Surgical appliances	62.74
Transfusions	40.00
Worker's expenses to convention	45.00
Taxis and carfares for patients	42.44
Linen for obstetric bags	22.29
Laundry for obstetric bags	10.14
Teaching material	13.10
Printing	9.35
Expressage	5.60
Stamps and stationery	5.82
	<u>1,510.34</u>
Balance	\$1,146.30
General Fund	\$1,123.10
Petty cash	23.20
	<u>\$1,146.30</u>

GIFTS

Clothing

Mrs. Allan C. Bakewell	Mrs. William Armour
Mrs. G. M. Pressinger	Mrs. James G. Blaine
Miss Whitman	Miss Frances Young
Mrs. Whitaker	Mrs. Brown
Mrs. G. Pagenstecher	Office Staff
Mrs. L. B. Rand	Mrs. R. L. Gerry
Mrs. W. Thorn Kissel	Mrs. Murphy
Miss Littenfield	Mrs. Walker
Mr. Joseph Dowd	Miss Conover

Donations for Special Purposes

Mrs. G. Pagenstecher (children's clothing)	\$15.00
Mrs. L. B. Rand (relief)	12.00
Mrs. Stephen C. Clark (pediatric worker)	1,500.00
Mrs. L. B. Rand (dental clinic)	60.00
Mrs. O. D. Iselin (linen for obstetric bag)	15.00
Mrs. William Armour (relief)	6.50
Miss Freeman (board for child)	100.00
Mrs. Stephen C. Clark (sanitary cuspidor for dental clinic)	75.00
Miss Conover (relief)	5.00
Mr. Welker (relief)	15.00

Donations in Kind

Mrs. Rosen, nursery supplies.	Mrs. S. C. Clark, box of flowers.
Dr. Ward, two Thanksgiving dinner tickets.	Colgate & Company, talcum powder and tooth paste.
Mrs. L. S. Richardson, two baby carriages.	Y. W. C. A., valentines for children.
Sally Joy Brown, <i>Daily News</i> , five baby carriages.	Anonymous, crib, box of powder, six jars of jam.
Mrs. William Armour, 15 tickets for Cinderella Play.	Mt. Kisco Branch, Fruit and Flower Guild, ten boxes of fresh vegetables and seven boxes of flowers.
Mrs. G. Pagenstecher, books and toys.	Through Hospital, six baskets of fruit.
Mrs. Jenny, toys and magazines.	Use of automobile given by Mrs. G. Pagenstecher.
Miss Whitman, flowers and shoes.	
Mrs. William Armour, plants for outdoor patients.	

Christmas, 1921

- Eighty children attended Hospital Christmas tree.
 Kiwanis Club—Toys for eighty children.
 B. P. O. E., Lodge No. 1—Toys and clothing for thirty-five children.
 American Journal—Five Christmas dinners.
 Vincent Astor Fund, through Bellevue Social Service—Five Christmas dinners.
 West Side Unitarian School—Two Christmas dinners.
 Mrs. R. L. Hutchinson—Christmas tree, toys and clothing for six children.
 Rivoli Theatre—Sixty children given matinee tickets.
 Girl Scouts, Washington Collegiate Church—Party for twelve children.
 Girl Scouts, Bronx—Party for forty children.
 Mrs. H. B. Walker—Dolls, candy and use of automobile for three days' outing for Cardiac children.
 Mrs. W. Thorn Kissel—Clothing, two lambs.

Report of the Boarding-Out Department

THE Boarding-Out Department is now in its twentieth year, the institution having opened this branch of its work in 1902.

The aim of the Hospital is to supply a normal home life, and so far as possible a mother's and father's love to the child deprived of its own home and parents.

The statistics appended give the sources from which these children are received. From the Department of Public Welfare of the City of New York and of the counties mentioned, come the children whose parents are suffering from temporary misfortune, financial or domestic, such as loss of work, illness, the death of husband or wife, etc. From these sources also come the babies, pathetically called "Foundlings," deserted in parks, hallways, waiting rooms, even as in one instance, found in an ash can. The technical cause for which children are committed from these sources, and under such circumstances is "Destitution."

From the Children's Court, through the Gerry Society, come the children committed for "No proper guardianship" or for "Improper guardianship." Under these dry legal terms an infinity of sorrowful histories is hidden—desertion, neglect, a prison sentence, cruelty, etc.

From the Children's Aid Society and the State Charities Aid Association are received babies to be cared for pending adoption through these organizations.

The babies received through the Social Service Department of the hospital are taken by that department because they are suffering through the financial difficulties of their parents, whose cases are not such as render them eligible or suitable for assistance by the City. For similar reasons are received occasionally children from the Charity Organization Society, Jewish Aid Society, etc.

The length of time children remain under our care varies from a few months to years, as can readily be understood on considering the causes for which they are sent to us.

During the past year a Committee on the Boarding-Out Department has been appointed by the House Committee, and through its efforts various improvements have been inaugurated.

The much needed semi-annual medical examination of the children is the most important of these, the Committee on the Boarding-Out Department raising half of the funds needed for this purpose. This work has been undertaken by Dr. P. S. Astrowe, who has been appointed Examining Physician to the Boarding-Out Department, and was begun in May of this year. Its beneficial results are already evident. The Committee on the Boarding-Out Department also made suggestions regarding the purchase and supply of clothing, which were helpful, and interested its friends in sewing for the Department. The following donations of money through this Committee were applied to the expense of medical examination, previously mentioned.

Mrs. F. S. Hoppin	\$20.00
Mrs. H. S. Satterlee	40.00
Mr. E. C. Moore, Jr.	25.00
Mrs. Henry Chapelle.....	20.00
Mrs. Elton S. Wayland	10.00
Mrs. John P. Bartlett	10.00
Mrs. John H. Radway	5.00
Mrs. Jas. A. Trowbridge	5.00
Mrs. Linnaus La Fetra	5.00
Mme. Daubigné	5.00
Mrs. William Peck	5.00
Mr. John E. Wayland	25.00
Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee	25.00
Mrs. Helen W. Reeves	25.00
Total	<hr/> \$225.00

E. A. HOOPER,

Head of Boarding-Out Department.



Boarding-Out Statistics

OCTOBER 1, 1921—SEPTEMBER 30, 1922

Under care October 1, 1921	402	
Admitted during the year	283	
Total number cared for		685
Discharged	316	
Remaining September 30, 1922	369	

Classification of Children Discharged

To parents	184	
State Board of Charities (for deportation)	4	
Adopted	62	
Transferred to institutions	39	
Died	27	
		316

Classification of Children Transferred

New York Foundling Asylum	1	
Home for Hebrew Infants	1	
Hebrew Orphan Asylum	20	
Brooklyn Hebrew Orphan Asylum	10	
Colored Orphan Asylum, Riverdale	3	
Leake & Watts Orphan House	2	
Randall's Island	1	
Orphan Asylum Society of Brooklyn	1	
		39

Classification of Deaths

New York Nursery and Child's Hospital	15	
Bellevue Hospital	1	
Willard Parker Hospital	6	
In Boarding Homes	5	
		27

Sources from which Children were Received

Department Public Welfare	110	
Children's Court	58	
Westchester County	3	
Nassau County	3	
Social Service	95	
Children's Aid Society	1	
State Charities Aid Association	13	
		283

Location of Boarding Homes

Manhattan	25	
Bronx, Eastchester and Westchester	11	
Brooklyn	15	
Staten Island	21	
Queens Borough	22	
Long Island (outside of New York)	48	
Westchester County	7	
New Jersey	1	
		150

Report of the Charity Ball

THE Charity Ball of 1922 was really a great success in every particular. The Committee was most fortunate in obtaining Mrs. Henry Fairchild Osborn as Chairman and her executive ability and charming personality readily obtained co-operation and enthusiasm from other members of the Committee.

The Vice-Presidents responded generously in aiding in the sale of boxes and every box in the house was sold, including those on the first and second tier.

The Committee of the Ball also rendered valuable assistance, and to Miss Doane as Executive Secretary much appreciation for many services rendered was expressed. She is always "good all round."

Mr. Lawrence S. Butler and his aids were invaluable in charge of the large Floor Committee.

The Souvenirs of the Ball this year were in charge of Mrs. Joseph Walker III and under her direction many debutantes aided in the sale, and as the debutantes ensured the presence of an equal number of men the young folks had a party all to themselves, and a Charity Ball never before was attended by so many young people.

Mr. Cromwell Childe gave satisfaction in handling the Press Notices and donated \$100, of his usual charge for services, to the Committee.

To Black, Starr & Frost the Committee desire to express many thanks for the donation of the Souvenirs of the Ball.

It is of interest to note that there is a decided increase in the sale of boxes, and the only decrease to be observed is in the sale of tickets at the door, a result the Committee has long been striving for.

The net proceeds of the Charity Ball for 1922 amounted to \$12,720.99 and was, *on dit*, the most brilliant ball since 1880.

MRS. FRANK S. WITHERBEE,
Treasurer.

Report of the Lenten Sewing Class

1922

The Class met this year at the residences of—

Mrs. Frederic Ashton de Peyster,
Mrs. James W. Gerard,
Mrs. Hamilton Fish,
Mrs. Lawrence L. Gillespie,
Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee.

We had on our list the names of 120 contributors (ten more than in 1921).

About twenty members were present at each meeting and made 93 garments in class, and members not only had work done at home during Lent, but also took work to be done during the Summer.

Not as many large orders were obtained through the Church Societies this year, but much interest was shown by the Class Members and many visited the "Nursery & Childs" on "Florence Nightingale Day", celebrated in all City Hospitals.

The total of 2,468 garments received at the Hospital up to December 15th, 1922, is the best record ever made by the Lenten Sewing Class and amounts to 168 more than last year.

1,154	Squares.
491	Slips.
229	Wrappers.
298	Gertrudes.
144	New pillow cases.
120	New sheets.
24	Shawls featherstitched for boarding-out department.
4	Knitted caps for boarding-out department.
4	Sweaters for boarding-out department.

2,468

Garments Made Free of Charge

Calvary Church, through Miss LeRoy, made up	125	garments
St. Bartholomew's Church, through Mrs. Ostrander, made up . . .	100	"
St. James' Church, through Mrs. Freeman, made up	130	"
St. James' Trinity Church, through Mrs. Dorrance, made up . . .	100	"
The House of Industry made up	251	"
The Omega Iota Fraternity, through Mrs. LaBarre, made up . . .	25	"
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	731	"

Mrs. John F. Daniels donated two large pieces of material for making garments.

Mrs. Witherbee donated material to make 100 garments.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT, 1922

RECEIPTS		EXPENDITURES	
Balance from 1921	\$211.98	E. P. Dutton, invitations, envelopes, slips, printing, receipt book, etc.	\$45.00
95 members contributed dues amounting to...	475.00	Cromwell Childe, for press notices	25.00
15 members, in addition to their dues, made donations amounting to	125.00	Clafin's—1,960 yds. material, 5 gross buttons	271.42
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110		House of Industry—Cutting out 1,614 garments	94.16
10 friends donated for the new Linen Fund	125.00	Tape, buttons, express, two new work bags	32.45
	<hr style="width: 10%; margin-left: 0;"/>	House and School of Industry—Cutting out 414 garments	18.07
	\$936.98	Binding, buttons, tape and express	6.08
Interest till July 1st	2.14	A. M. Berger, for secretarial work, stamps, clips, etc....	35.32
		Ten doz. new sheets	147.00
		Ten doz. new pillow cases ..	36.70
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		Balance to 1923	192.75
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	\$939.12		\$939.12

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A FOSTER MOTHER
FOUR OF OUR 323 CHILDREN IN BOARDING HOMES. THIS FOSTER MOTHER LOVES THEM AS HER OWN

History of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital

THE work now carried on by the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital, succeeding to all the activities and to all the traditions of the oldest nursery, the oldest child's hospital, and the oldest maternity hospital in the City of New York, which sent doctors to the homes of the poor at the time of childbirth, was begun in 1823. The present corporation was formed by the consolidation of the Nursery and Child's Hospital with the New York Infant Asylum, which had formerly consolidated with the old Marion Street Maternity Hospital. Each of these institutions was a pioneer in its particular line of endeavor.

The old Marion Street Maternity Hospital was organized in 1823 and incorporated in 1827 as "The New York Female Asylum for Lying-In Women" and was so called for the next seventy years. Its object was: "To furnish comfortable conditions and skillful attendance to respectable married women who require an asylum during the period of their confinement, and also to supply competent medical care to deserving married women at their homes under similar circumstances." It was the first institution of its kind to care for poor respectable women and was the pioneer in the city in sending physicians to such homes to attend at childbirth. In 1830 two lots were bought on Orange, now Marion Street, near Prince Street, for \$2,750, and a three-story building was built with a forty-five foot front and a depth of sixty feet. This was its headquarters for fifty-five years. In 1885 it moved to 139 Second Avenue, where it continued its quiet and unostentatious charity until 1899, when it consolidated with the New York Infant Asylum.

The ministrations of the Marion Street Hospital are now continued as a part of the work of this corporation.

The Nursery and Child's Hospital, with the name of "The Nursery for the Children of Poor Women," was founded in 1854 through the efforts of Mrs. Cornelius Du Bois, who for more than thirty years thereafter continued as its First Directress. One day, when driving in the streets of New York City, she was startled by screams from an upper story of a tenement and looking up saw a child caught by a fallen sash hanging from a window. With the help of neighbors she broke into the room and

released the child. She found that it had been left alone while its parents were at work. Inquiries then made showed her the need existing in New York for the proper care of children.

In the Annual Report of the Hospital for 1897 Mrs. Du Bois says:

“Your attention is called to the condition of the poor children of New York before the nursery was founded. Dr. Elisha Harris gives the following statement: ‘In 1854 to 1859 about 1,000 infants were farmed out per year; ninety out of one hundred would not live to see their first birthday. In a single hut on the river side, about Thirty-fourth Street, it was common to find four or five young infants lying on the floor, with a single nurse who gave them bottle food until they died. The Almshouse Governors paid so much a week until they all died. They would be marked dead on their books and that was the last of them. The expense in 1859 was over fifty thousand dollars for the support of the children in these houses, that were worse than no houses at all.’”

In one week after the Nursery was opened every bed was filled with the children of wet nurses.

The first quarters of the new charity were at 110 St. Mark's Place, and shortly after it opened it became necessary to add the next house, No. 112.

In March, 1855, the institution was moved to 5th Avenue and 15th Street, and in the fall of that year the Nursery was given one of the wooden cottages which had been used by the New York Hospital while its stone wing was being constructed, and had been moved to the Tonnele Estate at 14th Street and 6th Avenue.

In 1857, on ground granted by the City, and with the aid of \$10,000 appropriated by the State, a new nursery was built, on 51st Street, between Lexington Avenue and Third Avenue.

Shortly after, through the efforts of Mrs. Du Bois, aided by the City, a Foundling Hospital was built at the corner of Lexington Avenue and 51st Street. Completed at the outbreak of the war, this building was used as a Soldiers' Home. In 1865 it was restored to the hands of the founders and leased at a nominal rental to the Nursery as a Lying-In Asylum and for the reception of illegitimate children.

In 1868, again aided by an appropriation of \$10,000 from the State, a third building was erected between the other two.

The question of funds was as acute in the early days as it is at present, and the Annual Reports show the many means adopted to raise money for the charity. In 1865 Mr. Bierstadt contributed the proceeds of the first exhibition of his picture, "A Storm in the Rocky Mountains"; and the sum of \$455.75 was realized from the exhibition of Huntington's historical painting, "Mrs. Washington's Reception Day," placed "at our disposal for a month by the voluntary kindness of its owner, Mr. A. T. Stewart." The greatest single item of revenue, however, was obtained from the annual Charity Ball inaugurated in 1856, and through all these years maintained and made a great financial and social success by the ladies interested in this charity.

In 1870, aided by appropriations of \$43,750 from the State, the Nursery opened its Country Home on Staten Island, where for the following thirty-five years the children in its charge, over four years of age, particularly the sickly ones, were sent in order to be in the open air. In 1904 the main buildings of the Home caught fire and burned, and the burden of replacing them being too great, the Country Branch was closed the next year.

Although the Nursery and Child's Hospital began its work as a nursery, it was soon found necessary to provide care for its sick children, and to a certain extent this had been done, almost from the beginning. In 1856 a hospital for sick children, with a capacity of forty beds, was added, and declared to be the first Children's Hospital in America. In 1858 a dispensary for children was opened.

The New York Infant Asylum had its origin in the efforts of the Rev. Mr. Richmond to reform a class of unfortunate young women whom he found in the Maternity Wards of Bellevue Hospital. He died before his plan could be carried through; but his widow in 1865 secured a charter, and a building for the Asylum was rented at 104th Street and West End Avenue. Mrs. Richmond struggled for two years with the problems confronting the Asylum. She then died, and the work was abandoned. In 1871 the Society was reorganized through the efforts of Miss Alice Sanford and her father, General Sanford.

The Charity Commissioners of the City of New York fixed the rate at which the City was to pay for destitute children at \$1.33 per week. "The Society accepted the situation, rented a building at 8th Street near Broadway and began operations," says Dr. Stephen Smith. "The result sustained the assertions of the most sanguine members of the Board, for the mortality scarcely exceeded nine per cent., against ninety-six per cent. on the Island. It is difficult to estimate the vast influence of that first year's experiment on the saving of child life in the City of New York. The Commissioners of Charity immediately took the alarm and built and equipped the Infant Asylum on Randall's Island, where the mortality was reduced to less than twenty per cent. The Nursery and Child's Hospital, under Mrs. Du Bois, secured a change of the law placing that institution on the same basis as this asylum, and from that date the mortality of children in its care has been little more than twelve per cent. Following that Sister Irene obtained a charter for the Foundling Asylum based on the law of the Infant Asylum, and with the care of two thousand children in the most variable conditions as regards the prospect of living, has a mortality of less than twenty per cent. Still other institutions have been founded on the basis of this Asylum and are meeting with the same success in saving child life."

In 1872, the New York Infant Asylum bought the property where the present Hospital stands, at Amsterdam Avenue and 61st Street, for \$55,000—\$16,500 cash and the balance on mortgage—but the building was not occupied until April, 1873. The house at No. 24 Clinton Place was not abandoned, however, until 1878.

In 1899 the New York Infant Asylum consolidated with the old Marion Street Maternity Hospital and the cash realized from the sale of the Marion Street property, some \$75,000, together with \$18,000 donated for the purpose, was used to help build part of the present Hospital building.

In 1910 the New York Infant Asylum, which was both infant asylum and lying-in hospital, was consolidated with the Nursery and Child's Hospital, which was a hospital for foundlings, children and mothers, under the name of New York Nursery and Child's Hospital. Under this consolidation the work of the two

corporations has been continued and enlarged. The work of the present Hospital can be classified as follows:

(1) A Lying-In and Gynecological Hospital, with a large home hospital department for the delivery of women in their homes.

(2) A Hospital for sick children.

(3) An Infant Asylum, where foundlings and waifs are received, conditioned, and placed out in foster-homes under the careful supervision of doctors and visiting nurses.

(4) A Training School for physicians, post-graduate nurses, and nurses from affiliated schools, in obstetrics and pediatrics.

(5) A Training School for nursery maids.

A well organized dispensary department provides for the care of women and children who cannot afford a private physician.

Through the Dispensary, the Hospital and a highly organized Social Service Department the care of the child is supervised from several months before birth until no longer a child.

Besides the wards for sick children and women there is the largest private obstetrical service in the City, providing the highest type of private room service, and semi-private rooms and wards for those of moderate means.

The training schools for nurses affiliated with the Hospital will be found on another page.





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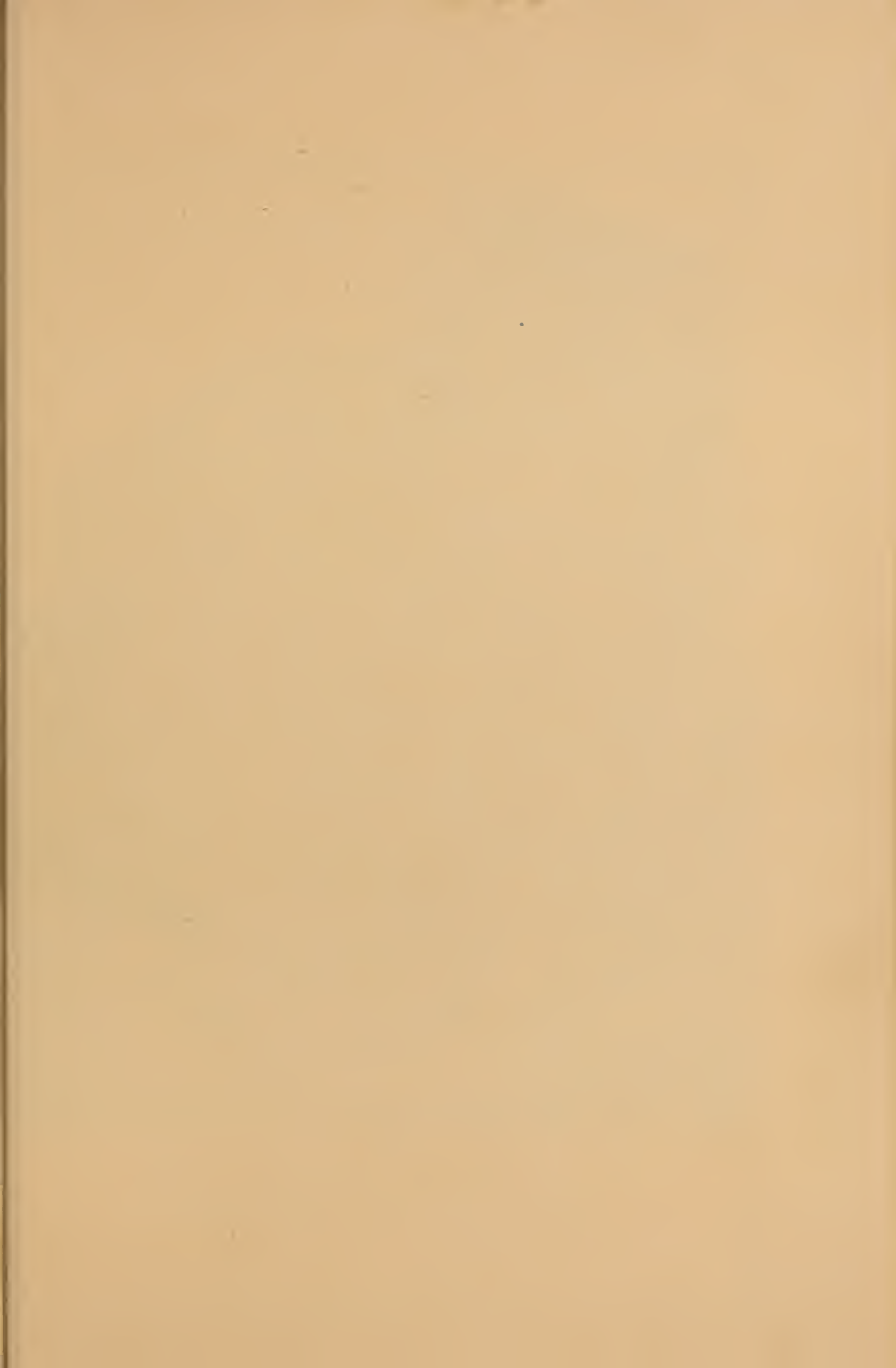




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SIXTY-FIRST STREET AND AMSTERDAM AVENUE

New York Nursery and Child's Hospital

1823—1924

By the Consolidation of the Nursery and Child's
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The Year's Work

Patients cared for:

Women	2,377
Children	2,978
Babies born:	
In hospital	1,895
In homes	572
Treated in dispensary	27,300
Treated in homes	4,850
Social service visits	8,751
Children cared for in boarding homes	669
Visits to children in boarding homes	7,068
Cost of ward care per day	\$3.24
Percentage of free ward care	66%
Cost of free care	\$118,538

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ONE ROOM IN THE NEW LABORATORIES FOR RESEARCH IN CHILDREN'S DISEASES.

Annual Report of the President

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE HOSPITAL:

It is a great responsibility to be one hundred years old. The institution that has served women in labor for more years than any other in the city and that was the pioneer children's hospital in America has a high standard to maintain. It must not merely keep up with the times, it must lead them.

The progress made by this hospital in the last decade augurs well for such leadership, but we have about reached the limit without new sinews. This brief account of our recent activities, present conditions, and problems to be met will make this plain.

I

Medical Work

THE LABORATORIES FOR CHILDREN'S DISEASES. In this connection I am glad to announce the return to us as Director of our Children's Service of Dr. Oscar M. Schloss. Two years ago Dr. Schloss left New York to become Professor of Pediatrics at the Harvard Medical School. To further his work, we have remodeled the quarantine building into a complete research laboratory for children's diseases. It was planned by Messrs. Hyde and Shepherd, architects, under the supervision of Dr. Schloss and after a careful study by the architects of the latest laboratories devoted to the study of the diseases of children. We pride ourselves that it is second to none in the United States.

To provide so complete a laboratory has seriously taxed our already strained resources. As against the financial outlay, we have placed ourselves in the very forefront of those who are laboring to put the diagnosis and treatment of disease on the highest scientific plane. This policy has already attracted to us for service as internes and resident physicians, promising young men who are specializing in the diseases of children. I feel therefore that we are diligently maintaining the three purposes of a hospital:

1. To give the patients within its doors the most scientific care;
2. To teach the young doctor and nurse; and
3. To add in its own field something of permanent value to the science of medicine.

THE DISPENSARY. Both because it draws a far larger number of patients than are cared for in the hospital beds and because its work is to so large an extent preventive, the dispensary is the keystone of a hospital. While the advances made in our dispensary are the result of a policy maintained for a number of years rather than of any marked innovation during the past year, I feel that they are of such importance as to deserve mention here.

MATERNITY CLINIC. All mothers to be delivered by our maternity service are required to come to the maternity clinic regularly for pre-natal care, and after delivery for the no less vital post-natal examinations. Through the patient work of our doctors and of the Social Service workers who follow up all such cases, we have succeeded in educating the mothers of this district to the importance both of early registration for pre-natal care and of the systematic and conscientious observance of the treatment prescribed for them.

The result has been that during the past five years the Hospital Staff has delivered 6,575 mothers in wards and homes with but 12 maternal deaths.

CHILDREN'S CLINIC. In our children's clinic we have been doing equally effective work in the matter of following up patients to make sure that they carry out the prescribed treatments and return for further care. This has been a serious burden on our already overtaxed facilities but it has cut in half the number of patients who never return after their first visit and increased threefold the number who come more than six times.

The true index of the success of a dispensary is not its total registration but the thoroughness of its treatment. Thorough treatment is not possible where a large proportion of the patients

never return after their first visit. Our present standards insure the most effective sort of treatment which, since it is so largely preventive, reduces by so much the number of children who might otherwise need care in the hospital beds.

The rare combination of a maternity and children's hospital gives us the opportunity to supervise the critical years of the children of this district beginning several months before birth.

II

Finances

The Treasurer's Report for 1923 shows a continuation of the improved financial position reached in 1922. I do not mean by this that our financial problems are solved. An operating deficit of \$10,850 is reported for 1923. In fairness to the Hospital administration, however, it must be stated that because of the change from a fiscal year to a calendar year basis this report covers a period of fifteen months in which the three most unfavorable months—October, November and December—appear twice. The twelve months ending December 31, 1923, show an operating surplus of \$9,860, in spite of an increase in hospital patients days of 3,700 and in dispensary treatments of 4,000.

This showing, following an operating surplus of \$276 in 1922, has been made only by the most rigid economy consistent with high standards of service and by a marked increase in income from patients. The Hospital's work and its wise administration of its limited resources will, I hope, attract additional funds in substantial amounts. They are sorely needed, as I believe a few words will readily make clear.

While from 1920 to 1923 our income from patients increased from \$194,000 to \$286,000, income from other sources—interest and dividends, the Charity Ball, the United Hospital Fund, and donations—showed but a slight increase. The only encouraging feature is that the increase in donations for 1923, while not large for a centennial year, represents an increase of over 500 contributors. New friends made on such short acquaintance are sure, with added knowledge of our work, to stand by us.

Income from patients has reached its maximum. Only by increasing its endowment and annual contributions can the Hospital continue to set the pace in obstetrics and in children's diseases. The latest report of the United Hospital Fund shows that the other New York hospitals for women and children derive 17 per cent of their total income from endowment. Nursery and Child's derives but 6 per cent. Other hospitals derive 23 per cent of their income from gifts. We derive but 17 per cent.

To maintain an even financial footing with similar hospitals, our income from gifts must be increased by one-half; our endowment must be increased threefold.

III

Hospital Plant Outgrown

The rapid growth of the Hospital, both in amount and standard of work, has had to be met at the expense of serious overcrowding in every department not directly devoted to the care of patients.

NURSES' HOME. Since 1916 the number of patients has increased 50 per cent. In that same period the number of resident nurses, in accordance with modern treatment and training, has increased 125 per cent. The improvised nurses' home is overfull, and still we must refuse added affiliations for training in obstetric and pediatric nursing needed by this hospital and in much demand by the general hospitals of this and other cities.

Nurses need and deserve the relaxation of comfortable bedrooms and inviting social rooms and they are bound to reflect these surroundings in the spirit and skill which they bring to their patients. This we cannot give them under present conditions.

Additional classrooms are urgently needed. To lead in the care of its patients, a hospital must lead in the scientific education of its nurses. Our standards of training are high enough to be sought after, our methods to be copied; but both have been developed in spite of physical handicaps that should be allowed to persist no longer.



ST. CHRISTOPHER WARD.

MORE SPACE FOR WARD PATIENTS. The care of women in childbirth is one of this hospital's oldest responsibilities. In the past two years, the number cared for in our public wards increased 50 per cent. Only by using space intended for private patients could they be received. We need, not only additional ward beds, but also a labor ward so that mothers with babies may be spared the distress of being in the same ward with mothers in labor.

THE DISPENSARY. The excellent work of the dispensary has already been mentioned. The true value of its work can be appraised only when the pitifully inadequate quarters available are taken into consideration. With an average daily attendance of 91, which at times runs as high as 140, the temporary steel building now used has already been outgrown.

We need a new dispensary with double the present capacity so that we may not only serve the patients now being cared for but also provide for the immediate development of the vitally important preventive and educational work already under way.

MISCELLANEOUS NEEDS. The hospital's kitchen, while modern in equipment, has no more space for serving 500 people than it had for 300 people. No hospital in the city serves better meals, but how it is done in the cramped space available is a mystery. The most seriously overcrowded department of all is the laundry. Designed for a daily capacity of 4,000 flat pieces alone, it now turns out more than 7,000. Added space and equipment and a large central linen room offer the only practicable relief from an impossible situation.

IV

Starting Our Second Century

It is proper, in starting upon our second hundred years, that we should look forward. The progress of the past century has been remarkable, but we look back upon it not for satisfaction and praise, but for inspiration to still greater progress. Our house has been set in order. For two years, with determined

care, we have come through without an operating deficit and with an increase in the amount and quality of work.

Capital demands of large proportions now face us, and we are ready, with them, to face the public, confident that we have laid the lasting foundations upon which shall be built a still greater service to the mothers, infants, and children, and to the community.

EDWARD H. PEASLEE,
President.

New York,
March 14, 1924.



THE PREMATURE NURSERY.

Report of the Treasurer

February 11th, 1924.

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

THE period now to be financially reviewed extends from October 1st, 1922 to December 31st, 1923, having been thus extended in order to adjust our fiscal year to the calendar year. The results for these fifteen months, naturally, do not furnish a convenient basis for comparison with those of previous years, but the accompanying tables, prepared in the usual form, set out the details of our financial operations and the general trend of our affairs may be readily observed.

There are a few items that seem to be of sufficient importance to be specially noted.

During the period the Hospital received on account of legacies:

From the Estate of Josephine L. Peyton	\$1,994.86
From the Estate of Charles E. Rhinelander	5,000.00

Mr. Edwin Gould contributed \$5,000 to our work while Mrs. W. A. Harriman gave \$1,000 toward the expense of repainting the Nurses' Home.

Our mortgages held for investment have been reduced by payments on account of principal as follows:

F. W. Meyer Mortgage	\$1,000.00
David Pollack Mortgages	5,500.00
Robert Tag Mortgage	500.00

We received from Florence Elaine Dickerman and George H. Howard, Trustees, under the Watson B. Dickerman Trust:

- 14 shares Liggett & Myers Common.
- 10 shares Liggett & Myers "B."
- 24 shares U. S. Tobacco Common.
- 10 shares George W. Heime Common.
- 10 shares P. Lorillard Common.
- 2 shares MacAndrews & Forbes Common.
- 7 Great Northern Iron Ore Certificates.

These stocks when they came to us were worth \$8,002, and we have sold all of them excepting 24 shares U. S. Tobacco Common, at a profit of \$555.45.

The Social Service Committee turned over to us, for investment, \$10,000, being a part of the proceeds of an entertainment given under its auspices. The income from the investment is paid regularly to the Committee to be used in carrying on its relief work. Of the principal, \$1,000 has already been returned to the Committee by special request. For this Fund, the following bonds were bought:

- \$5,000 Bethlehem Steel Consolidated 6%, due 1948.
- 5,000 Baltimore & Ohio Secured 6%, due 1929 (\$1,000 was subsequently sold).
- 50 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 2d 4¼%.

For the Permanent Endowment Fund we have bought \$5,000 Northern Pacific Refunding & Improvement 6% due 2047, and for the General Fund \$5,000 American Smelting and Refining 6% Series "B" due 1947.

We have sold

- \$5,000 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 4th 4¼%, at a profit of \$448.37.
- 5,000 Tide Water Oil 6½% have been sold, but the delivery was not completed during the period.

\$500 U. S. Government Victory Loan 4¾% belonging to the Matthew B. DuBois Ward Trust Fund was collected on May 20, 1923, and there was purchased for this Fund with the proceeds, \$500 New York Central Refunding and Improvement 5% due 2013.

The net result for the period is a deficit of \$17,247.47, which has been charged to Capital Account. This amount includes however the payment of legacies of \$6,994.86, the profit on sale of securities of \$1,003.82, the profit on the sale of part of the Staten Island property of \$7,109.01, as well as the depreciation in the value of securities of \$2,705.62 and Research Laboratory Reconstruction expenses of \$18,798.93, so that after eliminating these items our operating deficit may be said to be \$10,850.61, an amount, even for the extended period, sufficient to call for active attention to our financial problem on the part of our Directors.

Respectfully submitted,

C. BOUCHER,
Treasurer.

Table I

Receipts and Expenditures

October 1, 1922—December 31, 1923

RECEIPTS

Hospital Earnings

Private Patients	\$262,282.78	
City of New York	113,967.22	
Ward Patients	40,067.38	
Special Nurses' Board	38,967.65	
County Charges	13,317.19	
Dispensary and Pharmacy	7,985.78	
Outdoor Department	7,474.75	
Miscellaneous	2,853.46	
Students' Fees	687.50	
Refunds of House Expenses	24.74	
		\$487,628.45

Other Revenue

Donations	\$46,000.53	
Interest and Dividends	25,670.36	
Charity Ball	14,267.19	
Donations to Social Service Fund	12,393.45	
United Hospital Fund	10,181.09	
Members' Dues	780.00	
		109,292.62
		\$596,921.07

EXPENSES

Administration

Salaries—Officers and Clerks	\$30,713.54	
Office Expenses	709.80	
Postage, Stationery and Printing	4,250.95	
Telephone and Telegraph	7,987.04	
Miscellaneous	1,228.63	
		\$44,889.96

Professional Care of Patients

Salaries and Wages	\$59,184.12
Apparatus and Instruments	1,443.63
Medical and Surgical Supplies	17,061.41
Drugs	6,607.71
Dispensary and Pharmacy	12,563.59
Clothing	1,262.43
Equipment for Nurses	656.32

X-Ray	2,047.05	
Pathological Laboratory	9,242.63	
Outdoor Department	11,681.24	
Social Service Department	21,169.24	
Boarding Out Department—		
Salaries	11,445.01	
Board	83,255.80	
Clothing	19,167.04	
Miscellaneous	3,482.75	
	<u>117,356.60</u>	260,269.97

	<i>Departments</i>	
Housekeeping—		
Wages	\$35,769.55	
Linen and Bedding	4,719.66	
Supplies	11,926.06	
Kitchen—		
Wages	11,224.58	
Supplies	959.79	
Laundry—		
Wages	18,607.52	
Supplies	4,042.37	
Steward's Department	103,082.23	
	<u> </u>	190,331.76

	<i>General House and Property</i>	
Electric Lighting	\$4,571.02	
Fuel	22,969.29	
Gas	2,390.85	
Ice	4,237.05	
Insurance	4,330.30	
Maintenance, Buildings—		
Wages	10,910.37	
Supplies and Contracts	11,529.56	
Maintenance, Machinery and Tools—		
Wages	23,161.32	
Supplies and Contracts	6,562.54	
Plumbing and Steamfitting—		
Wages	900.00	
Supplies and Contracts	4,273.67	
Miscellaneous	181.47	
	<u> </u>	96,017.44

	<i>Corporation</i>	
Audit	\$775.00	
Publicity and Appeals	15,487.55	
	<u> </u>	16,262.55
		<u> </u>
		\$607,771.68

TABLE I.—(Continued)

Operating Deficit			\$10,850.61
Capital Operations—			
Profits on Securities Sold	\$1,003.82		
Gain on Sale of Real Estate	7,109.01		
		<u> </u>	\$8,112.83
Depreciation on Securities	\$2,705.62		
Reconstruction of Laboratories	18,798.93		
		<u> </u>	21,504.55
			<u> </u>
			13,391.72
Total Deficit			<u>\$24,242.33</u>



THE SEPTIC NURSERY.

Table II

Balance Sheet—October 1, 1922

ASSETS	LIABILITIES
Land and Buildings.....	\$385,708.41
Bonds and Mortgages.....	166,150.00
Stocks and Bonds.....	173,339.95
Securities constituting Permanent Endowment Fund, including \$44.27 in cash....	48,581.61
CURRENT ASSETS	
Due by City of New York..	16,679.15
Due by Westchester County..	441.34
Due by Nassau County.....	622.57
Due by Suffolk County.....	58.82
Due by Dutchess County.....	87.71
Due by John R. Howard, Jr., Supt.	2,000.00
Estate of Augusta C. Chapin..	1.00
Linsley Trust Fund.....	1.00
Estate of Benjamin Aymar Sands	1.00
Estate of Frederick Lawrence Upjohn	1.00
Medical Salaries.....	1,338.37
Cash	11,837.45
	\$806,849.38
	Capital, October 1, 1921.....
	\$637,665.86
	PERMANENT LIABILITIES
	Surplus
	1,455.12
	\$639,120.98
	Estate of Charles E. Rhinelandler
	3,000.00
	Estate of Josephine L. Peyton,
	10,304.67
	Estate of James Rufus Smith,
	30.94
	\$652,456.59
	Capital, October 1, 1922.....
	\$652,456.59
	Endowed Beds
	46,000.00
	Matthew B. DuBois Ward Trust Fund
	13,108.61
	Permanent Endowment Fund,
	48,581.61
	Credit on Sale Staten Island Property
	12,105.42
	CURRENT LIABILITIES
	Refunds
	459.15
	Accounts Payable
	19,390.75
	Advance Payments by Pay Patients
	14,747.25
	\$806,849.38

Balance Sheet—December 31, 1923

ASSETS	LIABILITIES
Land and Buildings.....	\$385,709.41
Mortgages	164,400.00
Stocks and Bonds.....	181,352.54
Securities constituting Permanent Endowment Fund, including \$171.69 in cash....	48,592.78
CURRENT ASSETS.	
Due by City of New York..	23,502.74
Due by Westchester County.	964.81
Due by Dutchess County.....	451.69
Due by Nassau County.....	302.65
Due by Ulster County.....	163.00
Due by Suffolk County.....	113.06
Due by John R. Howard, Jr., Supt.	2,000.00
Estate of Augusta C. Chapin.	1.00
Estate of Benjamin Aymar Sands	1.00
Estate of Frederick Lawrence Upjohn	1.00
Linsley Trust Fund	1.00
Medical Salaries	909.62
Cash	7,737.26
	\$816,203.56
	Capital, October 1, 1922.....
	\$652,456.59
	PERMANENT LIABILITIES
	Operating Loss
	24,242.33
	\$628,214.26
	Estate of Charles E. Rhinelandler
	5,000.00
	Estate of Josephine L. Peyton
	1,994.86
	\$635,209.12
	Capital, December 31, 1923..
	\$635,209.12
	Endowed Beds
	46,000.00
	Matthew B. DuBois Ward Trust Fund
	13,111.51
	Permanent Endowment Fund,
	48,592.78
	Watson B. Dickerman Trust Fund
	8,002.00
	Social Service Investment Fund
	9,000.00
	CURRENT LIABILITIES
	Refunds
	468.00
	Accounts Payable
	36,680.23
	Advance Payments by Pay Patients
	19,139.92
	\$816,203.56

Table III

Securities

General Fund

		Book Value Oct. 1, 1922		Book Value Dec. 31, 1923
\$5,000 American Smelters "B" 6s			(101 $\frac{1}{8}$)	\$5,088.75
\$10,000 Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Ry. Gen'l 4s—1995	(74)	\$7,415.00	(74)	7,415.00
\$15,000 Baltimore & Ohio Conv. 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ s—1933,	(69 $\frac{1}{2}$)	10,425.00	(69 $\frac{1}{2}$)	10,425.00
\$10,000 Canada Southern Ry. Cons. "A" 5s —1962	(87)	8,700.00	(87)	8,700.00
\$10,000 Central Pacific Ry. 1st Ref. Mtge., 4s—1949	(73 $\frac{3}{4}$)	7,375.00	(73 $\frac{3}{4}$)	7,375.00
\$2,000 Chesapeake & Ohio Ry. 1st Cons. Mtge. 5s—1939	(90)	1,803.00	(90)	1,803.00
\$2,000 Chesapeake & Ohio Ry. 1st Cons. Mtge. 5s—1939	(90 $\frac{1}{8}$)	1,805.50	(90 $\frac{1}{8}$)	1,805.50
\$2,000 Chesapeake & Ohio Ry. 1st Cons. Mtge. 5s—1939	(90 $\frac{1}{2}$)	1,813.00	(90 $\frac{1}{2}$)	1,813.00
\$4,000 Chesapeake & Ohio Ry. 1st Cons. Mtge. 5s—1939	(91)	3,646.00	(91)	3,646.00
\$5,000 Delaware & Hudson 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ s—1937.....	(101 $\frac{7}{8}$)	5,101.25	(97)	4,850.00
\$5,000 Great Northern Ry. Gen'l Mtge. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ "B"—1952	(96 $\frac{5}{8}$)	4,838.75	(96)	4,800.00
\$10,000 Great Northern Ry. Gen'l Mtge. 7s "A"—1936	(96 $\frac{1}{2}$)	9,665.00	(96 $\frac{1}{2}$)	9,665.00
\$10,000 Missouri Pacific R. R. 1st & Ref. Mtge. 6s "D"—1949	(99)	9,915.00	(87 $\frac{1}{2}$)	8,750.00
\$16,000 Mobile & Ohio R. R. Gen'l Mtge. 4s—1938	(55)	8,800.00	(55)	8,800.00
\$5,000 N. Y. Central R. R. Ref. & Imp. Mtge. 5s "C"—2013	(94 $\frac{1}{2}$)	4,725.00	(94 $\frac{1}{2}$)	4,725.00
\$10,000 N. Y. Telephone 1st & Gen'l Mtge. S. F. 30 Yr. 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ s—1939	(77 $\frac{1}{4}$)	7,725.00	(77 $\frac{1}{4}$)	7,725.00
\$10,000 Northern Pacific Ry. Ref. & Imp. Mtge. 6s "B"—2047	(96 $\frac{1}{2}$)	9,665.00	(96 $\frac{1}{2}$)	9,665.00
\$10,000 Pennsylvania R. R. Gen'l Mtge. 5s "B"—1968	(88)	8,800.00	(88)	8,800.00
\$10,000 Pennsylvania R. R. 15 Yr. Sec. 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ s—1936	(99 $\frac{7}{8}$)	10,002.50	(99 $\frac{7}{8}$)	10,002.50
\$10,000 Southern Pacific Central Pacific Stock Coll. 4s—1949	(68 $\frac{1}{4}$)	6,840.00	(68 $\frac{1}{4}$)	6,840.00
\$10,000 Southern Ry. 1st Cons. Mtge. 5s— 1994	(86)	8,600.00	(86)	8,600.00
\$15,000 Southern Ry. Mobile & Ohio Coll. 4s—1938	(59)	8,850.00	(59)	8,850.00
\$5,000 Tide Water Oil Co. 15 Yr. 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ s— 1931 (Sold but not delivered)....	(101)	5,057.50	(101)	5,057.50
75 shares Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry. pfd.	(40)	3,000.00	(23 $\frac{5}{8}$)	1,771.88
12 shares Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry. com.	(25 $\frac{1}{2}$)	306.00	(23 $\frac{5}{8}$)	283.50
5 shares National Bank of Commerce,	(164)	820.00	(164)	820.00
5 shares Union Pacific R. R. pfd.	(65 $\frac{1}{4}$)	325.26	(65 $\frac{1}{4}$)	325.26
24 shares United States Tobacco Co. com. ....	.....	.....	(45)	1,080.00

Permanent Endowment Fund

		Book Value Oct. 1, 1922		Book Value Dec. 31, 1923
\$1,000 Louisville & Nashville 1st & Ref. 5½s "A"—2003	(102)	\$1,021.50	(102)	\$1,021.50
\$3,000 N. Y. Central & Hudson River R. R. Co. Mtge. 3½s—1997	(67)	2,010.00	(67)	2,010.00
\$1,000 N. Y. Central & Hudson River R. R. Co. Mtge. 3½s—1997	(65)	651.25	(65)	651.25
\$4,000 Northern Pacific Ry. 6s—2047			(108)	4,326.00
\$1,000 Northern Pacific Ry. 6s—2047			(105¾)	1,057.75
\$150 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 3d 4¼s—1928	(98.30)	148.45	(98.30)	148.45
\$300 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 3d 4¼s—1928	(86.20)	259.35	(86.20)	259.35
\$50 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 3d 4¼s—1928	(44.30)	44.30	(44.30)	44.30
\$300 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 4th 4¼s—1938	(97.60)	293.80	(97.60)	293.80
\$600 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 4th 4¼s—1938	(86.86)	521.66	(86.86)	521.66
\$100 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 4th 4¼s—1938	(87.02)	87.02	(87.02)	87.02

Matthew B. DuBois Ward Trust Fund

\$2,000 Louisville & Nashville 1st & Ref. Mtge. 5½s "A"—2003	(102)	\$2,043.00	(102)	\$2,043.00
\$100 N. Y. Central & Hudson River R. R. Ref. & Imp. Mtge. 5s "C"—2013..	(95)	95.00	(95)	95.00
\$500 N. Y. Central & Hudson River R. R. Ref. & Imp. Mtge. 5s "C"—2013..				485.00
\$5,000 Pennsylvania R. R. Gen'l Mtge. 5s "B"—1968	(91¼)	4,562.50	(91¼)	4,562.50
\$1,000 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 2d 4¼s—1942		930.80		930.80
\$1000 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 3d 4¼s—1928		977.70		977.70
\$2,000 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 3d 4¼s—1928		1,928.85		1,928.85
\$2,000 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 4th 4¼s—1938		1,868.00		1,868.00

Social Service Investment Fund

\$5,000 Bethlehem Steel Co. Cons. 6s—1948,			(97½)	4,882.50
\$4,000 Baltimore & Ohio Sec. 6s				4,046.50
\$50 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 2d 4¼s—1942			(97¾)	49.81

TABLE III.—(Continued)

Bonds and Mortgages

John Connors Mortgage 5%	\$14,000.00
Edwin V. Hellowell Mortgage 6%	22,000.00
Rose Levere Mortgage 5½%	10,000.00
Frederick W. Meyer Mortgage 5½%	19,000.00
Robert Tag Mortgage 5%	21,000.00
Werner Mortgage 6%	35,000.00
Barnett Wilensky Mortgage No. 1 3%	23,000.00
Barnett Wilensky Mortgage No. 2 3%	20,400.00
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	\$164,400.00

Real Estate

61st Street Land and Buildings	\$165,067.63
New Building, 45 Amsterdam Avenue	127,936.65
157 West 61st Street	16,000.00
159 West 61st Street	76,704.13
Staten Island Property	1.00
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	\$385,709.41

Permanent Endowment Fund

David Pollack Mortgage 5½%	\$12,000.01
David Pollack Mortgage 5½%	13,000.00
David Pollack Mortgage 5½%	13,000.00
\$1,000 Louisville & Nashville 1st & Ref. 5½s "A"—2003	1,021.50
\$4,000 N. Y. Central & Hudson River R. R. Co. Mortgage 3½s— 1997	2,661.25
\$5,000 Northern Pacific Ry. 6s—2047	5,383.75
\$500 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 3d 4¼s—1928.....	452.10
\$1,000 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 4th 4¼s—1938	902.48
Cash, Central Union Trust Co.	171.69
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	\$48,592.78



Hospital Statistics for Fifteen Months Ending December 31, 1923

	OBSTETRIC SERVICE				GYNECOLOGICAL		PEDIATRIC SERVICE			GRAND TOTAL		CALENDAR YEAR TOTAL	
	Private		Ward		Private	Ward	Hos- pital	B. O. D.	Total	1923	1922	1923	1922
	Women	Babies	Women	Babies									
Patients in Hospital, October 1, 1922.....	42	33	34	31	13	4	37	9	203	152	157		
Admitted during year...	1,381	1,330	1,022	939	314	86	851	468	6,391	5,233	4,961		
Total number treated...	1,423	1,363	1,056	970	327	90	888	477	6,594	5,385	5,118		
Discharged during year.	1,380	1,325	1,010	932	325	89	855	460	6,376	5,167	4,966		
Remaining Dec. 31, 1923.	43	38	46	38	2	1	33	17	218	218	152		
Deliveries	1,338	.....	969	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,307	1,895	1,749		
Outdoor Department: Deliveries in homes... Visits to homes by doctors and nurses...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	682	572	650		
Outpatient Department: New Patients .....	.....	.....	1,901	.....	.....	1,262	.....	.....	7,300	5,929	4,128		
Revisits to Dispensary	.....	.....	5,844	.....	.....	1,142	.....	.....	25,712	21,371	17,394		
Total visits .....	.....	.....	7,745	.....	.....	2,404	.....	.....	33,012	27,300	21,522		
Social Service Cases .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,637	3,047	3,206		
Social Service Visits .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,932	8,751	7,858		
B. O. D. Department: Number children cared for .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,138	669	686		
Visits to children .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,525	7,068	6,506		



READY FOR COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

Medical Report

October 1, 1922, to December 31, 1923

PEDIATRIC SERVICE

In Hospital, Oct. 1st, 1922.....	46
Admitted—	
Boarding-out Dept.—Well, 242	
Sick, 226	
Hospital Cases	851
	—1,319
Total Treated	1,365
Discharged	1,315
Remaining Dec. 31st, 1923.....	50

Digestive System	23
Nutritional Diseases	7
Miscellaneous Diseases	4
Respiratory System	56
Nervous System	13
Diseases of New-Born	43
Infectious Diseases	1
Tuberculosis	15
Genito-Urinary System	2

Pediatric Diseases

Circulatory System	17
Blood Diseases	8
Ductless Glands	2
Lymphatic System	9
Digestive System	127
Disease Caused by Poisons.....	1
Nutritional Diseases	171
Miscellaneous Diseases	23
Respiratory System	544
Nervous System	49
Diseases of New-Born	124
Genito-Urinary System	101
Diseases of the Skin	46
Infectious Diseases	63
Syphilis	16
Tuberculosis	32
Organs of Locomotion—Skull and Spine	9
Ear	169
Eye	4
Well Children	242

Condition on Discharge

Well	647
Improved	395
Not Improved	95
Died—	
Under 24 hours	43
Over 24 hours	135
	—178
	1,315

Deaths Classified Under Region Affected

Circulatory System	11
Lymphatic System	3

Causes of Death

Prematurity	32
Prematurity, Otitis Media	1
Prematurity, Complicating Erysipelas	2
Prematurity, Congenital Heart Disease	2
Prematurity, Broncho-pneumonia	5
Prematurity, Cerebral Hemorrhage	2
Broncho-pneumonia	30
Broncho-pneumonia and Marasmus	2
Broncho-pneumonia, Bilateral Otitis Media	2
Broncho-pneumonia, Influenza... ..	1
Broncho-pneumonia, Prematurity	2
Broncho-pneumonia, Acute Cardiac Failure	2
Broncho-pneumonia, Malnutrition	2
Broncho-pneumonia, Gastro-Intestinal Indigestion	1
Lobar Pneumonia	4
Lobar Pneumonia, Septicemia... ..	1
Lobar Pneumonia, Pneumococcus Meningitis	1
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	1
Acute Pulmonary Tuberculosis, Tuberculous Meningitis	2
Marasmus	4
Marasmus, Otitis Media, Lobar-pneumonia, Empyema	1
Marasmus, Congenital Heart	1
Malnutrition	1
Malnutrition, Acute Intestinal Indigestion	1
Acute Intestinal Intoxication... ..	11
Acute Intestinal Intoxication, Broncho-pneumonia	3

MEDICAL REPORT (continued)

Acute Gastro-Intestinal Intoxication, Malnutrition	2	Tetany	1
Acute Intestinal Indigestion	3	Meningitis	2
Acute Intestinal Indigestion, Malnutrition	1	Meningitis, Broncho-pneumonia ..	1
Marasmus, Sepsis, Lung Abscess	1	General Miliary Tuberculosis....	5
Rickets and Broncho-pneumonia, Rickets, Status Lymphaticus	1	Convulsions and Status Lymphaticus	1
Congenital Malformation of Intestine	2	Intussusception	1
Tuberculous Meningitis	6	Cerebro-spinal Meningitis	1
Congenital Heart, Septicemia....	1	Sepsis, Streptococcus Hemolytic,	1
Congenital Syphilis, Septicemia..	1	Sarcoma Rt. Kidney	1
Acute Pyelitis	1	Empyema, Hilus Tuberculosis...	1
Acute Lymphatic Leukemia	1	Streptococcus Meningitis	1
Bronchitis, Broncho-pneumonia, Dehydration	1	Meningitis Pneumococcus, Lobar Pneumonia	1
Measles, Broncho-pneumonia ...	1	Status Lymphaticus	1
Septicemia	1	Tuberculous Meningitis, Pulmonary Tuberculosis	1
Pneumococcus Meningitis, Miliary Tuberculosis	1	Diabetes	1
Sepsis and Broncho-pneumonia..	1	Otitis Media, Abscess Scalp	1
Cerebral Hemorrhage	5	Pseudo-Chylous Ascites	1
Congenital Heart	2	Pyloric Stenosis, Post-operative Hemorrhage	1
		Myocarditis, Endocarditis,	
		Chorea	2

OBSTETRIC SERVICE—INDOOR

Total number of women delivered	2,307	Vaginal Tamponage	3
Male Infants	1,242	Uterine Tamponage	37
Female Infants	1,091	Induction of Labor (Bagging)..	17
	—2,333	Bagging (Placenta Previa)....	2
Delivered by Visiting Physicians (private)	1,075	Manual Dilatation of Cervix....	19
Delivered by House Staff—		Manual Dilatation of Placenta..	6
Private	259	Craniotomy After Coming of Head Following Version	4
Ward	969	Forceps on After Coming Head,	6
	2,303	Attempted High Forceps Followed by Version	3
Presentations		Attempted Version	1
Vertex	2,213	Attempted High Forceps	4
Breech	101	Trachelorrhaphy	6
Face	10	Bandls Ring	2
Transverse	8	3° Laceration	9
Brow	1	Scanzoni	2
	2,333		
Operative Deliveries		Complications	
Forceps Delivery—Low	298	Twins	12
Medium	213	Triples	2
High	36	Premature Still Births	32
Version and Breech Extraction..	72	Still Births at Term	42
Breech Extraction	54	Placenta Previa	18
Cesarean Section	38	Toxemia of Pregnancy—Mild...	4
Episiotomy	71	Severe.	5
		Eclampsia	5
		Retained Placenta	5
		Premature Separation of Placenta	12

MEDICAL REPORT (continued)

Embryectomy	3
Dry Labor	13
Contraction Ring Dystocia	2
Premature Labor	9
Uterine Inertia	9
Contracted Pelvis	18
Flat Pelvis	2
Post Partum Hemorrhage	14
Puerperal Sepsis	3
Transfusion	2
Cardiac	5
Fibroid Uterus	3
Prolapse Cord	9
Stenosis of Vagina	1
Uterus Didelphys	1
Accidental Hemorrhage	3
Adherent Placenta	1
Chronic Nephritis	2
Sterilization	3
Nephretic Toxemia	2
Fracture of Humerus	1
Polyhydramnios	2

Condition on Discharge (Women)

Well	2,286
Improved	90
Not improved	3
Died	11

Cause of Death (Women)

Puerperal Sepsis Streptococcus Septicemia	1
Puerperal Sepsis Toxemia of Pregnancy	1
Eclampsia—Full term Twin Pregnancy	1
Pulmonary Embolus Shock Cesarean	1
Post Operative Paralytic Ileum.. Pregnancy—Lobar Pneumonia ..	1
Puerperal Septicemia Acute Carditis	1
Pyelitis of Pregnancy	1
Puerperal Septicemia	1
Pernicious Vomiting of Pregnancy	1
Pulmonary Embolism, Acute Cardiac Parturition, medium forceps delivery	1

Condition on Discharge—Born-in Babies

Well	2,144
Improved	59
Not Improved	2
Died	74

Deaths—Born-in Babies

Atalectasis Neonatorum Version and Breech Extraction	1
Atalectasis Neonatorum	4
Prematurity	25
Prematurity with complications—	
Broncho-pneumonia	7
Atalectasis	5
Placenta Previa	1
Hypertrophied Thymus	1
Cerebral Hemorrhage	3
Hemorrhagic Disease of New-born	1
Cerebral Hemorrhage	4
Cerebral Hemorrhage and Hemorrhagic Disease of New-born,	3
Cerebral Hemorrhage and Difficult Breech Extradiction ...	1
Cerebral Hemorrhage, Forceps Delivery	1
Cerebral Hemorrhage, High Forceps	1
Hemorrhagic Disease of New-born	2
Hemorrhagic Disease and Cerebral Hemorrhage	4
Congenital Malformation Mongolian Idiocy, Enlarged Thymus	1
Malnutrition	1
Congenital Heart, Congenital Cystic Ovary, Hypertrophied Thymus	1
Asphyxia Neonatorum	1
Status Lymphaticus	1
Congenital Malformation Diaphragmatic Hernia	1
Icterus Gravis	2
Intra Uterine Asphyxia	1
Fracture of Neck, Breech Extraction	1

MEDICAL REPORT (continued)

OBSTETRIC SERVICE—OUTDOOR

Total number delivered	702	Prolapsed Cord	1
Presentations		Anacephalic Monster	1
Vertex	610	Post Partum Hemorrhage	1
Breech	12	Deaths Outdoor Obstetrical Service (Women)	
Face	3	None.	
Footling	4		
Precipitate	79		
Operations		Deaths Outdoor Obstetrical Service (Babies)	
Low forceps	4	Premature Still Births	10
Medium forceps	2	Still Births at Term	5
High forceps	2	Prematurity, Maternal & Paternal Syphilis	1
Version & Breech Extraction	4		
Breech Extraction	5	Visits to Tenements	
Breech Delivery	3	Doctors	1,334
Manual delivery placenta	1	Students	3,119
Complications			
Twins	6		
Miscarriages	2		

SURGICAL SERVICE

Total number of admissions	400	Hernioplasty	1
Abortion Therapeutic	7	Hysterectomy Complete	4
Adhesions, Freeing of	4	Hysterectomy Exploratory	1
Amputation of Cervix	4	Hysterectomy Supra Cervical	11
Appendectomy	17	Hysterectomy Supra Vaginal	14
Cauterization of Cervix	60	Incision & Drainage	1
Cesarean Section	1	Incision Left Rectus	1
Cholecystectomy	15	Infusion Saline	1
Colporrhaphy Anterior	2	Interposition	1
Colporrhaphy Posterior	4	Jegunostomy	1
Colpotomy Anterior	2	Laparotomy	9
Colpotomy Post	2	Mastoid Simple	1
Curettage Diagnostic	3	Modified Gilliam	2
Curettage & Radium	5	Myomectomy	13
Cystoscopy	1	Oophorectomy Rt.	6
Cystotomy Vaginal	2	Oophorectomy Lt.	2
Dilatation of Cervix	1	Ovulsion of Introitus	1
Dilatation & Curettage	6	Packing Cervix & Vagina	2
Dilatation of Sphincter Ani	122	Packing Uterus & Vagina	1
Eneucleation of Small Fibroid	3	Packing Vaginal	1
Excision Abscess Breast	1	Plastic on Tubes	1
Excision Tumor Breast	1	Perineorrhaphy	29
Excision Carbuncle Eurethral	1	Radium Application	1
Excision Cervical Tissue	1	Removal Fibroma	1
Excision Cyst Ovarian	1	Removal Cyst Ligamental Rt.	1
Excision Cyst of Urachus	5	Removal Large pad fat from Abdomen	1
Excision Lipoma Chest	1	Repair Fistula	1
Excision Polyp	1	Repair Hernia Inguinal	1
Excision Polyp Cervical	2	Repair Hernia Ventral	1
Hemorrhoidectomy	3	Repair Rectocele	1
Herniotomy Inguinal	5	Repair Secondary	3
	2		

MEDICAL REPORT (continued)

Resection Anterior Vaginal Wall,	2	Suspension Sacral	3
Resection Cong. Structure Va-		Suspension Uterus	10
gina	1	Suspension Uterus Olshausen ..	2
Resection Cyst Vaginal Vault ..	3	Sterilization	3
Resection Rt. Ovary	6	Stem Pessary	5
Resection Rt. Tube	7	Trachelorrhaphy,	16
Resection of Tumor for micro-		Transfusion	19
scopy	1	Tonsillectomy	2
Retroversion	1	Ventral Fixation of Uterus	4
Salpingectomy	4		
Salpingectomy Bilateral	2	Condition on Discharge	
Salpingectomy Partial	2	Well	293
Salpingo-Oophorectomy Rt.	13	Improved	104
Salpingo-Oophorectomy Lt.	14	Not Improved	3
Salpingo-Oophorectomy Bilateral,	8	Died	0
Shortening Round and Utero-			
Sacral Ligaments	3	Deaths on Surgical Service	
Suspension Gilliam	12	None.	
Suspension Montgomery	8		
Suspension Ovary Left	1		



THE X-RAY DEPARTMENT.

Third Annual Report of the Social Service Committee

October, 1922—December, 1923

THE past year has been the brightest and most prosperous one in the history of the Social Service Department. This is in large part due to the cheerful devotion and untiring efforts of Miss Harriet Jane Smith, the Director of the Department, and her loyal assistants. Miss Smith's report so adequately covers the work done by this Department that there is no need for my adding to what she has said.

In behalf of the Committee, I wish to extend its grateful appreciation to the workers for their helpful co-operation, which is always so essential to the success of the work.

As chairman, I wish to express my gratitude to the members of the Committee for their unselfish interest and valuable advice.

DOROTHY ARMOUR,
Chairman.

Work Done

Number of families under care.....	3,637
Total workers' visits	10,932
Families given temporary relief	50
Mothers given convalescent care	79
Children given convalescent care	467
Families given day boat trips	506
Children boarded in foster homes	68
Children placed for temporary shelter	62
Children adopted	10
Mothers and children given dental treatment	260
Families given free ice	30
Layettes given	50
Positions secured	39
Milk supplied (quarts)	24,555

Treasurer's Report

October 1, 1922—December 31, 1923

Balance October 1, 1922	\$1,146.30
Transferred from invested capital	1,000.00
Opera benefit	317.01
Gifts, membership dues and accrued interest from capital.....	3,254.39
Returned loans	242.76
	\$5,960.46
Expenditures	4,886.19
Balance December 31, 1923	\$1,074.27

Relief Fund	\$1,070.77
Petty cash	3.50

EXPENDITURES

Convalescent care	\$1,252.00
Boarding Out Department	460.95
Temporary relief	397.60
Christmas	515.54
Layettes	277.52
Loans	239.00
Milk	313.31
Membership dues to affiliating organizations	293.00
Surgical appliances and medical supplies	206.70
Clothing	80.95
Carfares and traveling expenses	322.50
Office supplies	106.28
Educational work	106.28
Temporary shelter	68.50
Easter flowers	61.75
Laundry for obstetrical bags	10.24
Printing	6.35
Letters, telegrams and postage	13.05
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	\$4,886.19

The Treasurer reports that from the Opera Benefit Performance held in the Metropolitan Opera House in February, 1923, there was received the net amount of \$10,317.01. Of this amount \$10,000 was invested through the Treasurer of the Hospital, and \$317.01 put into the Relief Fund. Subsequently, however, it was decided to credit \$1,000 from the investment to the Relief Fund. The face value of the investment is accordingly at present \$9,000.

The Treasurer further wishes to report the following gifts for the year 1923, and to express herewith the grateful appreciation of the Committee therefore:

Mrs. W. T. Kissel	Salary of Prenatal Worker	\$1,200.00
	Supplementary salary of Pediatric Worker	500.00
Mrs. Stephen C. Clark	Salary of Pediatric Worker	1,500.00
Mr. Gustav Pagenstecher	Towards Obstetrical Nurse for Outdoor Service	1,200.00
Mr. Robert L. Gerry	Towards Director's salary	2,100.00
Social Service Committee	Supplementary salary of Pediatric Worker	1,000.00
	Salary—Nutrition Worker	1,120.00

ELEANOR C. WALKER,
Assistant Treasurer.

Social Service Department

GIFTS

Clothing

Mrs. W. Thorn Kissel	Mrs. W. W. Chaik
Mrs. Richardson	Miss L. Smith
Mrs. William Armour	Mrs. L. Valentine
Mrs. O'D. Iselin	Miss A. Mogee
Mrs. R. R. Fay	Mrs. Risk
Mrs. L. P. Flührer	Mrs. James G. Blaine
Mrs. N. J. Walker	Mrs. Russell E. Sard
Mrs. Breitweiser	Mrs. G. Pagenstecher
Mrs. Knipe	Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee
Mrs. M. O. Beck	Mrs. J. C. Clark
Miss Isabel Young	Mrs. Mack
Mrs. N. J. Booker	Mrs. Rosen
Mrs. Grayson M. P. Murphy	Anonymous
Mrs. John Pitney	

Donations in Kind

- Mrs. S. C. Clark—Flowers, books and toys.
Mrs. W. Thorn Kissel—Toys, theatre box for seven children, baby carriage.
Mrs. Richardson—Nursery supplies, baby carriage.
Mrs. S. B. Chapin—Baby carriage.
Mrs. N. J. Booker—Baby carriage, supplies for Nutrition Class.
Mrs. Eggleston—Baby carriage.
Mrs. Solomon—Bed.
Mrs. Russell E. Sard—Victrola records.
Mrs. G. Pagenstecher—Books and games.
Mrs. L. B. Rand—Victrola records, roll of dimity for layettes.
Mrs. L. Valentine—Victrola records.
Mrs. N. J. Walker—Toys, child's chair.
Children's Charities—Toys.
Miss Grace J. Cowles—Children's books.
Sally Joy Brown—Two baby carriages.
Mrs. O'Hagan—Baby carriage.
Babies' Welfare—One hundred free ice tickets.
Mr. C. C. Stillman—Tennis balls.
Mrs. John Richter—Flowers.
Mrs. H. A. Smith—Large doll.
Mrs. P. Martinez—Baby carriage.
Mrs. W. R. Fay—Victrola records.
Mrs. Dryfus—Books and pictures.
Mrs. G. M. P. Murphy—Car for use of cardiac children.
Colgate & Co.—Toothpaste and pamphlets.
Anonymous—Twelve packages of fruit, books and toys.
Social Service and House Committee—Victrola and records.
Junior Emergency Society—Five layettes and package of gauze compresses.

GIFTS

Christmas, 1922

- Mrs. William Armour—Ninety pounds of candy for baskets.
Mrs. N. J. Booker—Three boxes of apples.
Mrs. L. B. Rand—Cake for baskets.
Mrs. G. Pagenstecher—Baskets, tags and decorations, toys for 100 children.
Mrs. W. Thorn Kissel—One hundred bars of chocolate for baskets, fireless cooker for special family, doll carriage and kiddie car.

Anonymous—Box of children's clothing and box of babies' knitted bonnets.
 Mrs. Risk—Box of clothing.
 Manufacturing Co.—Dolls.
 Mrs. Knolte—Dolls.
 Vincent Astor Fund (through Bellevue Hospital)—Five Christmas dinners.
 Vincent Astor Fund (through Miss Sutton, Holiday Farm)—Ten Christmas dinners.
 Mrs. H. B. Walker—Worsted dolls.
 Cars, for distributing baskets, donated by—
 Mrs. Grayson M. P. Murphy
 Mrs. Gustav Pagenstecher
 Mrs. W. Thorn Kissel
 Mrs. L. Valentine
 Mrs. W. R. Fay.

GIFTS

Christmas, 1923

Mrs. Gustav Pagenstecher—\$100 (for children's toys), fur coat.
 Mrs. Lyman Rhoades—One dozen dolls.
 Bellevue Hospital (Astor Fund)—Five Christmas dinners.
 Mrs. Stephen C. Clark—Children's toys.
 Mrs. J. Singer—Twelve dozen colored handkerchiefs.
 Miss Bingham—Christmas party for eight Cardiac children.
 N. Y. City Mission—Children's books.
 Dewitt Clinton High School—Music.
 Schola Cantorum—Music.
 Mrs. N. J. Booker—\$20 (truck for delivering baskets).
 Washington Collegiate Church—Party for twenty children.
 Mrs. Randolph Hearst—Fifteen tickets for Strand Theatre.
 Louis Greenberg & Co.—Twelve children's coats.
 Mr. B. de C. Rothschild—Christmas for ten families.
 Rivoli Theatre—Fifty tickets for children.
 Mrs. Grayson M. P. Murphy—Children's books, Christmas for special family.
 Manhattan Council—Eight boy scouts to assist in delivering baskets.
 Mrs. W. Thorn Kissel—Christmas plant for department, chair for patient.
 Misses Paula and Carol Stone—Children's books.
 Mrs. Jesse Neal—Children's books.
 Mrs. Frederick Thompson—Children's books.
 Mrs. M. H. Cardozo—Children's toys.
 Mrs. Anna M. Drewes—Dolls.
 Mrs. M. K. Morton—Children's toys.
 Mrs. Jessie Rankin—Children's toys.
 Mr. Rothchild—Box of celluloid toys.

Staff

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* Succeeded June 1, 1924, by Hilda C. Baker, R. N.



A FOSTER MOTHER

THE FOUNDLING THAT COMES TO US WITH DEPLETED VITALITY AND UNCERTAIN INHERITANCE IS THUS NURTURED IN A WAY NO INSTITUTIONAL METHOD CAN EQUAL.

Report of the Boarding-Out Department

THE Boarding-Out Department completed its 21st year with an increase in census of 31 children. This increase is found mainly in the number received from the Children's Court, and from the Department of Public Welfare of Westchester County.

An increase in the number of private organizations boarding children with this department is also noted, and in this connection a new work undertaken by the department is that for the New York Tuberculosis Association. To quote from the report of that organization:

"Statistics show that infants under one year of age are especially susceptible to tuberculosis. The nurses and social workers of our tuberculosis clinics are constantly faced with the serious problem of caring for the baby whose mother has been incapacitated by tuberculosis. Should the mother decide to go to a sanatorium or hospital, what can be done with the baby?—should she decide to remain at home for her cure, who will take care of the baby?"

"The preventoria open their doors for the older children, but not for the baby."

In such circumstances the Boarding-Out Department has been found useful. These babies removed from danger of infection and placed in boarding homes are visited and weighed weekly by a nurse, and seen monthly by the examining physician to the Boarding-Out Department, by whom frequent tests are made to ascertain their continued freedom from the disease. The experiment is working well with the thirteen babies under care of the department.

Respectfully submitted,

E. A. HOOPER,

Head of Boarding-Out Department.

Staff

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Boarding-Out Statistics

OCTOBER 1, 1922, TO DECEMBER 31, 1923.

Under care Oct. 1, 1922.....	369
Admitted during the year.....	370
Total number cared for.....	739
Discharged	341
Remaining December 31, 1923	398

Classification of Children Discharged

To parents.....	186
State Board of Charities (for Deportation).....	3
Adopted	77
Transferred to institutions.....	40
Died	35
	341

Classification of Children Transferred

N. Y. Foundling Asylum.....	3
St. Dominick's Home.....	4
Five Points House of Industry.....	8
Convent of Our Lady of the Rosary.....	2
Leake & Watts Orphan House.....	6
St. Chrystopher's Home.....	3
Colored Orphan Asylum.....	9
Hebrew Infant Asylum.....	2
Reception Hospital.....	3
	40

Classification of Deaths

N. Y. Nursery and Child's Hospital.....	20
N. Y. Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.....	1
Riverside Hospital.....	1
Bellevue Hospital.....	1
Willard Parker Hospital.....	4
In Boarding Homes.....	5
Staten Island Hospital.....	1
Kingston Ave. Hospital.....	2
	35

Sources from which Children were Received

Dept. Public Welfare.....	123
Children's Court.....	88
Westchester County.....	33
Suffolk County.....	1
Ulster County	1
Nassau County.....	2
Dutchess County.....	4
Social Service Department.....	68
State Charities Aid Association.....	19
N. Y. Tuberculosis Association.....	13
Charity Organization Society.....	8
Church Mission of Help.....	10
	370

Report of the Charity Ball

THE Charity Ball of 1923 was most fortunate in having Mrs. Charles B. Alexander as its President; and, as she had obtained great success for the ball in 1921, the well merited confidence inspired by her leadership met with ready response from all associated with her on the Committees, and the Vice Presidents and the Committee of the Ball united in excellent team work.

Never before had nineteen floor boxes been sold, and every box was sold on both the first and second tiers.

A stormy night interfered somewhat with the sale of tickets at the door, but the entire floor at the Waldorf was comfortably crowded throughout the evening.

Mr. Lawrence Smith Butler and Major Henry Gansevoort Sanford, Colonel John F. Daniell, Major James C. McGuire, Colonel Arthur F. Schermerhorn, Colonel Charles Elliott Warren, and Major Alfred R. Whitney, and a large floor committee, carried out all the details of the ball most successfully. The historic "procession," led by Mrs. Alexander and Governor Smith, opened the Ball in its usual dignified and impressive manner.

The sale of the Souvenirs of the Ball was in charge of Mrs. John Munroe and her committee of debutantes, and the large number of young men in attendance upon them insured the enjoyment of the youthful element of the Ball.

Miss Florence V. Doane gave her customary and greatly appreciated assistance in the arduous task of Executive Secretary.

Mr. Cromwell Childe again had charge of the Publicity Department, and donated \$100 of his usual charge for his services to the committee.

The net proceeds of the Ball for 1923 were \$14,117.19, the best record since 1914.

MRS. FRANK S. WITHERBEE,
Treasurer.

Report of the Lenten Sewing Class

1923

VERY successful meetings were held at the residences of:

Mrs. Frederic Ashton de Peyster,
 Mrs. Charles D. Dickey,
 Mrs. Hamilton Fish,
 Mrs. Lawrence L. Gillespie,
 Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee.

We had on our list the names of 126 contributors (six more than last year).

About twenty-five members were present at each meeting, and several sent for work when not able to attend the class in person—and several took work to be done during the Summer. More co-operation was obtained this year from the Church Benevolent Societies.

As the hospital needed help during the Summer months, Mrs. Witherbee donated material for 100 garments and paid for the making up of 809 garments—the material for which was supplied by the hospital.

The attendance at meetings, the amount of donations, and the total of 3,424 garments delivered to the hospital, evidence the best record as yet accomplished by the Sewing Class.

Garments Made Up By

Calvary Church, through Miss LeRoy.....	300
St. Bartholomew's Church, through Mrs. Ostrander.....	250
St. James' Church, through Mrs. Lockwood.....	108
St. James' Trinity Church, through Mrs. Dorrance.....	200
St. Thomas' Church, through Mrs. Nash.....	211
N. Y. House and School of Industry.....	81
The Omega Iota Fraternity, through Mrs. LaBarre.....	55
Class Members of 1923.....	831
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	2,036
Mrs. Witherbee had made up.....	909
Woolen items donated.....	17
Bibs and samples.....	38
Work returned from Class of 1922.....	184
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	3,184
New sheets.....	120
New pillow cases.....	120
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	3,424

Delivered to N. Y. Nursery and Child's Hospital

Squares	1,600	
Slips	405	
Wrappers	560	
Gertrudes	310	
Shawls	262	
Bibs	30	
	3,167	
Knitted caps and sweaters for Boarding-out Department.....	17	
	3,184	
New sheets donated by Class Members.....	120	
New pillow cases donated by Class Members.....	120	
	3,424	

956 more than last year.

Mrs. John F. Daniels donated two large pieces of material for making garments.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT, 1923

RECEIPTS		EXPENDITURES
Balance from 1922.....	\$192.75	Printing invitations, envelopes, slips, receipt books..
Dues from 116 members....	580.00	\$44.00
Donations for Linen Fund		Cromwell Childe, press notices
from 28 members.....	258.00	25.00
Donations from 8 friends...	115.00	Clafin's—2,376 $\frac{3}{4}$ yards of material
		338.04
		House of Industry—
		for cutting out 1,878
		garments
		\$107.37
		Making 6 patterns....
		.54
		Buttons, thread, tapes,
		14.00
		Express on deliveries,
		9.05
		40 garments ordered
		made up by mem-
		bers
		23.00
		153.96
		Ten dozen new sheets and
		ten dozen new pillow
		cases
		199.53
		\$760.53
		Balance to 1924.....
		385.22
	\$1,145.75	\$1,145.75

MRS. FRANK S. WITHERBEE,
Treasurer.

Internes Awarded Diplomas

HORACE ORLANDO BELL, M.D.	Medical College of Virginia
SAVERIO BONTA, M.D.	Royal University, Palermo, Italy
M. BRONK, M.D.	Harvard University Medical School
HAROLD CINTRA COX, M.D.	University of Virginia
TOM FOREST DAVENPORT, M.D.	Emory University, Medical Dep't
ELZIE N. GLEATON, M.D.	University of Georgia
JAMES NORMAN HARNEY, M.D.	University of Pennsylvania
GEORGE CRAIG LUDLOW, M.D.	Harvard University Medical School
GERALD MACHACEK, M.D.	Columbia University (Physicians and Surgeons)
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Affiliated Schools

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(Three Months)

ADDISON GILBERT HOSPITAL	Gloucester, Massachusetts
AMSTERDAM CITY HOSPITAL	Amsterdam, New York
ANNA JACQUES HOSPITAL	Newburyport, Massachusetts
BLODGETT MEMORIAL HOSPITAL	Grand Rapids, Michigan
CAMBRIDGE HOSPITAL	Cambridge, Massachusetts
COOLEY-DICKINSON HOSPITAL	Northampton, Massachusetts
ELIZABETH GENERAL HOSPITAL	Elizabeth, New Jersey
LAWRENCE & MEMORIAL ASSOCIATED HOSPITALS ...	New London, Connecticut
MEMORIAL HOSPITAL	Albany, New York
PEEKSKILL HOSPITAL	Peekskill, New York
SARATOGA HOSPITAL	Saratoga Springs, New York
SOMERVILLE HOSPITAL	Somerville, Massachusetts
SWEDISH HOSPITAL	Brooklyn, New York
GENERAL HOSPITAL OF SYRACUSE	Syracuse, New York

OBSTETRIC NURSING COURSE

(Three Months)

PETER BENT BRIGHAM HOSPITAL	Boston, Massachusetts
POST GRADUATE HOSPITAL	New York City
PRESBYTERIAN HOSPITAL	New York City
ROOSEVELT HOSPITAL	New York City
ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL	New York City

COMBINATION COURSE, PEDIATRIC AND OBSTETRIC

(Six Months)

CLIFTON SPRINGS SANITARIUM	Clifton Springs, New York
HILLCREST HOSPITAL	Pittsfield, Massachusetts

Diplomas Awarded January 1, 1923—December 31 1923

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RAMAGE, DOROTHY
VONHAHMANN, HEDWIG K.

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ERICKSON, HELEN ELIZABETH
LANS, VERA WILHELMINA
RAE, ALMA
SAUNDERS, BLANCHE LILLIAN FAYE

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BELL, EILEEN V.
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HYDE, MYRL E.
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CARTER, ANNA STACIA
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COX, VIOLET
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KNIGHT, KATHLEEN
LAWLOR, JOSEPHINE DOROTHY
LOVE, HELEN FRANCES
MATTSON, HANNA S.
PHILLIPS, DOROTHY
RAISNER, ELIZABETH F.
REYNOLDS, MABEL
SCHRADER, PHYLLIS
SHIRK, VALERIE
SMITH, ELLEN
UTLEY, BESSE SYLVIA
VOLL, MARY O.

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BELL, INEZ L'ECLAIRE
BROWNE, ANNE P.
CLARKE, BERNICE
COOK, ALEXANDRA
CUNNINGHAM, GRACE
CUTCLIFFE, CONSTANCE BLUETT
DAVIS, LEOLA
EARLE, ERCHELIE
EDWARDS, THELMA HASSELL
ESTY, HELEN GLADYS
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JENSEN, JOHANNIA THORA
KENYON, BESSIE
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REID, KATHERINE GRANT
STOTESBURY, ADELAIDE
SUDDAM, MABEL E.
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Post Graduate Course—Combination

CERVENY, ANTOINETTE
CHOWNING, EDNA MARGARET
CUTHBERT, JESSIE
FRECHTLING, LILLIAN FRANCES
HAWKINS, MARY J.

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BENNETT, MAY
FITZSIMMONS, EVA
HALLIGAN, NANCY
JOHANSON, CORRINE
JOHNSON, ANNA
LYNCH, CATHERINE
MANNION, ELLIE
SLOANE, ROSE
VENESKY, ANNA
VICKERS, FLORENCE
WALSH, MARY



ONE OF THE PRIVATE ROOMS.

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MRS. HELEN R. DU BOIS AND MISS ETHEL DU BOIS,
In memory of Dr. Matthew B. Du Bois.

Endowed Beds

MRS. GUY FAIRFAX WHITING,
In memory of her mother, Mary J. Van Doren.

MISS MARTHA POTTER,
In memory of Mary Wiltse.

MISS FRANCES DE PEYSTER,
In memory of Frederic James de Peyster.

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In memory of her nephew, John T. Willets, Jr.

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In memory of her son, Charles W. Gates.

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In memory of their dear baby, Octavia.

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In memory of their mother, Catherine Brinckerhoff Du Bois.

MR. AND MRS. JOHN T. PRATT,
In memory of their daughter, Ruth.

Century Fund

THE Century Fund was organized by Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee in 1917, its object being to procure subscriptions of \$100 for the benefit of the Hospital. Subscribers to the Fund are considered to be Associate Members.

The following were contributors to this Fund during the present fiscal year :

A donation received through Mrs. Witherbee.....	\$100.00
Daniel C. Adams, Esq.....	100.00
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New York Nursery and Child's Hospital

Donations of Money Received by Treasurer

October 1, 1922—December 31, 1923

Benjamin Abert, Esq.	\$10.00	Mrs. A. Baudouine	15.00
John Achelis, Esq.	25.00	Charles R. Bauerdorff	10.00
W. R. Ackert, Esq.	10.00	Mrs. Dwight J. Baum	20.00
Mrs. A. R. Adams	2.00	Mrs. H. W. Baxter	7.00
Daniel C. Adams, Esq.	145.00	Mrs. Lawrence Pope Bayne ..	10.00
Mrs. Eldridge L. Adams	5.75	Mrs. C. Arthur Baynon	30.00
G. W. Adams, Esq.	10.00	Mrs. Chisholm Beach	10.00
Mrs. Henry Clay Adams	10.00	Mrs. Rex Beach	20.00
Mrs. Harry Adler	5.00	G. E. Beardsley, Esq.	10.00
Mrs. George B. Agnew	10.00	Sterling S. Beardsley, Esq. ..	16.00
Franklin P. Alcorn, Esq.	25.00	Martin Beck, Esq.	10.00
Mrs. Margaret Chandler Al-		Mrs. Edward C. Becker	5.00
dridge	10.00	H. A. W. Behrbohm, Esq.	5.00
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Miss Elizabeth Allanach	5.00	Mrs. William W. Bellinger ..	10.00
Harold Allen, Esq.	1.00	Mrs. L. J. Belloni	5.00
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Miss A. Gertrude Anderson ..	3.00	Mrs. Henry R. Benjamin	250.00
Miss Charlotte L. Andrews ..	20.00	Tilman C. Benson, Esq.	5.00
Mrs. William Loring Andrews.	25.00	Mrs. Harold Bentley	1.00
Anonymous	10.00	Mrs. Morris Bernhard	5.75
Anonymous	1.00	Mrs. A. B. Berwanger	10.00
Anonymous	1.00	Mrs. Nathaniel A. Berwin	10.00
Anonymous	1.00	William B. Betzig	5.00
Anonymous	1.00	Mrs. Isabelle Bevans	3.00
Dr. Harry Aranow	10.00	Mrs. Charles Biberman	5.00
Mrs. G. A. Archer	5.00	J. Raymond Bill, Esq.	10.00
Mrs. George Armour	10.00	Cornelius C. Billings, Esq.	5.00
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A CHRISTMAS PARTY, 1923.

Donations for Special Purposes

Easter Fund

It has been for many years a custom to place a lily plant in each Ward and Dining Room of the Hospital on Easter Day. Contributions to the Fund this year were received from:

RECEIPTS	EXPENDITURES
Mrs. Armour	\$5.00
Mrs. Bowers	5.00
Mrs. Clarkson	5.00
Mrs. DuBois	8.00
Mrs. Harriman	10.00
Miss LeRoy	10.00
Mrs. Pagenstecher	5.00
Mrs. Wilkinson	20.00
Mrs. Witherbee	21.00
	\$89.00

	26 Lily plants	\$58.00
	8 Tulip plants	16.00
	6 Rose bushes	15.00
	40	\$89.00

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Hospital Sewing Room

Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee and Mrs. Robert L. Gerry each provided a seamstress for the Hospital Sewing Room throughout the year.

As the daily laundry in the Hospital amounts to 7,000 flat pieces alone, more help is needed in the Sewing Room to keep all articles in necessary repair. Some kind friend of the Hospital may be interested in providing another seamstress for this work, and so aid, not only the Hospital, but some poor person they desire to assist.

Donations in Kind

1923

JANUARY

Mrs. Henry Seligman	6 crocheted blankets
Miss Frances Hoppin	4 shawls, 12 baby caps
John Martin's Bookshop	Magazines for children
St. Stephen's Church (Dr. Seagle)	Flowers
Mrs. J. H. Foster	Flowers

FEBRUARY

Mrs. Redhead	Clothing
Children's Charities (Mr. Geo. C. Browley)	Toys
Miss Frances Hoppin	2 baby caps
Mr. A. L. Bennett	Magazines

MARCH

Mrs. James Lyall	Toys
Mrs. Carroll L. Wainwright	Toys
Mrs. Chas. D. Norton	2 boxes flowers
Mrs. Rosenbaum	Box of canned pumpkin
Mr. M. F. Levine	2 sweaters
Mrs. Wm. H. Birchall	Child's sweater

APRIL

Primary Class, Union M. E. Church	2 lily plants
All Angels Sunday School	Flowers
Mrs. T. R. Jerome	Easter favors for children
West Side Y. M. C. A. (Miss Alcott's Club)	Easter favors
Mr. Henry Schmitt	Toys
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Mrs. Emmanuel Burstein	Rubber plant
Good Friends' Club	Books
Mrs. Frank Beckel	Flowers
Mrs. S. B. Chapin	2 bathrobes
Mrs. R. E. Sard	2 knitted baby blankets, toys
Miss Eleanor Chase	Doll for sick child

MAY

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Mr. E. W. Lewis	Theatre rebate tickets (Cat and Canary)
Mrs. L. M. Silverthorne	Clothing
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Mrs. L. Miller	Toys
Veltin School	Flowers
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Mrs. T. P. Handy	Toys
Mrs. Lockwood, St. James Church	Clothing

JUNE

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Mrs. Edward H. Dennen	Magazines
Mrs. Martha White	Flowers
Mr. C. Cardoza	Toys
Scarsdale Garden Club	Flowers
Mrs. L. M. Silverthorne	Toys and clothing

JULY

Scarsdale Garden Club	3 shipments of flowers
Mrs. L. M. Silverthorne	Clothing
Pierrepont School	Flowers
Miss Lizzie Noll	Clothing
John Martin's Bookshop	Magazines for children

AUGUST

Scarsdale Garden Club	Flowers
Dr. F. C. Holden	50 children's books
Mrs. Ralph W. Marshall	Flowers

SEPTEMBER

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Mrs. E. G. Foster	Adjustable bedside table

OCTOBER

Silverman Brothers	Toys
Mrs. M. H. Lambert	Toys
Dr. I. C. Rubin	Apparatus for testing patency of Fallopien Tubes
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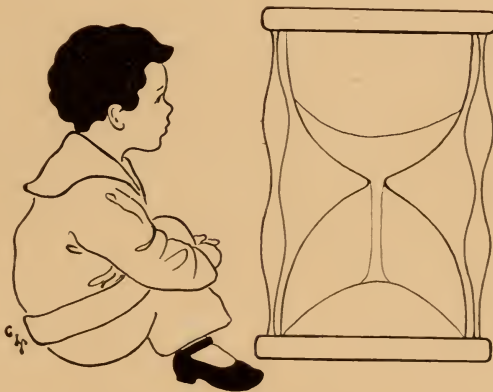
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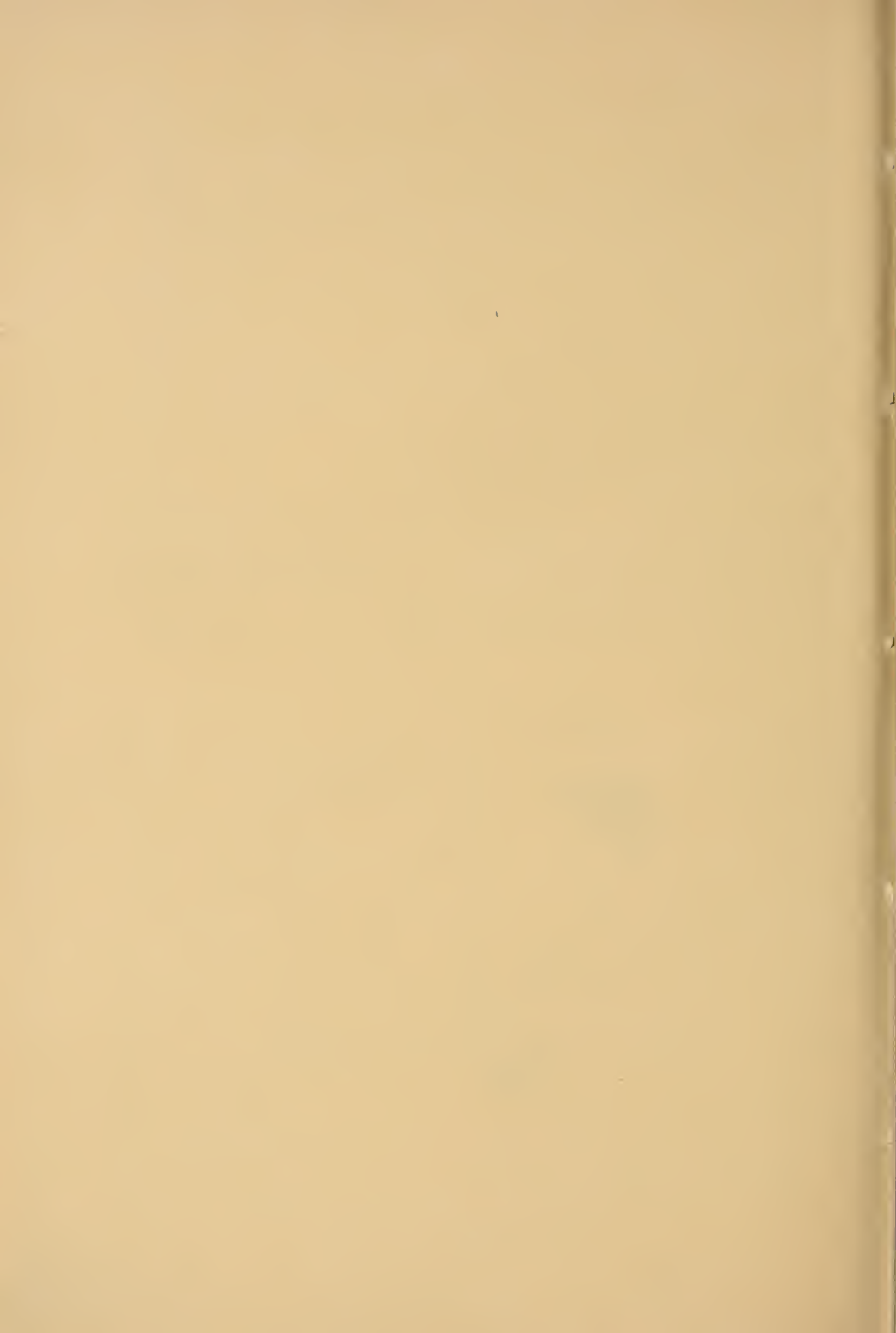
Mrs. Walter T. Rosen	Old linen
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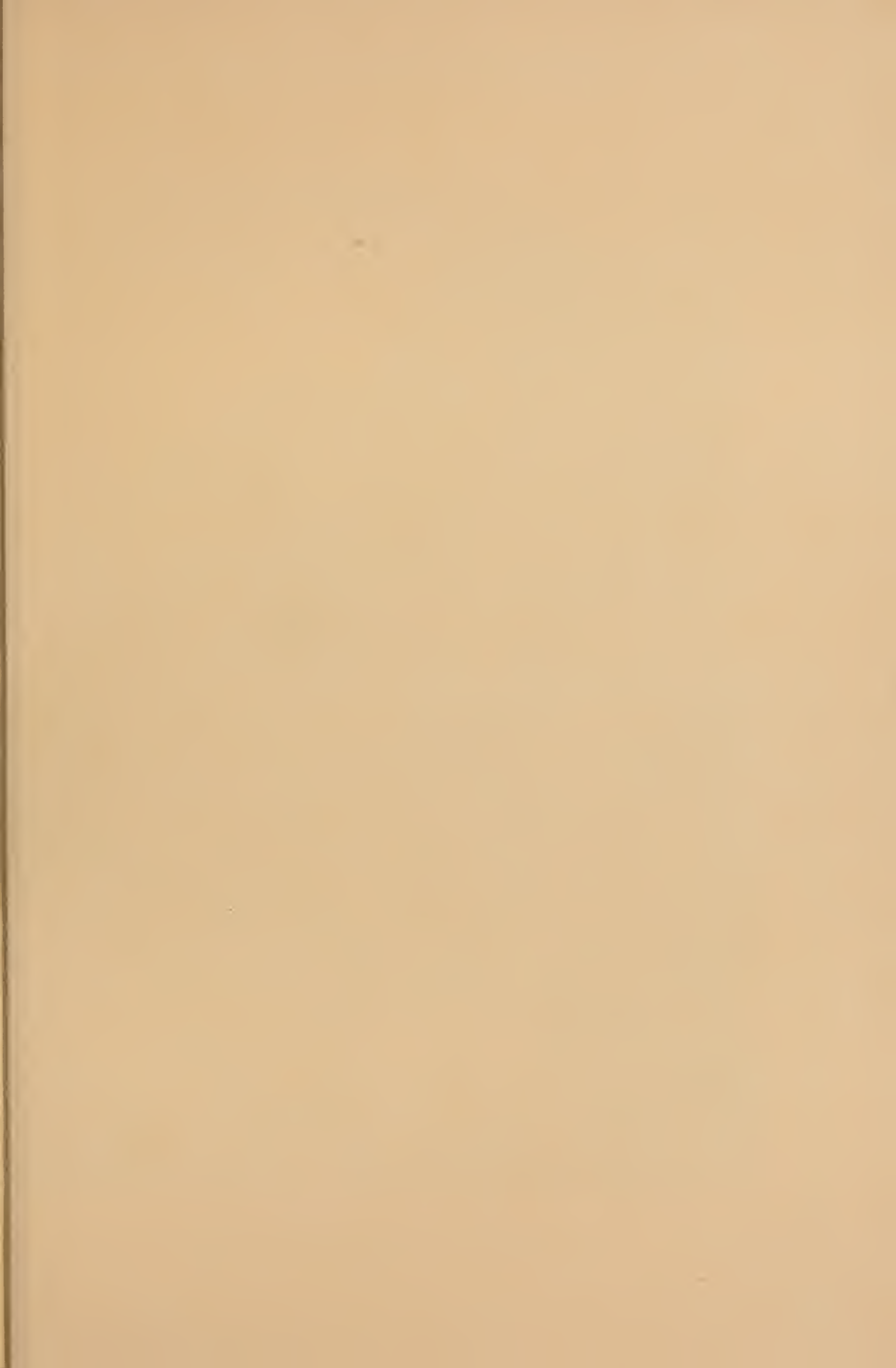
DECEMBER

Miss Agnes Wood	Books
Simon Ascher & Co., Inc. (Through Mrs. H. Grumbach)	Knit goods
Maurice Rapaport & Co.	10 dozen toy balls
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Annual Report

For the year ending
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The Year's Work

Patients Cared for in Hospital:

Women	2,388
Babies	1,859
Sick Children	811
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	5,058

Patients Cared for in Dispensary:

Women — treatments	8,540
Children — treatments	17,652

Women Delivered in their Homes 444

Visits to Patients' Homes:

Doctors, Students and Nurses	5,618
Social Service Nurses	11,507

Children Cared for in Boarding Homes 651

Visits to Children in Boarding Homes 6,345

Percentage of Free Ward Care 72%

Cost of Free Care \$146,288

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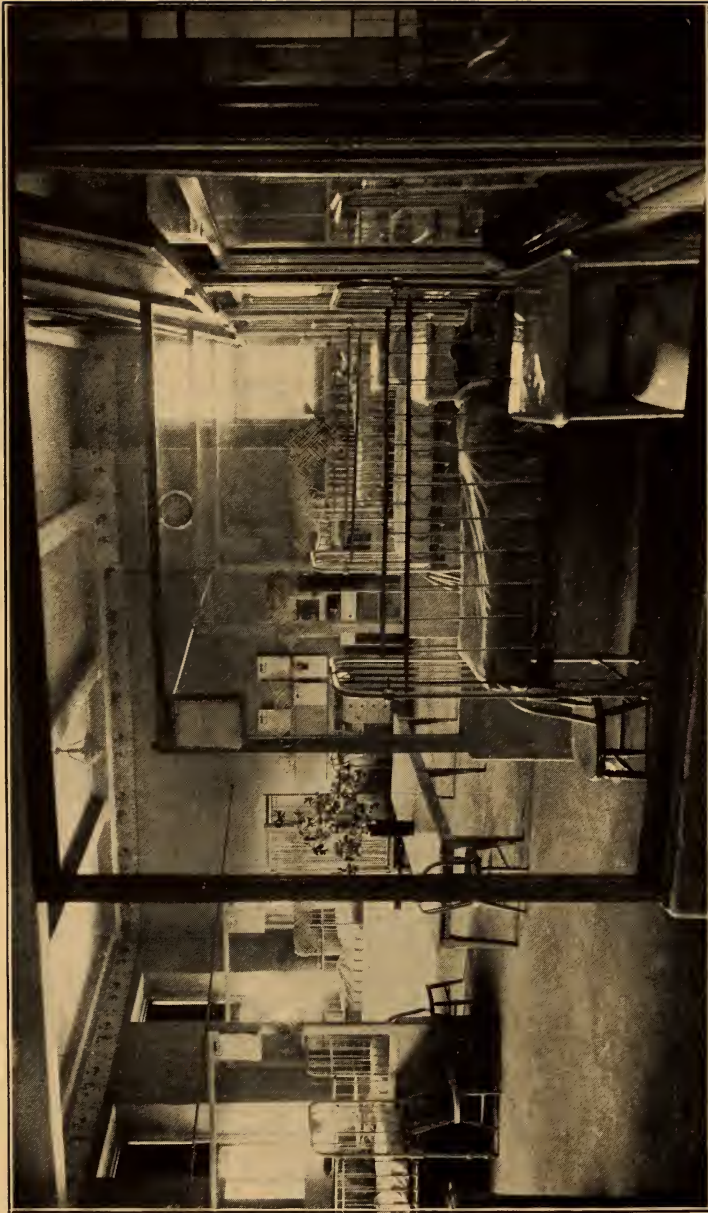
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Annual Report of the President

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE HOSPITAL :

HE New York Nursery and Child's Hospital, in celebrating the completion of its first century of service, decided to submit its work and the needs of its community to searching inquiry by an independent and recognized authority on hospitals and public health. The man chosen for this purpose is a former Health Commissioner of the City and now Professor of Public Health in the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Dr. Haven Emerson.

The result of this inquiry, to everyone interested in the Institution, should be at once a reward and a challenge. No institution working under the same physical handicaps could ask for finer commendation; and none could receive a more inspiring challenge to increased effort.

Dr. Emerson's Findings

Without going into details, several points stand out.

First, we are doing a big and growing service as and where we are. The community needs the Hospital and is going to need it more in a few years.

Second, to meet even present needs and to maintain present standards new buildings are imperative—for wards, for nurses, for administrative and service departments.

Third, the present earnings of the Hospital are all that it is fair to expect, constituting 82% of the total income; so that with money for buildings must come a big increase in our pitifully small endowment fund.

Deficit Indicates Progress

The Treasurer's report shows that even now, after several years of making ends meet, there is again a deficit amounting to about 7% of our expenses. While the Centennial year of 1923, with its unusual donations, held this deficit off for a year, it was bound to come.

Any hospital economically managed which does not show an increasing budget, year by year, is not doing its share in scientific and preventive medicine. It is not possible to tune our pediatric service to the extensive scientific research in children's diseases instituted in our new laboratories without increased expenses, or to add to our educational and preventive work in the out-patient department as we have. We do not apologize for our increased expenditures. We are confident that a careful analysis of them will bring us funds to increase still more our service to childhood—sick and well.

Emphasis on Thoroughness

Since our hospital beds are limited, for the time being, and our dispensary all too small for present needs, we have focused attention upon *being thorough with what we do*.

While our ward care of patients increased by 250 on the pediatric service and 440 on the maternity, we take special satisfaction in the fact that the average number of visits made to the dispensary by each patient increased for maternity patients one-fifth and for children one-third, and that the home visits of our social service workers increased 2,600, or 30%. This means that every child before birth was more carefully protected, and that every child after birth was more carefully guided.

Appointment System

To improve the children's dispensary service, an appointment system was introduced last spring, whereby every child is seen by his own doctor at a specified hour. The problem of the mother of a family getting her child to clinic is thus reduced to reason. No more rushing to get there early. No more long hours on the waiting benches, wondering what is going on at home.

Preventive Medicine

Through the interest of our stirring Social Service Committee, we have added, the past year, another pediatric visiting nurse, a social nurse for the special education of cardiac cases, and a nutrition worker to follow-up and teach the families of under-nourished children. If we could double the size of our Social Service staff, increase our health clinics to keep well babies well, and have added room to house these and other classes, what life-savers we could become!

An Innovation in Child-Care

In one other department we have made important progress the past year, and that is the department which cares for a constant population of 380 children in foster homes. Because of its close association with a children's hospital service, this department has come to be looked upon—by agencies of many faiths, in many towns and counties—as a refuge for the new-born infant deprived of a mother's care, and for the ailing child, who needs more medical and nursing care than can be provided by most child-caring agencies.

Just as this institution demonstrated, 70 years ago, that the high death rate among infants in institutions was unnecessary, and, 50 years later, that infant mortality could be still further reduced in foster homes; so, today, it is demonstrating that children with many sorts of physical ailments can be safely cared for and with better chances of improvement in a foster home than in a hospital.

The Supreme Need

With a maternity service reaching back into the beginnings, and following through with all that education and modern science can contribute;

With a children's service that begins with the new-born, educating in health; that gives home and clinic advice in ill health, and hospital care in sickness; and that devotes unsurpassed equipment and the time of a considerable corps of men and women to research in the causes of children's diseases;

With a large department for the care in foster homes of infants and ailing children deprived of their own parents' care or not thriving under it; and

With schools for the training of doctors and nurses in all of these vital lines;

What do we need? Certainly not opportunity! Certainly not a basis for the finest kind of monument to motherhood and childhood—a monument partly of bricks and mortar, to be sure, but chiefly of living service.

What we need is friends. Friends that believe in us. Friends with a vision. Friends with the money to do what we see to be done, but cannot finance.

And we look with confidence to the coming of such friends. Those who cannot themselves investigate, are invited to send for Dr. Haven Emerson's careful survey. It tells our accomplishments; it tells our faults; it tells our needs. No one can read it without feeling sure that here is a sound community investment, here an opportunity for service, here an outstanding memorial—to mother or child.

In conclusion, I cannot do better than to quote Dr. Emerson:

"It should require only the statement of the existing physical, professional and other service situations of the Nursery and Child's Hospital to the public spirited and generous people of New York City to obtain the modest sums needed for new buildings and maintenance."

EDW. H. PEASLEE.



Report of the Treasurer

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS:



CORRECT understanding of the Hospital's present situation, so far as money matters are concerned, and its record in this respect for the year 1924, may be had most readily, perhaps, through an examination of the tables herewith submitted, which are designed to set forth comprehensively our financial condition with some attempt at analysis of our income and expenditures.

In the year's chronicle there are a number of items, that, either because of their unusual nature, or their particular significance, seem to call for special notice.

Our mortgages held for investment have been reduced by payments on account of principal, as follows:

Barnett Wilensky Mortgage No. 1	\$5,100.00
David Pollack Mortgages	5,000.00
F. W. Meyer Mortgage	2,000.00
Robert Tag Mortgage	500.00

We received on account of legacies:

From the Estate of James Rufus Smith\$7,940.29
(Including \$84.74 interest)

From the Estate of Charles E. Rhinelander 1,000.00

From Florence Elaine Dickerman and George H. Howard, as Trustees under the Watson B. Dickerman Trust, we received in final settlement, \$258.02 in cash and 24 shares Liggett & Myers "B" worth at the time \$1,503. These shares were subsequently sold at an increase of \$124.56.

To supply funds for current expenses, we sold during the year 10,000 New York Telephone First & General Mortgage Sinking Fund 30-yr. 4½s due 1939, at a profit of \$1,723.25.

The profit on \$5,000 Tide Water Oil 15-year 6½s due 1931 sold in 1923, but delivered in 1924, was \$37.50.

We transferred from the General Fund to the Permanent Endowment Fund,

\$2,000 Northern Pacific Railway Refunding & Improvement Mortgage 6s Series "B" due 2047 at 103¾.

We bought for the Permanent Endowment Fund,

\$1,000 Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh Consolidated 4½s-1957.

The Social Service Committee requested us during the year to return \$4,000 from its Investment Fund. To provide the money, we sold for that account,

\$3,000 Baltimore & Ohio Secured 6s due 1929.

1,000 Bethlehem Steel Consolidated 6s due 1948.

The net proceeds of the Charity Ball were \$12,817.71, and we received from the United Hospital Fund, \$10,016.09.

We negotiated the sale of the third and last parcel of our Staten Island property, receiving net in cash \$4,938.28 and a mortgage of \$8,000, bearing interest at the rate of 3% per annum for three years and 6% per annum thereafter.

A payment of \$100 to establish the Mary Mildred Sullivan Fund was received from Mrs. Sullivan and Mr. George Hammond Sullivan.

Our bookkeeping system has been somewhat rearranged under the supervision of the Accountants and it is thought that the changes made will tend to simplify and clarify this part of our work. In adjustment of old accounts, we took up credits accumulated over a period of years amounting to \$10,545.14, but charged against them uncollected accounts totalling \$4,192.01. We also charged off the remaining cost of reconstructing the laboratory, \$9,210.29, and \$99 for depreciation in the value of securities owned.

The operating deficit for the year of \$34,912.32 is reduced through adjustments noted to \$23,045.89, which has been charged to Capital Account. This item, above all others, is urged upon the attention of the Directors. Our Hospital is increasing year by year in efficiency and improving the quality of service that it offers, but until the work is definitely put upon a solid financial basis that will furnish an income adequate to its necessary expenses, it cannot be wholly successful.

Respectfully submitted,

C. BOUCHER,
Treasurer.



ONE OF THE PRIVATE ROOMS

Table I

Income and Expenditures—January 1, 1924, to December 31, 1924

INCOME

Hospital Earnings

Private Patients	\$175,924.10
Ward Patients	39,636.89
Special Nurses Board	25,605.93
Dispensary	4,919.70
Outdoor Department	4,661.75
Pharmacy	2,318.40
Miscellaneous and Special Charges	6,073.41
City of New York	92,157.69
County Charges	17,211.65
Private Boarding Children	18,910.90
Students' Fees	665.00

\$388,085.42

Other Revenue

Donations	24,119.35
Interest and Dividends	21,415.44
Charity Ball	12,817.71
Donations to Social Service Fund	12,284.65
United Hospital Fund	10,016.09
Members Dues	735.00

81,388.24

EXPENDITURES

Administration

Salaries— Officers and Clerks	25,775.81
Office Expenses	660.39
Postage, Stationery and Printing	3,577.37
Telephone and Telegraph	7,359.45
Miscellaneous	1,700.40

39,073.42

Professional Care of Patients

Salaries and Wages	48,582.20
Apparatus and Instruments	1,527.62
Medical and Surgical Supplies	18,554.61
Drugs	5,708.61
Dispensary and Pharmacy	8,612.35
Clothing	1,327.97
Equipment for Nurses	927.72
X-Ray	2,084.03
Pathological Laboratory	5,709.70
Outdoor Department	9,360.61
Social Service Department	23,453.02
Boarding Out Department—	

Salaries	9,489.96
Board	68,212.16
Clothing	13,582.99
Miscellaneous	3,216.85

99,501.96

220,350.40

Departments

Housekeeping—		
Wages	30,289.16	
Linen and Bedding.....	4,694.79	
Supplies	10,713.87	
Kitchen—		
Wages	9,305.75	
Supplies	627.86	
Laundry—		
Wages	16,215.99	
Supplies	1,808.19	
Steward's Department (Food).....	81,722.50	
		155,378.11

General House and Property

Electric Lighting	3,913.13	
Fuel	15,794.29	
Gas	3,072.02	
Ice	3,091.59	
Insurance	5,234.63	
Maintenance, Buildings—		
Wages	8,118.96	
Supplies and Contracts.....	8,733.26	
Maintenance, Machinery and Tools—		
Wages	19,084.66	
Supplies and Contracts.....	3,200.63	
Plumbing and Steamfitting—		
Wages	1,920.00	
Supplies and Contracts.....	887.05	
		73,050.22

Corporation

Audit	733.00	
Miscellaneous	1,531.79	
Publicity and Appeals.....	14,269.04	
		16,533.83

\$504,385.98

Operating Deficit	34,912.32
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Capital Operations—

Profits on Securities Sold.....	\$ 1,885.31	
Profit on Sale of Real Estate.....	12,937.28	
Adjustment of Earnings from Private		
Patients	6,353.13	
		\$21,175.72
Depreciation on Securities.....	99.00	
Reconstruction of Laboratories.....	9,210.29	
		9,309.29

11,866.43

Total Deficit	<u>\$23,045.89</u>
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Table II

Balance Sheet—December 31, 1923

ASSETS	LIABILITIES
Land and Buildings.....\$385,709.41	Capital, October 1, 1922... \$652,456.59
Mortgages 164,400.00	PERMANENT LIABILITIES
Stocks and Bonds..... 181,352.54	Operating Loss 24,242.33
Securities constituting Per- manent Endowment Fund, including \$171.69 in cash.. 48,592.78	\$628,214.26
CURRENT ASSETS	Estate of Charles E. Rhine- lander 5,000.00
Due by City of New York. 23,502.74	Estate of Josephine L. Pey- ton 1,994.86
Due by Westchester County 694.81	Capital, December 31, 1923 \$635,209.12
Due by Dutchess County... 451.69	Endowed Beds 46,000.00
Due by Nassau County.... 302.65	Matthew B. Du Bois Ward Trust Fund 13,111.51
Due by Ulster County..... 163.00	Perma nent Endowment Fund 48,592.78
Due by Suffolk County.... 113.06	Watson B. Dickerman Trust Fund 8,002.00
Due by John R. Howard, Jr., Supt. 2,000.00	Social Service Investment Fund 9,000.00
Estate of Augusta C. Chapin 1.00	CURRENT LIABILITIES
Estate of Benjamin Aymar Sands 1.00	Refunds 468.00
Estate of Frederick Law- rence Upjohn 1.00	Accounts Payable..... 36,680.23
Linsley Trust Fund..... 1.00	Advance Payments by Pay Patients 19,139.92
Medical Salaries 909.62	
Cash 7,737.26	
<u>\$816,203.56</u>	<u>\$816,203.56</u>

Balance Sheet—December 31, 1924

ASSETS	LIABILITIES
Land and Buildings.....\$385,708.41	Capital, December 31, 1923.. \$635,209.12
Bonds and Mortgages..... 164,800.00	PERMANENT LIABILITIES
Stocks and Bonds..... 162,381.55	Total Deficit 23,045.89
Securities constituting Per- manent Endowment Fund, including \$227.93 in cash.. 48,598.02	\$612,163.23
CURRENT ASSETS	Estate of Charles E. Rhine- lander 1,000.00
Due by City of New York.. 15,780.29	Estate of James Rufus Smith Watson B. Dickerman Trust Fund 9,763.02
Due by Westchester County 2,417.67	Capital, December 31, 1924.. \$630,781.80 ✓
Due by Nassau County.... 235.28	Endowed Beds 46,000.00
Due by Dutchess County... 901.70	Matthew B. Du Bois Ward Trust Fund 13,111.51
Due by Private Patients... 720.75	Perma nent Endowment Fund 48,598.02
Due by John R. Howard, Jr., Supt. 2,000.00	Mary Mildred Sullivan Fund 100.00
Estate of Augusta C. Chapin 1.00	Social Service Investment Fund 5,000.00
Linsley Trust Fund..... 1.00	CURRENT LIABILITIES
Estate of Benjamin Aymar Sands 1.00	Refunds 426.00
Estate of Frederick Law- rence Upjohn 1.00	Special Nurses Salaries.... 1,608.35
Cash 5,867.30	Accounts Payable 27,869.79
	Advance Payments by Pay Patients 15,919.50
<u>\$789,414.97</u>	<u>\$789,414.97</u>

Table III

Securities

General Fund

		Book Value Dec. 31, 1923		Book Value Dec. 31, 1924
\$5,000	American Smelting & Refining Co. 1st Mtge. 6s "B"—1947....	(101 $\frac{5}{8}$)	\$5,088.75	(101 $\frac{5}{8}$) \$5,088.75
\$10,000	Atchison, Topeka & Sante Fe R. R. Gen. 4s—1995.....	(74)	7,415.00	(74) 7,415.00
\$15,000	Baltimore & Ohio R. R. Co. Conv. 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ s—1933 (Reg'd)	(69 $\frac{1}{2}$)	10,425.00	(69 $\frac{1}{2}$) 10,425.00
\$10,000	Canada Southern Cons. Gtd. 5s "A"—1962	(87)	8,700.00	(87) 8,700.00
\$10,000	Central Pacific R. R. Co. 1st Ref. Gtd. 4s—1949	(73 $\frac{3}{4}$)	7,375.00	(73 $\frac{3}{4}$) 7,375.00
\$10,000	Chesapeake & Ohio Ry. Co. 1st Cons. Gold 5s—1939.....	Var.	9,067.50	Var. 9,067.50
\$5,000	Delaware & Hudson R. R. Co. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ s—1937	(97)	4,850.00	(97) 4,850.00
\$10,000	Great Northern Ry. Co. Gen. Gold 7s "A"—1936	(96 $\frac{1}{2}$)	9,665.00	(96 $\frac{1}{2}$) 9,665.00
\$5,000	Great Northern Ry. Co. Gen. Gold 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ s "B"—1952	(96)	4,800.00	(96) 4,800.00
\$10,000	Missouri Pacific R. R. Co. 1st & Ref. Mtge. 6s "D"—1949.....	(87 $\frac{1}{2}$)	8,750.00	(87 $\frac{1}{2}$) 8,750.00
\$16,000	Mobile & Ohio R. R. Co. Gen. Gold 4s—1938	(55)	8,800.00	(55) 8,800.00
\$5,000	New York Central R. R. Co. Ref. & Imp. 5s "C"—2013.....	(94 $\frac{1}{2}$)	4,725.00	(94 $\frac{1}{2}$) 4,725.00
\$8,000	Northern Pacific Ry. Co. Ref. & Imp. 6s "B"—2047.....	(96 $\frac{1}{2}$)	7,590.00	(96 $\frac{1}{2}$) 7,590.00
\$10,000	Pennsylvania R. R. Co. Sec. Gold 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ s—1936	(99 $\frac{7}{8}$)	10,002.50	(99 $\frac{7}{8}$) 10,002.50
\$10,000	Pennsylvania R. R. Co. Gen. 5s "B"—1968	(88)	8,800.00	(88) 8,800.00
\$10,000	Southern Railway Co. 1st Cons. Gold 5s—1994	(86)	8,600.00	(86) 8,600.00
\$15,000	Southern Railway Co. Mobile & Ohio Coll. Trust Gold 4s—1938.	(59)	8,850.00	(59) 8,850.00
\$10,000	Southern Pacific Co. Gold 4s (Central Pacific Col.)—1949....	(68 $\frac{1}{4}$)	6,840.00	(68 $\frac{1}{4}$) 6,840.00
75 Shares	Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry. Co. pfd.....	(23 $\frac{5}{8}$)	1,771.88	(23 $\frac{5}{8}$) 1,771.88
12 Shares	Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry. Co. com.....	(23 $\frac{5}{8}$)	283.50	(15 $\frac{3}{8}$) 184.50
5 Shares	National Bank of Commerce	(164)	820.00	(164) 820.00
5 Shares	Union Pacific Railroad Co. pfd.	(65 $\frac{1}{4}$)	326.25	(65 $\frac{1}{4}$) 326.25
24 Shares	U. S. Tobacco Company com.	(45)	1,080.00	(45) 1,080.00

Permanent Endowment Fund

\$1,000	Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh Cons. 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ s—1957	(87 $\frac{1}{4}$)	874.00	(87 $\frac{1}{4}$) 874.00
\$1,000	Louisville & Nashville R. R. Co. 1st & Ref. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ s "A"—2003.....	(102)	1,021.50	(102) 1,021.50
\$4,000	New York Central & Hudson River R. R. Co. 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ s—1997....	Var.	2,661.25	Var. 2,661.25
\$7,000	Northern Pacific Ry. Co. Ref. & Imp. 6s "B"—2047.....	Var.	7,458.75	Var. 7,458.75

Permanent Endowment Fund—continued

	Book Value Dec. 31, 1923	Book Value Dec. 31, 1924
500 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 3rd 4½s—1928	Var. 452.10	Var. 452.10
\$1,000 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 4th 4¼s—1938	Var. 902.48	Var. 902.48

Matthew B. Du Bois Ward Trust Fund

\$2,000 Louisville & Nashville R. R. Co. 1st & Ref. 5½s "A"—2003.	(102) 2,043.00	(102) 2,043.00
600 New York Central R. R. Co. Ref. & Imp. 5s "C"—2013.	Var. 580.00	Var. 580.00
\$5,000 Pennsylvania R. R. Co. Gen. 5s "B"—1968	(91¼) 4,562.50	(91¼) 4,562.50
\$1,000 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 2nd 4¼s—1942	930.80	930.80
\$3,000 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 3rd 4¼s—1928	2,906.55	2,906.55
\$2,000 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 4th 4¼s—1938	1,868.00	1,868.00

Social Service Investment Fund

\$1,000 Baltimore & Ohio R. R. Co.— 10-yr. Secured 6s—1929.	990.51	990.51
\$4,000 Bethlehem Steel Cons. Mtge. 30- yr. Sinking Fund 6s "A"—1948. (97½)	3,924.00	(97½) 3,924.00
50 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 2nd 4¼s—1942	(97⅝) 49.81	(97⅝) 49.81

Bonds and Mortgages

John Connors Mortgage 5%	\$14,000.00
Edwin V. Hellawell Mortgage 6%	22,000.00
Rose Levere Mortgage 5½%	10,000.00
Frederick W. Meyer Mortgage 5½%	17,000.00
Robert Tag Mortgage 5%	20,500.00
Werner Mortgage 6%	35,000.00
Barnett Wilensky Mortgage No. 1—3%	17,900.00
Barnett Wilensky Mortgage No. 2—3%	20,400.00
Barnett Wilensky Mortgage No. 3—3%	8,000.00
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	\$164,800.00

Real Estate

61st Street Land and Buildings	\$165,067.63
New Building, 45 Amsterdam Avenue	127,936.65
157 West 61st Street	16,000.00
159 West 61st Street	76,704.13
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	\$385,708.41

Permanent Endowment Fund

David Pollack Mortgage 5½%	\$11,000.01
David Pollack Mortgage 5½%	12,000.00
David Pollack Mortgage 5½%	12,000.00
\$1,000 Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh Cons. 4½s—1957	874.00
\$1,000 Louisville & Nashville R. R. Co. 1st & Ref. 5½s "A"—2003.	1,021.50
\$4,000 New York Central & Hudson River R. R. Co. 3½s—1997.	2,661.25
\$7,000 Northern Pacific Ry. Co. Ref. & Imp. 6s "B"—2047.	7,458.75
\$500 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 3d 4¼s—1928.	452.10
\$1,000 U. S. Government Liberty Loan 4th 4¼s—1938.	902.48
Cash, Central Union Trust Co.	227.93
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	\$48,598.02

Report of Finance and Auditing Committee

TO THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS :



URING the year 1924, the Finance and Auditing Committee, in order to supply funds for current expenses, authorized the sale of \$10,000, face value of bonds, and the transfer from the General Fund to the Permanent Endowment Fund, of \$2,000, face value of bonds. The purchase of \$1,000, face value of bonds, was also authorized for the Permanent Endowment Fund. Four thousand dollars, face value of bonds, belonging to the Social Service Investment Account, were ordered sold to provide funds to meet the needs of the Social Service Committee.

Details of all these transactions will be found in the Treasurer's Report, which also includes a list of our investments.

The bonds, stocks and mortgages belonging to the Hospital have been examined by two members of this Committee and found to be in order.

The Treasurer's accounts have been regularly audited each month by Messrs. John I. Cole, Son & Company.

EDWARD H. PEASLEE,
Chairman.



HEAD NURSES AND PUPILS REPRESENTING FOURTEEN
AFFILIATED NURSING SCHOOLS



A ROOM IN LABORATORIES FOR RESEARCH IN CHILDREN'S DISEASES

Hospital Statistics for Year Ending December 31, 1924

	OBSTETRIC SERVICE				GYNECOLOGICAL			PEDIATRIC SERVICE			GRAND TOTAL	
	Private		Ward		Private	Ward	Hospital	B. O. D.	Total	1924	1923	
	Women	Babies	Women	Babies								
Patients in Hospital, December 31, 1923	43	38	46	38	2	1	33	17	50	218	152	
Admitted during year	1,166	1,037	854	746	200	76	438	323	761	4,840	5,253	
Total Number treated	1,209	1,075	900	784	202	77	471	340	811	5,058	5,385	
Discharged during year	1,171	1,044	862	752	200	74	440	319	759	4,862	5,167	
Remaining Dec. 31, 1924	38	31	38	32	2	3	31	21	52	196	218	
Patient Days										73,712	72,954	
Deliveries	1,085		767							1,852	1,895	
Operations						410			132	542	525	
Outdoor Department: Deliveries in homes Visits to homes by doc- tors and nurses										444	572	
Outpatient Department: New Patients Re-visits to Dispensary Total Visits			1,287 5,097 6,384	1,009 1,147 2,156					2,482 15,120 17,602	4,778 21,364 26,142	5,929 21,371 27,300	
Social Service Cases Social Service Visits										3,685 11,507	3,047 8,751	
B. O. D. Department: Number Children cared for Visits to Children										651 6,345	669 7,068	

Medical Report

January 1, 1924 to December 31, 1924

PEDIATRIC SERVICE

In Hospital Jan. 1st 1924.....	50	Condition on Discharge	
Admitted—		Well	362
Boarding-out Dept.—Well, 77 ✓		Improved	218
Sick, 246		Not Improved	42
	323	Died	
Hospital Cases	438	Under 24 hours.....	40
		Over 24 hours	97
	761		137
Total Treated	811		759
Discharged	759		
Remaining Dec. 31, 1924.....	52		

DISEASES TREATED

Blood and Circulatory System

Anemia, Secondary	5
Anemia, Von Jakschs.....	1
Carditis, Acute	1
Endocarditis, Chronic	14
Leukemia, Acute Lymphatic....	1
Myocarditis, Acute	5
Pericarditis, Acute with Effusion	2
Sinus Thrombosis	1
Septicemia, Hemolytic Strepto-	
coccus	7

Bones and Joints

Fracture Tibia following Rickets.	2
Osteomyelitis of Scapula.....	1
Arthritis, Infectious	2
Arthritis, Pneumococcus	1

Digestive System

Congenital Obstruction of Duo-	
denum	1
Cyclic Vomiting	6
Constipation, Chronic	3
Carious Teeth	8
Dilatation of Colon	2
Dysentery	2
Diarrhoea, simple	8
Diarrhoea, fermentative	1
Gastro Enteritis	3
Gastro-Intestinal Intoxication,	
Acute	65
Intestinal Indigestion, Chronic..	13
Intussusception	1
Ileo Colitis	1
Peritonitis, Pneumococcus	1
Peritonitis, Tuberculous	1
Pyloric Stenosis	1
Pyloric Spasm	1
Prolapse Rectum	2
Rumination	1
Regulation of Feeding.....	113
Stomatitis	10
Thrush	16

Ductless Glands

Hypothyroidism	1
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Eye and Ear

Blepharitis, Marginal	2
Conjunctivitis, Simple	16
Conjunctivitis, Acute Suppura-	
tive	8
Hordeolum	2
Malformation of Retina, Congen-	
ital with Retinal Hemorrhage.	1
Strabismus	1
Otitis Media, Acute	261
Otitis Media, Chronic.....	3
Mastoiditis	4

Genito-Urinary

Balanitis, Acute	2
Hydrocele	1
Hypospadias	2
Hernia, Scrotal	1
Kidney, Multiple Abscesses....	1
Nephritis, Sub-Acute	4
Pyelitis	3
Phimosis	43
Vaginitis, Simple	1
Vaginitis, Gonorrhoeal	4

Nervous System

Birth Injury	3
Convulsions	5
Chorea	1
Cerebral Hemorrhage	13
Encephalitis	5
Erbs Palsy	2
Hysteria	1
Hypertonic Baby	16
Idiocy, Mongolian	1
Laryngismus Stridulus	1
Meningitis, Tuberculous	2
Meningitis, Pneumococcus	2
Meningitis, Acute Hemorrhagic	
Pachymeningitis	1

Medical Report—continued

Acute Gastro-Intestinal Intoxication, Marasmus	2	Diseases of Respiratory System	
Acute Gastro-Intestinal Intoxication, Purulent Cellulitis, Septicemia Neonatorum, Chronic Otitis Media	1	Broncho-Pneumonia	10
Acute Gastro-Intestinal Intoxication, Furunculosis, Purulent Cellulitis	1	Broncho-Pneumonia, Acute Bilateral Otitis Media	1
Acute Gastro-Intestinal Intoxication with Dehydration	1	Broncho-Pneumonia, Congenital Syphilis	4
Acute Gastro-Intestinal Intoxication, Pneumococcus Meningitis	1	Broncho-Pneumonia, Nasopharyngitis	4
Chronic Intestinal Indigestion	1	Broncho-Pneumonia, Sinus Thrombosis	1
Pneumococcus Peritonitis	1	Broncho-Pneumonia, Pyelo Nephritis	1
Diseases of New Born		Broncho-Pneumonia, Marasmus ..	4
Brain Abscess, Otic Origin	1	Broncho-Pneumonia, Status Lymphaticus	1
Cerebral Hemorrhage, Prolonged Labor	1	Broncho-Pneumonia, Convulsions	1
Hemorrhagic Diseases of New Born	1	Broncho-Pneumonia, Tetany	1
Hemorrhagic Disease of New Born, Congenital Cardiac	1	Broncho-Pneumonia, Acute Intestinal Indigestion	8
Prematurity	25	Broncho-Pneumonia, Empyema ..	2
Prematurity, Hemorrhagic Disease of New Born	3	Broncho-Pneumonia, Multiple Abscess Lungs, Acute Nasopharyngitis Laryngitis, Tuberculous Meningitis	1
Prematurity, Ileo Colitis	1	Broncho-Pneumonia, Prematurity	2
Prematurity, Omphalitis	1	Broncho-Pneumonia, Congenital Malformation of Pylorus	1
Prematurity, Acute Gastro-Intestinal Intoxication	5	Broncho-Pneumonia, Membranous Ileo Colitis	1
Prematurity, Spina Bifida	1	Broncho-Pneumonia, Hypotonic Baby, Acute Gastro-Intestinal Intoxication	1
Prematurity, Broncho Pneumonia	2	Broncho-Pneumonia, Encephalitis (Non-Traumatic)	1
Prematurity, Congenital Atelectasis	1	Broncho-Pneumonia, Mongolian Idiocy	1
Pulmonary Atelectasis	1	Lobar Pneumonia	3
Diseases of Nervous System		Lobar Pneumonia, Acute Otitis Media	1
Meningococcus Meningitis	1	Miliary Tuberculosis, Scurvy	1
Pneumococcus Meningitis (Non-traumatic)	1	Miliary Tuberculosis, Tuberculous Meningitis	1
Poleo Encephalitis	1	Diseases of Skin	
Tuberculous Meningitis	2	Sclerema	1
Nutritional Diseases		Total Deaths	137
Malnutrition, Post-operative Pyloric Stenosis	1		
Marasmus	1		

OBSTETRIC SERVICE—INDOOR

Women		Male Infants	957
In Hospital Jan. 1, 1924	89	Female Infants	895
Admitted during year	2,020	1,852	
Total Treated	2,109	Delivered by Visiting Physicians (private)	851
Discharged	2,033	Delivered by House Staff—	
Remaining Dec. 31, 1924	76	Private	221
Total number of women delivered	1,833	Ward	761
		1,833	

Medical Report—continued

Presentations		Born-In Babies	
Vertex	1,768	In Hospital Jan. 1, 1924.....	76
Breech	75	Admitted	1,783
Face	7		
Transverse	1	Total Treated	1,859
Shoulder	1	Discharged	1,796
	1,852	Remaining Dec. 31, 1924.....	63
Operative Deliveries		Condition on Discharge	
Forceps Delivery—Low	222	Well	1,707
Medium	154	Improved	37
High	25	Not Improved	2
Internal podalic version and breech extraction	33	Died	30
Breech extraction	75	(Additional on Pediatric Service 20)	
Craniotomy	4	Causes of Death (Babies)	
Manual removal of placenta.....	6	Congenital Heart Disease.....	2
Induction of labor	26	Icterus gravis	1
Complications		Peritonitis	1
Twins	17	Spina Bifida	1
Triples	1	Double Pyelo-Nephritis- Congenital Cystic Kidney.....	1
Placenta praevia	11	Prematurity	24
Premature separation of placenta	12		30
Retained placenta	4	Stillbirths	
Post partum haemorrhage.....	7	Stillbirths at Term.....	30
Toxemia of pregnancy.....	22	Premature stillbirths	44
Eclampsia	3		
Deformed pelvis	66	Total stillbirths	74
Prematures	43	Number macerated	20
Phlebitis	4	Causes	
Pyelitis	5	Anecephalic monster	5
Fibroid uterus	7	Anomalies of cord	3
Cardiac disease	6	Asphyxia Neonatorum	3
Pyemia	1	Cerebral Haemorrhage	10
Condition on Discharge (Women)		Contracted Pelvis, Asphyxia....	2
Well	1,925	Hydramnios	1
Improved	93	Hydrocephalus	2
Not Improved	6	Lues	3
Died	9	Placenta Praevia	4
Causes of Death (Women)		Premature Separation of Placenta	7
Puerperal pyemia	1	Prematurity	5
Pernicious vomiting	1	Prolapse of Umbilical Cord.....	6
Toxemia of pregnancy.....	1	Spinal Canal Haemorrhage	1
Puerperal septicaemia, streptococ- cus haemolyticus	1	Toxemia of Pregnancy.....	13
Acute ethmoiditis; acute menin- gitis	1	Unknown	9
Placenta praevia	1		
Diphtheria	1		
Pneumococcus meningitis	1		
Rupture of broad ligament, trau- matic	1		
	9		74

Medical Report—continued

OBSTETRIC SERVICE—OUTDOOR

Total number of women delivered 444

Presentations

Vertex	400
Breech	13
Precipitates	31

Operative Deliveries

Version and breech extraction...	1
Mid. B. forceps	1
Breech extraction	13

Complications

Twins	3
Miscarriages	5
Contracted pelvis	1
Prolapsed cord	2
Congenital club foot	1
Spina bifida	1
Cyclops	1
Lobar pneumonia	1
Eclampsia	1

Deaths—Women

None

Deaths—Babies

Premature stillbirths	5
Stillbirths at term	4
Total	9
Number macerated	4

Causes

Monstrosity	1
Spina bifida	1
Prolapsed cord	1
Prematurity	4
Unknown	2
	9

Visits to Tenements

Doctors	888
Students	1,310
Nurses	3,420

SURGICAL SERVICE

In Hospital January 1, 1924.....	3
Admitted during year	276
Total treated	279
Discharged	274

Remaining December 31, 1924....	5
Total number of patients operated on	270

Operations

Abortion, therapeutic	16
Appendectomy, in course	30
Appendectomy for acute appendicitis	5
Application of radium	13
Biopsy of cervix	1
Bartholin's cyst, excision of....	1
Caesarean sections	49
(a) Abdominal	48
1. Classical	33
2. Low flap	2
3. Extra peritoneal	10
(Latzko....8)	
4. Porro	3
(b) Vaginal caesarean	1
	49

Indications:

Contracted pelvis	36
Eclampsia	3
Toxemia of pregnancy....	3
Placenta praevia	2
Dystocia from ventral fixation	2

Accidental haemorrhage ..	1
Breech presentation in elderly primip.	1
Dermoid cyst.	1
	49

Carcinoma of fundus uteri, hysterectomy for	2
Caruncle, urethral, excision of....	1
Cervical polyp, excision of	1
Cholecystectomy	1
Colpotomy, posterior	3
Cyst of vagina, excision of....	1
Cystoma of ovary, operation for.	6
Dilatation and curettage	59
for diagnosis	25
for incomplete abortion....	21
for endometritis and sterility	11
for polyps	1
for hydatid mole	1
Displacement of uterus, operations for	35

(a) Retroversion:

Baldy-Webster suspension.	1
Gilliam suspension	9
Olshausen suspension	7
Ventral suspension	9
Simpson-Montgomery suspension	2
Sacral suspension	2

(b) Antelexion:

Dilatation of cervix and insertion of stem pessary	3
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(c) Prolapse:

Interposition operation	2
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Medical Report—continued

<p>Endotrachelitis and old laceration of cervix, operations for.... 22</p> <p>Trachelorrhaphy 9</p> <p>Amputation of cervix 11</p> <p>Cauterization 2</p> <p>Extra uterine gestation, operations for 7</p> <p>Salpingectomy 6</p> <p>Salpingostomy 1</p> <p>Exploratory laparotomy 2</p> <p>Exploratory laparotomy and freeing of caecal band 1</p> <p>Fibro-miomata uteri, operations for 38</p> <p>Supracervical hysterectomy . 22</p> <p>Complete hysterectomy 2</p> <p>Myomectomy 14</p> <p>Fibroma of breast, excision of.. 2</p> <p>Fistula, recto-vaginal, and imperforate anus, operations for.... 1</p> <p>Fistulo-in-ano, operation for 1</p> <p>Haemorrhoidectomy 2</p> <p>Hernia, umbilical, repair of..... 1</p> <p>Lacerations of pelvic floor, cystocele and rectocele; operations for 40</p> <p>1. Perineorrhaphy 21</p> <p>2. Anterior colporrhaphy 13</p> <p>3. Posterior colporrhaphy.... 6</p> <p>Meningocele, excision of 1</p>	<p>Salpingitis, tuberculous; Hysterectomy for 1</p> <p>Salpingitis, (chronic tubo-ovarian disease), operations for 52</p> <p>(a) Salpingectomy 6</p> <p>(b) Salpingectomy, bilateral. 5</p> <p>(c) Salpingostomy 8</p> <p>(d) Salpingo-oophorectomy</p> <p> Bilateral 5</p> <p> Unilateral 14</p> <p>(e) Oophorectomy 6</p> <p>(f) Resection of ovary 8</p> <p>Sterilization 7</p> <p>Suburethral abscess, incision and drainage of 1</p> <p>Transfusions 7</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Condition on Discharge</p> <p>Well 226</p> <p>Improved 44</p> <p>Not Improved 2</p> <p>Died 2</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Deaths on Surgical Service</p> <p>Acute gangrenous appendicitis and general peritonitis 1</p> <p>General peritonitis following operation for tubo-ovarian abscess.. 1</p> <hr style="width: 10%; margin-left: auto; margin-right: 0;"/> <p style="text-align: right;">2</p>
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CHRISTMAS MORNING IN CHILDREN'S WARD

Report of the Training School

TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS :



HEREWITH submit the report of the School of Nursing for the year ending December 31, 1924.

Of the 143 registered nurse schools in New York State, 102 are required to send nurses to other hospitals for training in Children's Diseases and 38 for training in Obstetric Nursing. In order to cover the Pediatric work the schools have been obliged to send their students to hospitals in Montreal, Cleveland and Philadelphia, and elsewhere, because there are few hospitals in New York State where training in Children's Diseases is afforded. To help this situation we have discontinued the out-of-state schools affiliating with us for Pediatrics, as it seems only fair to give this much needed service to students in this State. Five new affiliations have been made with schools in New York State, and all the schools now affiliating with us are registered by the Board of Regents.

Upon the completion of the new Lying-in Hospital in Boston, the Peter Bent Brigham Hospital discontinued their affiliation for obstetrics and withdrew their six nurses from this service in October. This change had been foreseen, however, and students from schools already affiliating were added and a new affiliation made, so that the full quota was maintained.

We are now affiliated with 12 schools for Pediatrics, 4 for Obstetrics, and 2 for Pediatrics and Obstetrics. During the last three years the number of pupil nurses has gradually increased, and now every available inch in our nurses' residence is occupied. The increase is shown in the following figures :

<i>Year</i>	<i>Pediatric</i>	<i>Obstetric</i>	<i>Total Pupil Nurses</i>
1922	13	26	39
1923	25	30	55
1924	34	30	64

In the Pediatric Department we have been able to increase the time off daily from two hours to three hours, in addition to class time and meal hours. This change should be made in the Obstetrical Department, but at the present time we are unable to do so.

The time of the students entering our courses has been changed from every two weeks to every six weeks. As the term of study is three months, this gives us two sections on duty, and the theoretical and practical instruction is repeated for each group admitted. Before this change, students entered any time during the course.

A number of improvements have been made in the course of lectures and a lecture on Social Service has been added.

The demonstration room which was fitted up on the roof for the giving of practical demonstrations to pupils has proven very useful and has helped us do more efficient teaching. It has given us vision of what we could accomplish with larger and better arranged classrooms.

All schools of nursing in New York State are soon to be graded, and the grading will be based on the following: Adequate hospital clinical facilities; proper living conditions; faculty; proper classrooms; adequate instruction and teaching equipment; training school records; and nursing care of patients.

The nursery maid course of eight months is still active, and nine have graduated during the year. There has been an increased number of applicants, but owing to the poor and crowded living conditions for these girls in the Maids' Home we are unable to take more than nine in training at one time.

Following is a record of the diplomas given during 1924:

STUDENT NURSES:

For Obstetrics, 99.

For Pediatrics, 100.

For Pediatrics and Obstetrics, 17.

POST GRADUATE NURSES:

For Obstetrics, 15.

For Pediatrics, 3.

For Pediatrics and Obstetrics, 2.

There is no need to tell you that a new Nurses' Residence is greatly needed. We should be able to accommodate more students, to give them shorter hours on duty, and to more adequately cover the nursing needs of the patients. It is particularly important that the students have a recreation room and a place in which to receive their friends.

I should like to express my appreciation of the opportunity given me to attend the New York State Nurses' conventions. These meetings are very inspiring and of great value to the head of a Training School.

Respectfully submitted,

GRACE WARMAN,
Directress of Nurses.

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† Succeeding Mrs. W. Thorn Kissel, Secretary.

Fourth Annual Report of the Social Service Committee

December 1923—December 1924



HE Social Service Committee has had a most prosperous year, with its field of usefulness and activities steadily increasing.

The Committee regretfully accepted the resignation of Miss Harriet Jane Smith, on June 1, the Director of the Department, whose devotion to the work and able discharge of her duties were of such value to the Social Service. At the same time we are particularly gratified to be able to report that we have been fortunate enough to secure as her successor Miss Hilda C. Baker, in whose ability to carry on the work successfully we have every confidence.

We have been able to have a Cardiac Worker in the hospital added to the personnel of the Department, and we have taken another membership in the Dental Clinic, as they take care of so many of our children.

The first Mothers' Class was held November 17, with three subsequent talks to mothers, which were all largely attended and a great success.

The Committee wishes to go on record as to its great appreciation of the co-operation of the staff workers, which was demonstrated again and again throughout the year.

Also, the Chairman wishes to thank, on behalf of her predecessor, Mrs. William Armour, who retired in October, and herself, the Committee members, who now number eighteen, for their splendid assistance and advice.

GERTRUDE FAY,
Chairman.



IN THE PREMATURE NURSERY

Treasurer's Report

Balance January 1, 1924	\$1,070.77
Transferred from invested capital	4,000.00
Gifts for special cases	336.50
Gifts, membership dues and accrued interest from capital	2,715.96
Returned loans	112.75
	\$8,235.98
Expenditures	7,579.68
	\$656.30
Balance December 31, 1924	
Petty cash balance	5.45

Expenditures

<i>Relief</i>	
Clothing and Layettes	\$323.85
Furniture	67.11
Temporary shelter	190.21
Cash relief	342.39
Loans	327.72
Milk	795.45
	2,046.73
<i>Medical Care</i>	
Surgical supplies	86.75
Special nurse	30.00
Clinton Dental clinic	145.00
Dental work	89.50
Other hospital care	132.25
Ambulance	33.00
Mother's helper	18.00
Special nourishment	23.88
	558.38
<i>Educational</i>	
Exhibit	78.98
Books	8.99
Conference to Toronto	175.00
Teaching material	16.72
	279.69
<i>Membership Dues</i>	
Association for Prevention and Relief of Heart Disease..	35.00
Child Labor Committee	25.00
Henrietta Baby Show	5.00
American Social Hygiene Association	5.10
Bureau for the Handicapped	26.00
National Organization for Public Health Nursing	10.00
Clinton Neighborhood Conference	2.00
	108.10
<i>Donation to Other Organizations</i>	
Henry Street Settlement	100.00
Edgewater Creche	100.00
	200.00
<i>Miscellaneous</i>	
Nurses' gowns	98.50
Postals for committee	9.00
Supplies and repairs	16.37
Opera expenses	45.50
	158.37
Workers' carfare	162.97
Convalescent and fresh air care	1,075.08
Salaries	2,696.50
Easter plants and toys	90.79
Thanksgiving baskets	22.84
Christmas clothing, baskets and expenses	180.23
	\$7,579.68

An Opera Benefit was held in the Metropolitan Opera House on December 19, 1924, and the net amount of \$4,428.45 was realized. Of this, \$2,387.98 is to be added to the Relief Fund and the remaining \$2,040.47 has been invested by the Treasurer of the Hospital in two one-thousand-dollar Liberty Bonds and placed in the Investment Account, bringing the face value of this fund up to \$7,000.

The Treasurer wishes to report the following gifts for the year 1924, and to express herewith the grateful appreciation of the committee.

Mr. Robert L. Gerry. Towards Director's salary..... \$2,100
Mrs. W. Thorn Kissel. Towards Worker's salary..... \$1,200

VIRGINIA D'O. PAGENSTECHER,
Treasurer.

Work Done

January, 1923—December, 1924

Number of cases under care	3,685
Total Worker's visits	11,614
Families given temporary relief	48
Mothers and children given convalescent care	477
Families given day boat trips	500
Children boarded in foster homes	50
Children placed for temporary shelter	68
Children placed for adoption	6
Mothers and children given dental treatment	243
Families given free ice	80
Layettes given	51
Positions secured	75
Milk supplied (quarts)	19,315

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MAY QUIGLEY, *Record Clerk*

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MARGARET H. HUNT, R. N.
DORA STOUT, R. N.
ANNE CASSLER SINGER, B.S., *Nutrition*

* Succeeding Harriet Jane Smith, R.N., June 1, 1924.





HAPPY NEAR-GRADUATES OF NUTRITION CLASS WITH THEIR FOOD TEXTBOOKS

Social Service Department

DIRECTOR'S REPORT

The statistical report gives a very meagre idea of the work accomplished by the Social Service Department. Our aim has been to bring to the physicians a picture of the home conditions of our patients, emphasizing such facts as may be of value in aiding in diagnosis and plan of treatment, and to bring to the patients adequate instruction, supervision and such aid as may be necessary to enable them to carry out the doctor's advice. As our hospital is a teaching hospital, we also endeavor to be an integral part in this work of the Medical Staff, by following up such cases as they wish and ascertaining such facts as may be desired.

In November a Cardiac Worker was added to our staff, and arrangements have been made, in co-operation with the Committee of Public Health Education, to carry the work they have been doing in connection with cardiac classes in Public Schools Nos. 17 and 58. These children are all attending our clinic.

The Obstetrical Workers continue the supervision of all maternity patients. To aid in this instructive work classes were started in November and talks and demonstrations given on the care of mothers and babies. At these classes the Nutrition Worker also gives talks on food values and diets.

Our Nutrition Work is growing steadily. We now find it advisable to have two classes weekly for children and an evening class once in two weeks for the mothers of the children in this group, an important addition to this very constructive work.

All the wards are visited each day by Social Service Workers. In the dispensary two workers attend each clinic session, taking histories, conferring with the doctors, and interviewing and instructing each patient after her examination.

The great need in the service is a special worker for the Venereal Clinic, as we have not time in addition to our other duties to give the care and number of visits this type of work requires. We also feel more and more the necessity of additional secretarial work. The time of highly-trained workers should not be taken for the details of clerical work, which could be accomplished more quickly and economically by a clerk.

We wish to thank the Bureau of Educational Nursing of the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor for their co-operation and efficient work with our patients who live in their intensive zone. Our relations with their staff have been most satisfactory and agreeable.

Sincere appreciation and gratitude are felt by all the workers on the Social Service Staff for the Committee, for their able support and keen interest in all our problems, meeting with us twice each month to discuss and help to decide on plans, and for the material relief for the problem cases.

Thanks and appreciation is given to the following institutions, where adults and children have been cared for :

Burke Foundation
Bath Beach Home (Courtesy of Children's Aid Society)
Caroline Rest (Courtesy of A. I. C. P.)
Chappaqua Home (Courtesy of Children's Aid Society)
Camp Bleecker (Courtesy of City Mission Society)
Campbell Cottage (Courtesy of New York Hospital)
Convalescent Home for Babies
Cooperation of Children's Welfare Federation
Edgewater Creche
German Recreational Home
Grace Hospital
Girls' Friendly Aid
Holiday Farm
Jewish Home for Convalescents
McMahon Memorial Shelter
Manhattanville Day Nursery
Mineola Home for Cardiac Children
Martine Farms for Cardiac Children
Montclair Fresh Air Home
Neustadter Home
Pelham Home
Prospect Hill Day Nursery
Reed Farm
Rethmore Home
St. Eleanor's Home
Sea Breeze (Courtesy of A. I. C. P.)
Speedwell Society
St. John's Guild
Sarah Schermerhorn Home (Courtesy of City Mission Society)
St. Elizabeth's Home, Spring Valley
St. Barnabas Home
Tribune Fresh Air Fund

HILDA C. BAKER,
Director of Social Service Department.



GIFTS

Clothing

Mrs. W. Thorn Kissel	Mrs. Stephen C. Clark
Mrs. Joseph Walker	Mrs. James G. Blaine
Mrs. William Rodman Fay	Mrs. T. H. Forthingham
Mrs. Gustav Pagenstecher	Mrs. Archie Roosevelt
Mrs. Ashton B. Clarkson	Mrs. T. B. Lambert
Mrs. Edith Rotholz	Mrs. William Armour
Children's Cheer League	Miss Lillian T. MacKinnon
Mrs. R. F. Maynard	Mrs. Walter Rosen
Mrs. Ward	Mrs. L. B. Rand
Needlework Guild of America	Miss Tinkham
Mrs. N. J. Booker	Mrs. D. M. Lewis
Mrs. O'Donnell Iselin	Mrs. A. Kennelly
Mrs. Grayson M. P. Murphy	Miss Alice O'Brien
Warren MacCullan	Anonymous

Junior Emergency Relief

Donations in Kind

- Mrs. William Rodman Fay—Toys and three pairs of blankets.
Mrs. Gustav Pagenstecher—Use of car for cardiac children; supplies for nutrition class; toys, magazines and ten dollars in gold for prize baby.
Mrs. N. J. Booker—Magazines and toys.
Mrs. Chisholm Beach—Doll house.
Mrs. O'Donnell Iselin—Syringe.
Mrs. Grayson M. P. Murphy—One hundred Easter cards; use of car for cardiac children; supplies for Nutrition Class and magazines.
Mrs. L. B. Rand—Fresh eggs and carriage rug.
St. Thomas' Parish—Picture books.
Mrs. William Armour—Pocketbooks for Nutrition Class.
Mrs. Walter Stokes—Fifty dollars for special family.
Mayor's Committee—1,300 pounds of coal and fifty quarts of milk daily.
Mrs. Joseph Walker—Doll carriage and books.
Mrs. M. J. Randolph—Twelve baby blankets.
Mrs. W. Thorn Kissel—Toys.
Miss Harriet Jane Smith—Flowers.
Miss G. A. Freeman—Victrola for ward.
Mrs. Stephen C. Clark—Three years' subscription to Child Life, St. Nicholas and Cosmopolitan Magazines.
Corrine Whelan—Books.
Mrs. L. L. Fluhner—Baby carriage.
Mrs. Cary Eggleston—Baby carriage.
Mrs. Walter Rosen—Toys.
Mrs. Walter Phelps—Baby carriage.
Mrs. Joseph John Kerrigan—Two hundred and twenty dollars for special families.
Mrs. Henry Stickney—Ten dollars for special family.
Mrs. Mansfield Ferry—Ferty dollars for special family.
Children's Welfare Federation—Eighty ice ticket books.
Miss Mary Nevins—Victrola records.
Bedford Park Presbyterian Church—Books.
Mrs. Bissel—Valentines.

GIFTS

Christmas 1924

- Mrs. Stephen C. Clark—Toys.
Mrs. Gustav Pagenstecher—One hundred dollars for toys; twenty dollars for special gifts; clothing, skates, seals, tags and cord for Christmas packages.
Mrs. L. B. Rand—One dozen boys' ties.
Miss Ruth Webb—Doll.
Miss Grace Rogers—Christmas party for two little girls.
DeWitt Clinton High School—Music.
Mrs. Le Mere—Party for six children.
Mrs. W. Thorn Kissel—Toys.
Mrs. Theodore H. Banks—Toys and trees.
Junior Emergency League—Ten layettes and four girl's kits.
Mrs. James C. Clark—Toys and clothing.
Mrs. William Rodman Fay—Toys and clothing.
Mrs. John Mayer—Toys and clothing.
Mrs. A. B. Phillips—Toys and clothing for two special families.
Mr. A. B. Phillips—Three dollars for special family; use of car for distributing presents.
Mr. J. B. Singer—Five dollars for special family.
Bedford Park Presbyterian Church—Toys.
Marjorie Shea—Three dolls.
Mrs. May V. Fisher—One hundred tickets for performance at Colony Theater.
Miss Van Messel—Toys.
Mrs. William Singer—Use of car for taking children to theater.
Grace Lutheran Church—Choir for Christmas Day.
Vincent Astor Fund—Five Christmas baskets.

Report of the Boarding-Out Department

Under care December 31, 1923	398	
Admitted during the year	253	
		651
Total number cared for		651
Discharged	273	
Remaining December 31, 1924	378	

Classification of Children Discharged

To parents	141	
State Board of Charities (for deportation)	4	
Adopted	61	
Transferred to institutions	29	
Died	38	
		273

Classification of Children Transferred

N. Y. Foundling Asylum	8	
Hebrew Orphan Asylum	1	
Five Points House of Industry	8	
Leake and Watts Orphan House	7	
Colored Orphan Asylum	1	
Hebrew Infant Asylum	4	
		29

Classification of Deaths

N. Y. Nursery and Child's Hospital	25	
Riverside Hospital	2	
Willard Parker Hospital	5	
In Boarding Homes	3	
St. Vincent's Hospital	2	
St. John's Hospital	1	
		38

Sources from Which Children Were Received

Dept. Public Welfare	104	
Children's Court	41	
Westchester County	57	
Dutchess County	5	
Social Service Department	13	
State Charities Aid Association	18	
N. Y. Tuberculosis Association	4	
Charity Organization Society	4	
Church Mission of Help	7	
		253

Staff

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Report of the Charity Ball



THE Charity Ball of 1924, under the leadership of Mrs. Henry Fairfield Osborn, as President, maintained its record of affording a delightful evening to hundreds of people, in the same good old way as in 1857.

Mrs. Osborn, assisted by twenty-five Vice Presidents, Mrs. Charles H. Sherrill as Secretary, and a Committee of the Ball numbering fourteen, was very successful in disposing of the boxes — and all were sold, both on the ground floor and first and second tiers.

The Committee meetings were well attended and the members afforded Mrs. Osborn the co-operation necessary to make the Charity Ball a social as well as a financial success.

Many distinguished guests took part in the procession, led by Mrs. Osborn and the Lieutenant Governor, as the Governor was not able to attend the Ball this year.

Mr. Lawrence Smith Butler, Chairman of the Floor Committee, with the aid of Major Henry Gansevoort Sanford, Colonel John F. Daniell, Major James C. McGuire, Colonel Arthur F. Schermerhorn, Colonel Charles Elliott Warren, Major Alfred R. Whitney and a large floor committee, carried out all the details of the Ball to the great satisfaction of all concerned.

Miss Marjorie Cleveland was in charge of the debutantes selling the Souvenir, and introduced a novelty in the form of a telephone directory. The young men in attendance upon the maidens ensured the debutantes having many a good dance after the Souvenirs were sold.

Mrs. Earl, now in charge of Miss Doane's Secretarial Office, most capably fulfilled the many duties required of the Executive Secretary.

Mr. Cromwell Childe again had charge of the Publicity Department, and donated \$100 of his usual charge for his services to the Committee.

Unfortunately, another stormy night did interfere with the sale of tickets at the door. But the advance sale was good, and a larger attendance than last year filled the entire floor at the Waldorf, and all present enjoyed the splendid music furnished by Conrad and Markels.

The net proceeds of the Ball for 1924 were \$12,817.71.

MRS. FRANK S. WITHERBEE,

Treasurer.

Report of the Lenten Sewing Class

The meetings were held at the residences of :

Mrs. Frederic Ashton de Peyster

Mrs. Charles D. Dickey

Mrs. Robert L. Gerry

Mrs. Hamilton Fish

Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee

We had on our list 108 active members, 14 contributing members, total 122.

About twenty-eight members were present at each meeting, and made up 493 garments more than last year. As the hospital needed help during the summer months, Mrs. Witherbee paid for the making up of 920 garments — the material for which was provided by the hospital.

The attendance and amount of donations came to about the same as last year, but the number of garments turned over to the hospital exceeded by far any record ever made since the Sewing Class started *many* years ago.

Garments made up by

Calvary Church, through Miss LeRoy	302
St. James Church, through Mrs. Lockwood	95
St. James' Trinity, through Mrs. Dorrance	420
St. Thomas' Church, through Mrs. Nash	119
N. Y. House and School of Industry	434
Through Mrs. La Barre	120
Made up in class and by class members	1,324
	2,814
Mrs. Witherbee had made up garments, materials for which were donated by hospital	920
	3,734
Woolen caps donated	9
New sheets	120
New pillow cases	120
	3,983

Delivered to N. Y. Nursery and Child's Hospital

Squares	2,516
Slips	583
Wrappers	291
Shawls	197
Gertrudes	104
Binders	40
Samples	3
	3,734
Knitted caps by Mrs. Mary Hatch Willard for Boarding-Out Dept.....	9
	3,743

New sheets donated by class members	120
New pillow cases donated by class members	120
	3,983

559 more than last year

Mrs. John F. Daniell and Mrs. Russell Hopkins donated three pieces of material to be made into garments by the House of Industry.

Financial Statement, 1924

RECEIPTS		EXPENDITURES	
Balance from 1923	\$385.22	Printing invitations, envelopes slips, receipt books	\$33.00
Dues from 108 members....	540.00	Cromwell Childe, press notices	25.00
23 members, besides dues, gave donations amounting to	155.00	Clafin's 3169 yards material.	500.06
14 Donations for linen fund..	125.00	House of Industry—for cut- ting out 2,470 garments....	105.92
Interest on deposit	1.64	Buttons, threads, tapes ...	19.25
		Express on deliveries	7.02
		10 dozen new sheets and 10 dozen new pillow cases..	206.30
			\$896.55
		Balance to 1925	310.31
	\$1,206.86		\$1,206.86

MRS. FRANK S. WITHERBEE,
Treasurer.



CHEERY CORNER IN SUNLIT MATERNITY WARD

Internes Awarded Diplomas

ROY WILMOT BENTON.....	Harvard Medical School
HENRY THOMAS BURNS.....	Medical Dept., Emory University
HOWARD ALLEN DISHONGH.....	Columbia University (Physicians and Surgeons)
HOWARD BRANT GOODRICH.....	Harvard Medical School
CHARLES CLARKE HALL.....	Harvard Medical School
EARL FRANCIS KELLY.....	Tufts College Medical School
EDWIN PHILLIPS RUSSELL.....	University of Michigan
ABRAHAM S. SMALL.....	Tufts College Medical School
FRANCIS SCOTT SMYTH.....	University of California
ARTHUR STRAUSS.....	University of Würtzburg

Affiliated Schools

PEDIATRIC NURSING COURSE

(Three Months)

AMSTERDAM CITY HOSPITAL.....	Amsterdam, New York
ANNA JACQUES HOSPITAL.....	Newburyport, Massachusetts
AURELIA OSBORN FOX MEMORIAL HOSPITAL.....	Oneonta, New York
BLODGETT MEMORIAL HOSPITAL.....	Grand Rapids, Michigan
COLUMBUS EXTENSION HOSPITAL.....	New York City
COOLEY-DICKINSON HOSPITAL.....	Northampton, Massachusetts
ELIZABETH GENERAL HOSPITAL.....	Elizabeth, New Jersey
ITHACA CITY HOSPITAL.....	Ithaca, New York
LAWRENCE AND MEMORIALS ASSOCIATED HOSPITALS.....	New London, Connecticut
MEMORIAL HOSPITAL.....	Albany, New York
NASSAU COUNTY HOSPITAL.....	Mineola, New York
PEEKSKILL HOSPITAL.....	Peekskill, N. Y.
SARATOGA HOSPITAL.....	Saratoga Springs, New York
ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL.....	Brooklyn, New York
ST. JOSEPH'S HOSPITAL.....	Yonkers, New York
ST. VINCENT'S HOSPITAL.....	New York City
SWEDISH HOSPITAL.....	Brooklyn, New York
THE GENERAL HOSPITAL OF SYRACUSE.....	Syracuse, New York
UTICA HOMEOPATHIC HOSPITAL.....	Utica, New York

OBSTETRIC NURSING COURSE

(Three Months)

PETER BENT BRIGHAM HOSPITAL.....	Boston, Massachusetts
POST GRADUATE HOSPITAL.....	New York City
PRESBYTERIAN HOSPITAL.....	New York City
ROOSEVELT HOSPITAL.....	New York City
ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL.....	New York City

COMBINATION COURSE, PEDIATRIC AND OBSTETRIC

(Six Months)

CLIFTON SPRINGS SANITARIUM.....	Clifton Springs, New York
THE PHYSICIANS HOSPITAL OF PLATTSBURG.....	Plattsburg, New York

Diplomas Awarded January 1, 1924—December 31, 1924

PEDIATRIC SERVICE

Amsterdam City Hospital

CARTER, THELMA
DENISON, MARGARET
GIESE, GRACE E.
GRAY, VIVIAN A.
KENNY, ANASTASIA A.
MORRONE, MARGARET
RIGGS, ELEANOR O.
WALRATH, BEATRICE A.

Anna Jacques Hospital

COLLINS, MAE LEE
DALEY, ALICE A.
GREANEY, AGNES F.
KAULBACK, BLANCHE E.
KAYE, CORA M.
McSWEENEY, ELIZABETH
THOMPSON, BESSIE A.
WILSON, STELLA

Aurelia Osborn Fox Memorial Hospital

HENDRIX, CLAUDENE

Blodgett Memorial Hospital

BRYMER, JEAN HELEN
LEENHOUTS, MARYA F.

Columbus Extension Hospital

NEMETH, CORNELIA

Cooley-Dickinson Hospital

BATTYE, ESTA LOULAY
CARROLL, MYRTLE
FERRAND, ELLA ANTOINETTE
HOAR, MARY FRANCES
PUTNEY, AGNES
WARREN, RUTH

Elizabeth General Hospital

FAULKNER, ESTHER JEAN
FLETCHER, RUTH C.
ROBERTSON, JULIA M.
STEPHEN, GRACE

Ithaca City Hospital

BURCH, ALTA C.
CHRYSTAL, ROSEMARY

DONOVAN, HELEN A.
EELS, EVELYN
ELY, EDITH H.
GUINDON, MARIE
HOLDEN, HELEN J.
KURYLA, SOPHIA L.
LOVELL, GERTRUDE ELIZABETH
McCARTY, ROSE I.
McCARTHY, THERESA
ROOT, GEORGIANA
TEMPLEMAN, HAZEL MARION
VAN MARTER, ADA ANGELINE

Lawrence and Memorial Associated Hospitals

HAUPT, ELOISE MARGERATE
JURCZYK, VIRGINIA
SISWICK, GLADYS E.

Memorial Hospital

APPLEBEE, MARGARET B.
ERB, HELEN D.
GEIGER, ELIZABETH C.
GORMAN, KATHERINE C.
HEATH, HELEN E.
JENKINS, ANTOINETTE
KIRALY, LOUISE MARGARET
McLEAN, RUTH
RESCHKE, FREDA
VOLWIDER, HAZEL
VOORHEES, HELEN C.

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HOARE, MARY M.
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ROWEHL, MARIE HENRIETTA
SCHWOLERT, CLARA A. E.

Peckskill Hospital

GIMBERT, KATHRYN V.
ROSKIN, RAYE HELEN
MORRIS, LETITIA
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Saratoga Hospital

BURKE, MARY KATHRYN
DAYTON, JANE SCHUYLER
PUTNAM, MAUDE O.
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St. John's Hospital

CROFT, ELLA C.
JOHNSON, MARION GRACE
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MANN, KATHERINE MARIE
MERCHANT, MARY E.

St. Joseph's Hospital

CAMPBELL, GRACE
CARPENTER, AGNES
MACDONALD, EUNICE
SMITH, KATHERINE F.

Swedish Hospital

EDWARDS, CHARLOTTE M.
PALM, EDITH

The General Hospital of Syracuse

BLAKE, BERTHA
HORLE, MILDRED
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MEADE, MARGUERITE
TAIT, FRANCES C.
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THEOBOLD, IDA
WATKINS, BEULAH A.

Utica Homeopathic Hospital

CARPENTER, MINA
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GILL, ELINOR
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LANG, GERTRUDE
MCGILlicuddy, MADELINE
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ZEUMSTEIN, CHRISTINE

Presbyterian Hospital

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GRAY, JOE HANNAH
GREEN, GRACE FISHER
HEALY, MINNIE
HOYNE, STANIS
HUDSON, AILEEN L.
MANSON, ISABEL STEWART
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Post Graduate Hospital

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HARGITT, EVANGELINE
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MULLIN, LULU GARVIN
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St. Luke's Hospital

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BROWNE, ELEANOR B.
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BUELTMAN, ALMA
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CLAYTON, RUTH
COOKE, MARGARET
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GAYLOR, EVELYN
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PISE, ELEANOR M.
ROSEMAN, CORRINNE M.
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SPROGELL, MARION A.
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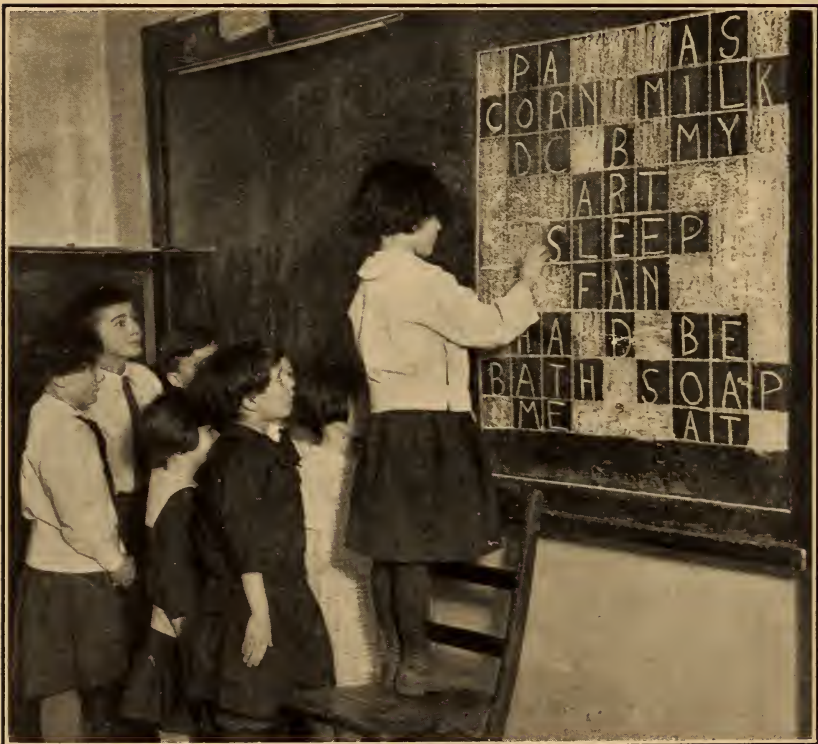
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DOWNING, MARY
FLYNN, AGNES
FOLEY, KATHERINE

HANRATTY, MARY
McGRATH, JOHANNA
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SHEAN, RITA

STREADWICK, MARGUERITE



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Endowed Ward

MRS. HELEN R. DU BOIS AND MISS ETHEL DU BOIS,

In memory of Dr. Matthew B. Du Bois.

Endowed Beds

MRS. GUY FAIRFAX WHITING,

In memory of her mother, Mary J. Van Doren.

MISS MARTHA POTTER,

In memory of Mary Wiltse.

MISS FRANCES DE PEYSTER,

In memory of Frederic James de Peyster.

MRS. WALTER GRAEME LADD,

In memory of her nephew, John T. Willets, Jr.

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In memory of Alexander C. Neave.

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BRINCKERHOFF FITZGERALD,

In memory of their dear baby, Octavia.

MR. WM. A. DU BOIS AND MISS KATHERINE DU BOIS,

In memory of their mother, Catherine Brinckerhoff Du Bois.

MR. AND MRS. JOHN T. PRATT,

In memory of their daughter, Ruth.



FINAL EXAMINATION BEFORE DISCHARGE

Century Fund

The Century Fund was organized by Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee in 1917, its object being to procure subscriptions of \$100 for the benefit of the Hospital. Subscribers to the Fund are considered to be Associate Members.

The following were contributors to this Fund during the present fiscal year :

A donation received through		Mrs. C. Oliver Iselin.....	100.00
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Mr. and Mrs. Frederic A. de		Sands Rhineland)	100.00
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Eugene G. Foster, Esq.....	100.00	women at Christmas time)..	100.00
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Augustus Coe Gurnee, Esq. (In		William Rhineland, Stewart,	
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Mrs. Wm. Averell Harriman	100.00	Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee.....	200.00



Donations of Money Received by Treasurer

January 1, 1924 to December 31, 1924

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Anonymous.....	1.00	D. J. Barrett, Esq.....	5.00
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Anonymous.....	1.00	Alfred Barth, Esq.....	11.00
Anonymous.....	1.00	Mrs. Henry Bartol.....	15.00
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Anonymous.....	1.00	Mrs. Dwight Baum.....	10.00
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Anonymous.....	1.00	Rex E. Beach, Esq.....	10.00
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Anonymous.....	1.00	Bear Springs Camps.....	2.00
Anonymous.....	1.00	Miss Frances G. Beck.....	13.00
Anonymous.....	1.00	Martin Beck, Esq.....	10.00
Anonymous.....	.80	Martin Beckhard, Esq.....	10.00
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Anonymous.....	5.00	Mrs. E. T. Bedford.....	25.00
J. W. Apple, Jr., Esq.....	11.00	S. P. Beebe, Esq.....	11.00
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Mrs. Edward Bell.....	10.00	Mrs. William L. Bradley	11.00
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Mrs. Earl Biscoe.....	5.00	Richard De Mille Brown, Esq.	5.00
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Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee provided a seamstress for three days a week for four months during 1924, and Mrs. Robert L. Gerry provided a seamstress throughout the year.

As the daily laundry in the Hospital amounts to 7,500 flat pieces alone, more help is needed in the Sewing Room to keep all the linen in repair. Some kind friend of the Hospital may be willing to provide a seamstress to aid in the work, and in this way not only help the Hospital but some poor woman they desire to assist.

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Mrs. Arthur McClay.....	Toys
West End Presbyterian Church.....	2 bushels of oranges
Ward Baking Company.....	40 loaves bread
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Finch.....	Toys
Mrs. W. T. Colbron	Picture cards
McDonough's Florist.....	Flowers
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Madison Avenue Book Store, Inc.....	Valentines
Miss Mary T. Bristol.....	Toys
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MARCH

Roseland Florist	Flowers
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John Chatillon and Sons.....	Baby scale



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APRIL

Dr. Henry McM. Painter	} Books and Magazines for Medical Library
Dr. Frederick C. Holden	
Dry Milk Company	Dryco
Sunshine S. S. Class	Post cards
Roseland Florist	Flowers
Mrs. Ashton C. Clarkson	Flowers
St. Luke's Church Periodical Club of Brooklyn	Easter cards
Mrs. J. G. Benson	Easter lily plant
Mrs. Robert L. Gerry	Magazines
St. Thomas' Junior Auxiliary	Layette and scrap books
Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Bayer	Electric breast pump

MAY

Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee	Books and magazines; ferns and lilacs for Hospital Day
Miss Emilie R. Underhill	Toys
Westchester County Children's Assn., through National Plant, Flower and Fruit Guild	Flowers
Mrs. Louise Housman	Victrola records

JUNE

Mrs. C. Squier	Post cards
P. S. 87	Pin wheels
Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee	12 books—magazines
Mrs. A. M. Lee	Baby cap and jacket; worsted doll
Dry Milk Company	Dryco
Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee	Magazines
Mrs. A. M. Lee	Clothing
Ward Baking Company	400 cakes
Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee	Flowers

JULY

Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee	Magazines
Mrs. T. W. Yocum	Electric fan
"Hearthstone"	Flowers
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AUGUST

Mr. C. C. Stillman	Tennis balls
Mrs. W. L. Thomas	Magazines
National Plant, Flower and Fruit Guild	Flowers
Miss Marie Anaya	Sunday school papers
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SEPTEMBER

Roseland Florist	Flowers
Mrs. W. H. Galloway, through National Plant, Flower and Fruit Guild	Flowers
Dry Milk Company	Dryco
Mrs. John Levy	Victrola records
Mrs. K. Mueller, through National Plant, Flower and Fruit Guild	Flowers
Mrs. Guthrie	Flowers
Mrs. V. T. Thomas	Flowers

OCTOBER

Miss Edith S. Colquitt.....Post cards

NOVEMBER

Rev. J. A. Weyl, Grace Lutheran Church..... Plant
 Roseland Florist Flowers
 Mrs. Robert L. Gerry..... Old linen
 Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee..... Magazines
 Dry Milk Company..... Dryco
 Mrs. E. H. Williams..... Afghan
 Rev. T. W. B. Magnan..... 25 pounds candy
 Mrs. Henry Fairfield Osborn..... Portrait by Leutze

DECEMBER

Miss Marie Anaya..... Paper dolls
 Roseland Florist Flowers
 Junior Emergency Relief Society..... 1500 gauze compresses
 St. Luke's Church Periodical Club of Brooklyn..... Post cards
 John Calvocoressi..... Scrap books
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