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# HOSPITALS AND CHARITABLE INSTITTUIONS OF THE COLONY

(REPORT ON).

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## HOSPITAL AND CHARITABLE REPORT.

In my last year's report I dealt mainly with the charitable institutions of our colony, and especially with the abuses which are almost inseparable from the administration of outdoor relief. This year the fact that the whole question is to be brought under the consideration of Parliament, because of certain amendments demanded by various hospital districts, has led me to deal more fully with the

general problem of our hospital system.

The central difficulty of this whole question is that it raises the vexed question of town versus country. On the one hand it is maintained that everywhere our social detritus drifts into the large towns—the unfortunate, the idle, and the vicious, from the natural instinct of their kind; and the sick poor because of the superior advantages of the larger hospitals. This fact, together with all its manifold implications, cannot be denied. All that can be done is to point out that probably the most serious rock ahead of our civilisation is precisely this fact—namely, that the whole tendency of our industrial organization is to make the towns too attractive as compared with the country; and the townsfolk must make up their minds to put up with, at any rate, some of the drawbacks. Further, the chief difficulty to be got over in the working of all our charitable institutions is the impossibility of getting the taxpayers of the large towns, where the most lavish charity is dispensed, to take the least trouble to prevent, or even try to hinder, the wholesale pauperisation that is going on. Nothing, I am persuaded, but the taxgatherer at the door will make the towns organize themselves to stamp out the professional pauper—by separating, on full and discriminating inquiry, the sheep from the goats, the deserving from the undeserving poor. This is the key of the position which, if a determined assault were made on it now, before our towns have become too large, might be conquered once for all. But so long as the State gives money out of the Consolidated Fund, and allows the towns to tax the country, what hope is there that this problem will be seriously faced? A consideration which might fairly be urged on the other side is: that the country, and especially the pastoral districts, are heavily mulcted each year by the itinerant swagger whose home is in the towns, though it may be asked, how far is this evil due to the runholders' refusal to provide suitable accommodation for respectable married labourers?

The general question underlying this difficulty is the law of settlement, on the operations of which, and its difficulties, the experience of England and the United States ought to be a lesson

to us.

In England the whole question has been so thoroughly threshed out that her experience is most authoritative. An admirable summary of English dealing with this matter is given in a recent volume on the English poor-law system by Dr. Aschrott, translated by H. P. Thomas, pp. 110. By the Act of Elizabeth, relief was made dependent on domicile, and therefore the law of settlement and removal became an essential part of the relief system, with the result that free migration of labour was tyrannically restricted, and the labourer was little better than a serf bound to the soil. The Act of Charles II., which prescribed (a) birth, (b) property as a householder, (c) residence, service, or apprenticeship for at least forty days as conditions of obtaining a settlement has slowly yet surely been modified by various enactments, till in 1876 three years uninterrupted residence entitled to a settlement. The Act of 1846 prohibited removal of numerous paupers, and imposed a duty of relieving them on their place of residence, irrespective of settlement, and thus destroyed the chief connection between relief and settlement. "Consequently, as the legislation which followed the Act of 1846 extended irremovability, relief at the place of residence became the rule, and at the place of settlement the exception. The question as to where the pauper was settled now began to take a subordinate place in the poor-law system. At present, the first question is, whether the particular person is liable to removal from the place in which he becomes destitute. It is only when this is answered in the affirmative that the second question arises. To what place is he to be removed? This latter point alone is affected by settlement. Irremovability extends to so many cases that the entire law of settlement no longer exercises an important influence on the relief system. In any further reforms it will have to be decided not whether the law of settlement

shall be amended, but whether the power of removal in case of destitution should be altogether done away with. This question has been already practically decided in the affirmative. In 1865, when irremovability was allowed to be acquired by a single year's residence, the right of removal was only maintained on the ground that it would be a useful check on vagrancy. An opinion to this effect was expressed by the committee of 1879, upon the laws of settlement and removal. The committee recommended the retention of removal only in the case of persons landing at seaports, in consequence of the unfair burden which its abolition would impose on such districts. The entire abolition of removal, and the consequent devolution of relief on the place of residence, irrespectively of settlement, is regarded as only a question of time.

In several of the older States of America the law recognises a class of paupers known as State paupers, and these—for instance, in Massachusetts—are defined as those poor persons who have no legal settlement in any town or county. The law of settlement therefore becomes the pivot of the system. Prior to 1865 no material change had been made in the settlement-laws since the Act of 1794, which is the foundation of all existing settlements. This was a statute, to use its own words, "enacting and ascertaining what shall constitute a legal settlement of any person in any town or district within this Commonwealth, so as to subject and oblige such town or district to support such person in case of his becoming poor and standing in need of relief," and this was done in one of the following ways:—

1. Å married woman was to follow and have the settlement of her husband.

2. Legitimate children to follow and have the settlement of their father.

3. Illegitimate children to follow and have the settlement of their mother at the time of

4. Settlement to be acquired by citizenship, an adult age, and the possession of an estate of inheritance or freehold of a yearly income of \$10 for three successive years

5. By citizenship, an adult age, and the possession of an estate of the value of \$200 for five successive years.

6. By serving one year as town clerk, treasurer, selectman, overseer of the poor, assessor, constable, or collector of taxes.

7. For all settled ordained ministers by such ministerial settlement.

8. By admission as an inhabitant of any town or district by vote. 9. By dwelling in an unincorporated place at the time of its incorporation.

10. The tenth mode, so called, points out what legal settlements may be retained where towns or districts are divided or incorporated.

11. By service as an apprentice for four years, and carrying on business for the five following years.

12. By citizenship, an adult age, a residence of ten years, and the payment of a poll-tax in five of those years.

The existing law is that of 1794, with these exceptions: (1) Naturalisation is no longer required; (2) for men the time of residence is shortened to three years; and (3) settlement is conferred on women for residence only. It is evident, therefore, that the direction of legislation is in

America the same as in England, only that in the New England States, especially Massachusets, they are, if anything, more conservative as regards settlement.

In 1854, after a long and angry controversy on the same or analogous points to those which are now in dispute between Wellington and the surrounding country districts, a new departure was determined on. The country districts had argued that the great mass of cases requiring charity and hospital privileges were confined to the large towns, and especially the seaports. Why, they asked, should we, who have comparatively few, be taxed for the benefit of the towns, who, by their lavish charities, attract all the loafers in the country? Besides, they are rich, and growing richer, by the productive labour of the class whence these paupers come. They have called them in for their own benefit; let them help them if they are needy. Why should we carry their burdens? On the other hand, the large towns replied: We cannot grow rich without benefiting all; we create markets for your produce; we find employment for your children who wish to be mechanics, traders, or professional men. The capital invested within our limits is but partly owned here, yet its presence compels heavy local taxation. In short, it was a modern phase of the quarrel between the belly and the members, and resulted in a compromise—that the towns should support all the State poor found within their respective limits: for all that were wholly supported and unable to labour even half a day the towns were to receive from the State treasury 49 cents per week for each adult and 28 cents for each child; for burying the dead, \$5 for an adult and 50 cents for every child under twelve years of age; all other expenses to be borne by the towns, whose bills were to be audited by the Legislative Accounts Committee. This agreement was for a time carried out with tolerable good faith, but with increasing immigration, extending manufactures, and especiallyincreased facilities of travel, difficulties multiplied, and frauds became almost universal. It was found impossible to audit the bills, which soon were many years behindhand. An auditor of accounts was created, and the result of inquiry was overwhelming. Dead paupers were regularly charged for as if living. During scarcity of work whole villages had been enrolled as State paupers. Subscriptions got up for families were made the basis of charging all their members to the State for the entire winter; and so with many other forms of imposition with which we are quite familiar under the existing system in New Zealand.

Three State farms or almshouses were established in 1854, but here the same difficulty recurred. The towns were allowed to send all the State paupers to these institutions whom they could persuade Government officers into receiving. Only the sick and aged, whom they could not send, and those whom for local and personal reasons they chose to retain, were maintained at their own

In Connecticut all paupers who have no legal settlement receive support (for six months only at the expense of the State. In Maine the cost of State (unsettled) paupers is repaid by the State. 3 H.—3

In New York paupers who have not resided sixty days in any county within a year preceding the application are deemed State paupers. In Vermont the only State paupers are such poor persons as may be confined in any gaol on civil process, and have no legal settlement within the State. Several of the other States provide or authorise the provision of State farms for able-bodied paupers

who are simply idle or dissolute.

The Pennsylvania Commissioners, in their report for 1886, p. 12, recommend to the Legislature as follows: "The charity organization societies in our large towns, and the institutions known as wayfarers' lodges, where applicants for food and lodging from the streets can be compelled to earn them by an equivalent task of work, are doing a great deal to rid our populous centres of tramps. country districts also swarm with this wretched class, who will not work unless forced to. Power should be conferred on overseers of the poor, or other local authorities, to employ such persons in mending the public roads and breaking stone for turnpikes. We are of opinion that lazy vagabonds who lean on the rest of the community for support, and often commit depredations rather than labour, ought to be compelled to work. There is a class of honest wayfarers moving from place to place in search of employment who will gladly pay their way as they go: the labour-test is willingly accepted by these, and should be imposed on those who refuse it. We strongly recommend that a law be passed conferring the necessary power upon the proper officers to enforce work on this class, and for that purpose arrest them whenever found leading a vagabond life, and confine them in workhouses or tramp-houses at hard labour." Our present circumstances in New Zealand can be paralleled in the experience of almost every one of the States of the American Union. The history of the problem of poverty in Massachusetts may be taken as typical of the mode of dealing with it in the older States. In the newer States, such as Illinois, Michigan, Missouri, and Iowa, the tendency is universal to throw the whole cost of the poor on the counties, except lunatics, the deaf and dumb, the blind, idiots and imbeciles, and State children. In nearly all the States a large proportion of the lunacy expenditure is paid by the counties and towns, for they have never yet succeeded in doing what we have already done—namely, making State provision for all lunatics, idiots, and imbeciles. of their chronic insane are miserably cared for in county almshouses. American experience therefore points out to us that the State must refuse to have any pecuniary responsibility for the poor (ordinary), except by direct local taxation.

With regard to outdoor relief, which I dealt with last year, the following extract from the Ohio Board of State Charities for 1884 will show how American experience points on that question: "We believe it would be wise to put a stop to all outdoor relief in cities, leaving the care of those needing aid to private charities. This experiment has been tried in the Cities of Buffalo, Brooklyn, Philadelphia, Indianapolis, and other places, with entire success, and is found to furnish more ample relief to the deserving poor, while it saves a large amount to the taxpayers. Outside of the cities, in the villages and country districts, we think it would be wise to require each township to provide all necessary outdoor relief for its own poor. This will secure a more careful investigation of cases presented for relief, as well as greater economy." In our towns the field is made clear under the new Bill for the formation of charity-organization societies, which, if they tackle this

question vigorously, will be able to inaugurate a new era in the history of this question.

The Ontario system seems to me, of all that I have seen or heard of, the most suitable for our circumstances. Its principle is to get over the difficulty between town and country by State payments of 20 cents a day for each bona fide hospital case treated; payments of 7 cents a day for chronic cases unsuitable for hospital patients. To meet the case of small hospitals where this rate of payment would not be sufficient a supplementary allowance is made of not more than one-fourth of the revenue from all local sources. For benevolent homes or refuges for indoor poor the rate of payment by the State is 5 cents per head per day, with a supplementary aid of 2 cents per day. All other costs of caring for paupers, whether in refuges or hospitals, is borne by the local bodies.

There is another question with regard to which some definite understanding should be arrived at by the Government—namely, Are the various hospitals which have adopted the ticket-system of securing subscriptions, on the undertaking that all subscribers of 5s. or 10s. per annum shall be entitled to free maintenance and treatment for any period during the year, entitled to get subsidy on these as being voluntary contributions at the rate of 24s. in the pound? This inclination to throw as much as possible on the State, with the view of lightening burdens that everywhere else are local, ought, in my opinion, to be sternly resisted. Nothing could more convincingly show the necessity of such resistance than the practice which I called attention to in my last year's report as having grown up in the Thames District. The Thames people, confident in the logic of the situation, argued thus: The Government in many parts of the colony grant subsidies of 24s. in the pound on 5s. or 10s. tickets, which entitle the purchasers to be treated and maintained in the hospital free for any period within the year as indoor-patients. Let us carry the principle one step further and apply it to the outdoor-patients as well, and say to all inhabitants of the Thames District, whether rich or poor, Come to the Hospital, and we will treat you as outdoor-patients, with medicine thrown in, for 5s. a week, though we can get no subsidy on these payments. This system has now been in operation for a considerable time, and is found to pay admirably. The hospital doctor is highly popular, and in great request by the best families, some of whom, I am told, for the sake of decency, make donations to the hospital.

This, however, is not all. The Thames Board, convinced that they were in the full current of the spirit of the age, became propagandists of their idea, and endeavoured to get other hospitals to see the admirable simplicity and beauty of the system. If it commends itself to Parliament, and is embodied in the law, we shall know where we are, and face the future with our

eyes open.\*

<sup>\*</sup> Since this was written I have ascertained that the Thames Board have receded from the position they had taken up; and I hope it will be understood that what I have said is not meant to keep an old sore open, but merely to point out what seems to me a very pernicious tendency pervading more or less our whole hospital system, and which the Thames Board, under pressure of local circumstances, merely proposed to carry one step further.

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The problem of local government, while in some respects it has received in New Zealand a solution more satisfactory than almost anywhere else out of America, is nevertheless in a very

anomalous position.

The notion of disruption and division of our institutions which had been inaugurated under the temptation of getting borrowing-powers has, I believe, inadvertently been allowed to proceed so far that now, at length, it has culminated in a reductio ad absurdum. What with multitudes of municipalities multiplying by fission like so many bacteria in a good fat infusion, and County Councils and Road Boards, Harbour Boards, Licensing Boards, and School Boards, District Charitable Aid Boards and United Boards, Incorporated Benevolent Societies and Hospital Boards, we are almost in a state of administrative paralysis from the impossibility of organically co-ordinating their functions; worse still, but which is never heard of, a very large part of the real administration of the country is carried on by their officers, who are miserably underpaid because of their multitude, and whose efficiency is in proportion to their pay. This state of things constitutes, perhaps, the gravest difficulty in the reformation of the government of our hospitals and charitable institutions, for until some consolidating local government Bill is passed by Parliament it is extremely difficult, if not impossible, to devise a scheme for their satisfactory government. Take, for instance, the case of the Dunedin Hospital and the Benevolent Institution in Caversham. Shall we hand over the Dunedin Hospital, with its medical school—drawing patients from remote districts as well as from the Provinces of Otago and Southland—to the Dunedin City Council? How, then, shall we deal with the questions that must emerge regarding the maintenance of patients from the dozen municipalities that are clustered all round the city proper? Shall we give the City Council power to charge these municipalities and the counties for the patients coming from them; and, if so, how shall we define a legal settlement for this purpose? or, shall we give them power to rate these municipalities as well as themselves, according to their property, with the certainty that these governing bodies will refuse to be rated unless they are represented; and, if they are represented, will not their sole anxiety be to keep down the taxes? Now, though just at present this is undoubtedly the most urgently-needed reform, yet there is grave cause to apprehend that the tax-payers' representatives will not be the wisest and most discriminating helpers of the deserving poor, who alone will be left to their care if the Government's proposals for the elimination of inveterate paupers and habitual drunkards are successfully carried out. Again, not merely is it to be apprehended that the municipalities will combine against the city, but they will probably fly at each other. The councillors of Roslyn and Mornington, on the hill, being aristocratic and well-to-do districts will refuse to be equally rated with South Dunedin and St. Kilda, and the others on the flat, whence a much larger proportion of paupers and hospital patients come. And so on all over the colony. Christchurch and Auckland will stand on their rights against their independent offspring, and Wellington will still be at war with Wairarapa.

One of the chief aims of the existing Act was to leave nothing undone to encourage the voluntary contributions for charitable purposes that so honourably distinguished some districts of the colony; but, unfortunately, here, as elsewhere, a poor-law dries up the springs of charity. Among other inducements the Act held out for this purpose, voluntary subscribers were permitted to elect a large proportion of the members of the Boards, and the results have not been so satisfactory as was expected. The people have to vote so often for the endless elections of members to the various local bodies that except when some burning question is mooted they never take the trouble to attend. Even in large towns I have known the trustees of the hospitals to be elected by less than half a dozen persons outside of the candidates themselves. Anybody may, in these circumstances, if he takes a very little trouble, step into a position which enables him to pose as a friend of the people; and there is grave reason to fear that these positions are in some places coveted merely as a means to ulterior ends. Speaking broadly, I am of opinion that for these and similar reasons the powers at present given to voluntary subscribers ought to be withdrawn, except in places where

one-fourth of the expenditure comes from local sources.

How to deal with orphans and other dependent children who are not vicious or criminal is another question of great complexity. English and American experience has fully demonstrated that they cannot be brought up in refuges and schools attached to them, as in the Otago Benevolent Institution. Long ago this plan was condemned all over the civilised world. cannot continue to be educated in separate institutions, such as the Lyttelton Orphanage, where each child costs over 11s. per week. They must be boarded out in families, either by the local bodies or the State. If the State takes over all the dependent children and boards them out, how can it deal with such denominational institutions as St. Mary's Orphan School, Nelson? If the local bodies are responsible, how are we to get over such cases as the following, which occurred this year? The father of a family of five died, leaving some property and the charge of his family to his brothers and sisters, all of them well-to-do people, but who were not legally responsible. One of the brothers kept the children till the money was nearly gone, and then got the children committed, very quietly, to the orphanage, at a cost of 7s. per week each till the youngest is fifteen years of age. The Charitable Aid Board were thus, without being in any way consulted, made responsible for a large sum of money. That is one of those things which cannot go on. The necessity of throwing the cost of charity on the local bodies, which must be quite apparent to all who have given any thought to the subject, is also one which has some awkward implications. For instance, if the local bodies are made responsible they must provide local refuges, as in the cases of Christchurch and Wellington. In the former instance the North Canterbury United Board have built the central block and one wing of a most elaborately-designed refuge of such a character, as regards the privacy and comfort of the separate rooms provided, as will tend to make men struggling on the verge of pauperism conclude that, struggle as they may, this is a more comfortable home for their age than they have any chance of providing. The same may be said of the refuges lately built in Wellington and Invercargill, and will no doubt be true of the Costley Institution in Auckland.

## AKAROA HOSPITAL.

This institution was found to be in good condition and well managed. The rooms and bedding were neat and clean. A new kitchen, store-room, scullery, and porch have been built, which greatly add to the fitness of the building for the purposes of a hospital. Mr. Penrose, the master, has himself repaired and distempered the whole interior, so that it looks much more cheerful than at my last visit.

The salaries received by the master and his wife amount to £100. The following figures will

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| Admitted dur          | ring the | year -      |          |      |       | • • • | 17 |  |
|                       |          |             |          |      |       |       |    |  |
|                       | Total    | . under tre | atment   |      | • • • | • • • | 22 |  |
| Discharged            |          | * * *       | • • •    |      | * * * |       | 19 |  |
| $\operatorname{Died}$ |          |             |          |      | •••   |       | 2  |  |
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| Remaining, 3          | 1st Mar  | ch, 1889    |          |      |       |       | 1  |  |

Sex.—19 males, 3 females.

Country.—New Zealand, 7; England, 7; France, 5; New Zealand (Maori), 2; Ireland, 1.

Religion.—Church of England, 13; Roman Catholic, 5; Wesleyan, 4.

The total collective days' hospital stay was 788; individual average stay, 35.8 days. Daily average cost per head, 8s. No out-patients.

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| From Government    |             | 158    | 0    | 1   | Returns                   |          |       | 100  | 15 | 1  |
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| Hospital Board, of | which it is | a      |      |     | Surgery and dispensary    | ***      |       | 31   | 17 | 6  |
| branch hospital    |             | . 158  | 0    | 1   | Fuel and light            |          |       | 28   | 12 | 0  |
| -                  |             |        |      |     | Salaries and wages        |          | • • : | 127  | 1  | 8  |
|                    |             |        |      |     | Other expenses            |          |       | 23   | 8  | 5  |
| Total              | •••         | £316   | 0    | 2   | Total                     | •••      |       | £316 | 0  | 2  |

#### ARROWTOWN HOSPITAL.

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| Admitted dur | ring the | year      | • • •  | •••   | • • • |       | 89      |
|              | Total    | under tre | atment | ,     | •••   |       | —<br>92 |
| Discharged   |          | ***       |        | • • • | •••   |       | 82      |
| Died         | ***      |           | • • •  | • • • |       | • • • | 3       |
| Remaining, 3 | 1st Mar  | ch, 1889  | •••    |       | •••   |       | 7       |

Sex.—64 males, 28 females.

Localities from which Patients came.—Lake County, 86; Vincent County, 2; Taieri County, 1; unknown, 3.

Country.—England, 21; Scotland, 17; Ireland, 12; Wales, 2; New Zealand, 25; Victoria, 5; Tasmania, 1; France, 1; Germany, 2; Denmark, 4; Netherlands, 1; Switzerland, 1.

Religion.—Church of England, 33; Presbyterian, 25; Wesleyan, 6; Roman Catholic, 20;

Lutheran, 4; Freethinkers, 4.

The total collective number of hospital days was 1,892; individual average, 20.5 days. The average daily cost per head was 6s. 3d.; less patients' payments, 4s. 11d.

#### REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE,

| Revenu                | e.     |     | £    | s.          | đ.              | Expenditure.                      |           | £    | s.       | đ.   |
|-----------------------|--------|-----|------|-------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------|-----------|------|----------|------|
| From Government       |        |     | 232  | 3           | $10\frac{1}{2}$ | Rations and fuel                  |           | 140  | 8        | 1    |
| Local bodies          | • • •  |     | 123  | $^{2}$      | $10\frac{1}{2}$ |                                   |           | 6    | 14       | 5    |
| Subscriptions and don | ations | ,   | 105  | $^2$        | 6               | Surgery and dispensary            |           | 35   | 14       | 7    |
| Patients' payments    |        |     | 125  | 6           | 4               | Bedding and clothing              |           | 0    | 11       | 6    |
| Other sources         |        |     | 3    | 6           | 6               | Salaries and wages                | • • •     | 345  | 16       | 8    |
|                       |        |     |      |             |                 | Funerals                          |           | 1    | 15       | 0    |
|                       |        |     |      |             |                 | Repairs and furnishing            |           | 25   | 19       | $^2$ |
|                       |        |     |      |             |                 | Printing, postage, and stationery | • • • • • | 1    | 18       | 0    |
|                       |        |     |      |             |                 | Insurance                         |           | 2    | 10       | 0    |
|                       |        |     |      |             |                 | Other expenses                    |           | 29 _ | _1       | 4    |
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| Total                 | • • •  | 遇 … | £589 | $2^{\cdot}$ | 1               | $\operatorname{Total}  \dots$     |           | £590 | 8        | 9    |
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## Inspection.

Though it is a question how far the existence of this hospital is justified so near to the parent hospital at Frankton, yet there can be no question that it is an admirably designed and managed institution. In every respect the district has reason to be proud of it. The attention of the doctor and of the master and his wife deserve the fullest acknowledgment. I inspected the hospital on the 20th January, 1889, and found everything in perfect order.

#### ASHBURTON HOSPITAL.

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| Admitted du                            |            |           |           |           | 134 |       |     |
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| Discharged                             |            |           |           |           |     |       | 124 |
| $\operatorname{Died}$                  | w · +>     | • • •     |           | ***       | ••• | • • • | 11  |
| Remaining,                             |            |           |           | •••       |     |       | 10  |

Sex.—132 males, 13 females.

Country.—England, 48; Ireland, 57; Scotland, 23; Colonies, 12; Sweden, 2; France, 2;

Germany, 1

Religion.—Church of England, 59; Roman Catholic, 28; Presbyterian, 17; Wesleyan, 18; Baptist, 4; Salvation Army, 16; no church, 3.

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| Amount contributed by  | Governmen   |             | 4    | 0            | Rations 304 15 10                       |
| Contributed by Hospit  | al Board an | .d          |      |              | Wines, spirits, ale, and porter 19 15 0 |
| local authorities      |             | 100         | 0    | 0            | Surgery and dispensary 85 13 6          |
| Subscriptions and dona | tions .     | 2           | 1    | 0            | Fuel and light 44 17 0                  |
| Bequests               |             |             |      |              | Bedding and clothing 40 15 6            |
| Rents                  |             |             |      |              | Furniture and earthenware 45 6 8        |
| Payments by patients   |             | 87          | 1    | 0            | Washing and laundry 29 2 6              |
| Other sources          |             | 8           | 5    | .5           | Salaries and wages 361 5 0              |
|                        |             |             |      |              | Water-supply                            |
|                        |             |             |      | ì            | Funerals 10 0 0                         |
|                        |             |             |      |              | Repairs 33 11 0                         |
|                        |             |             |      | Ì            | Printing, advertising, postage, and     |
|                        |             |             |      |              | stationery 19 5 2                       |
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|                        |             |             |      | 1            | Insurance 10 10 0                       |
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| Total                  |             | £928        | 11   | 5            | Total £1,060 7 10                       |
|                        |             | WHEN 22 2 2 |      | MANUAL ST    |   |

Total collective days' stay in hospital, 2,787; individual average days' stay, 19·22. Daily average cost per head, 7s.  $7\frac{1}{4}$ d.; less patients' payments, 7s.

## Inspection.

This hospital was inspected by me on the 5th February, 1889. I found nurse Hall and her sister in charge, Mrs. Mackay, the matron, being absent on a holiday. There were seven patients on the day of my visit. All spoke in the highest terms of the treatment they received, except one man, who is being turned out by the doctor as a case of chronic alcoholism, and who thinks he ought to be allowed to stay. I approved the doctor's action. The state of the institution is very satisfactory. A male nurse has been appointed since my last visit at a salary of £1 per week. This is a great improvement.

## AUCKLAND HOSPITAL.

| Movements of Patie | nts:        |          |       |      |      |        |
|--------------------|-------------|----------|-------|------|------|--------|
| Number, 31st N     | Iarch, 1888 |          |       | <br> | 110  |        |
| Admitted durin     | g the year  |          |       | <br> | 902  |        |
|                    |             |          |       | •    |      |        |
|                    | Total unde  | r treatn | nent  | <br> | 1,01 | $^{2}$ |
| Discharged         | •••         |          |       | <br> | 804  |        |
| Deaths             |             |          | • • • | <br> | 93   |        |
|                    |             |          |       |      | -    |        |
| Remaining, 31s     | t March, 18 | 889      |       | <br> | 11   | 5      |

Localities Patients came from.—Auckland City and Suburbs, 545; Auckland outlying districts, 213; north of Auckland, 58; Waikato, Thames, Coromandel, and East Coast, 34; Royal Navy, shipping, &c., 42; Taranaki, 3; other New Zealand towns, 6; other places, 1.

Sex.—628 males, 274 females.

Country.—England, 303; New Zealand, 251; Ireland, 176; Scotland, 65; Australia, 22; America, 19; Norway and Sweden, 16; Germany, 13; India, 7; France, 5; other Continental countries, 13; Fiji and South Sea Islands, 5; China, 1; Mauritius, 2; West Indies, 3; born at sea, 1.

Religion.—Church of England, 477; Roman Catholic, 210; Presbyterian, 113; Wesleyan, 52; Lutheran, 16; Baptist, 10; Salvation Army, 6; Christadelphian, 2; Swedenborgian, 1; Jew, 1; Freethinker, 14.

|   | REVEN  | UE       | AND            | Expenditure.   |        |       |
|---|--------|----------|----------------|--|--------|-------|
| Revenue.                                  | £      | s.       | d.             | Expenditure.   | £      | s. d. |
| Amount received from Govern-              |        |          |                | Rations  | 1,703  | 1 7   |
| ment                                      | 1,502  | 5        | 74             | Wines, spirits, ale, and porter  | 123    | 5 0   |
| Amount received from local                |        |          | -              | Surgery and dispensary   | 657    | 5.10  |
| bodies                                    | 1,502  | 5        | $7\frac{1}{2}$ | Fuel and light   | 482    | 9 8   |
| Subscriptions, donations, &c              | 8      | 1        | 0              | Bedding and clothing   | 173    | 17 5  |
| Bequest (interest on)                     | 748    | 0        | 1 🖛            | Furniture and earthenware  | 64     | 411   |
| Rents                                     | 1,015  | 12       | 4              | Washing and laundry  | 272    | 11 2  |
| Patients' payments                        | 1,247  | $_4$     | . 3            | Salaries and wages   | 1,969  | 3 9   |
| Other sources                             | 25     | 14       | 0              | Water  |        | 10 0  |
|   |        |          |                | Funerals   |        | 10  0 |
|   |        |          |                | Repairs  | 195    | 9  7  |
|   | •      |          |                | Printing, advertising, stationery,   |        | . •   |
| •   |        |          |                | _ &c   |        | 13 7  |
|   |        |          |                | Insurance  |        | 10- 0 |
|   |        |          |                | Other expenses   |        | 10- 5 |
|   | - 14   |          |                | Proportion of office-expenses  | 152    | 0 0   |
|   |        |          |                | · .  |        |       |
| $\operatorname{Total} \ \dots \ \ldots \$ | £6,049 | <b>2</b> | 11             | Total  | £6,049 | 2 11  |
|   | 7      |          |                | and the second s |        |       |

The total collective days' stay in this hospital was  $35\cdot145$ ; the individual average days' stay was  $34\cdot72$ . The average daily cost per head was  $3s.\ 4\frac{1}{2}d.$ ; less patients' payments,  $2s.\ 8\frac{3}{4}d.$  The number of individual new cases of out-patients was 461. The number of attendances was 6,379.

## Inspection.

This institution was inspected by me on the 20th March, 1889. I found eighty-three patients under treatment. The hospital is well conducted in all its departments—order and cleanliness are everywhere apparent. The new matron, Miss Windred, has had large experience in Melbourne Hospital, and is, so far as I can judge, well fitted for her position. The chief wants of the hospital are a children's ward, a separate ward for venereal cases, and a nurses' home. The new fever wards are a great addition to the hospital-accommodation. The resident staff are very efficient and attentive to their duties, and their relations with the honorary staff are cordial and satisfactory.

The plan of having two resident medical officers enables the Auckland Charitable Aid Board to overtake the charitable medical aid very cheaply as compared, for instance, with Christchurch, where, besides one resident medical officer at the hospital, there is, for patients in the refuges and those visited in their own homes, another doctor receiving £275, and a separate drug-bill amounting to £581. Another advantage of the Auckland plan is that the resident doctors relieve each other,

and the hospital is never without a doctor.

## BLENHEIM HOSPITAL.

| Number of 1  | patients | , 31st Ma  |          |       |       | 19  |          |
|--------------|----------|------------|----------|-------|-------|-----|----------|
| Admitted du  | ring th  | e year     | •••      | • • • | • • • |     | 93       |
|              | Tot      | al under t | reatment |       |       |     | —<br>112 |
| Discharged   | •••      | •••        | •••      | •••   | •••   | ••• | 90       |
| Died         | •••      | •••        | ***      | •••   |       |     | 4        |
| Remaining of | n 31st   | March, 18  | 889      | J NT  |       |     | 18       |

Localities Patients came from.—Wairau, Picton, and Nelson.

Sex.—97 males, 15 females.

Nationality.—English, 38; Irish, 24; Scotch, 8; Colonial, 32; German, 5; Dane, 1;

Swiss, 1; Swedish, 2; Italian, 1.
Religion.—Church of England, 54; Roman Catholic, 32; Wesleyan, 11; Presbyterian, 9;

Lutheran, 5; Freethinker, 1.

Total collective days' stay, 3,897; average individual stay, 37 days. Average daily cost, 6s. 1d.; less repayments, 5s.  $5\frac{3}{4}$ d.

| REVENUE | AND | EXPENDITURE. |
|---------|-----|--------------|
|         |     |              |

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|---------------|------------------------|---------|---|-------|-------|----|----|--|-----------------|
|               | $R_0$                  | evenue. |   |       | £     | s. | d. | $Expenditure.$ $\mathfrak{L}$ s.       | d.              |
| From Govern   | ment                   |         |   |       | 801   | 1  | 1  | Rations, fuel, and light 511 10        | 4               |
| From local b  | odies                  |         |   |       | 770   |    |    | Drugs and medical comforts 118 0       | <b>2</b>        |
| Subscriptions | s and don              | ations  |   | • • • | 42    | 11 | 9  | Furniture, bedding, and clothing 79 10 | 0               |
| Bequests      |                        |         |   | • • • |       |    |    | Salaries and wages 343 T4              | $8\frac{1}{2}$  |
| Rents         |                        |         |   |       |       |    |    | Funerals 20 0                          | 0_              |
| Patients' pay | ments                  |         | 4 | • • • | 119   | 16 | 10 | Repairs 64 6                           | 6               |
|               |                        |         |   |       |       |    |    | Printing, stationery, insurance 50 18  | $11\frac{1}{2}$ |
|               |                        |         |   | -     |       |    |    |  |                 |
|               | $\operatorname{Total}$ | • • •   |   | £     | 1,783 | 19 | 11 | Total £1,188 0                         | 8               |
|               |                        |         |   | -     |       |    |    |  |                 |

#### Inspection.

The circumstances of this hospital may be taken as exemplifying the difficulty which exists in several parts of the colony. Seven of the nineteen patients who were on the books at the beginning of last year were chronic cases, all of whom ought to be in a refuge, but are kept in a separate ward of the hospital because there is no refuge to send them to. These cases were retained during the of the hospital because there is no retuge to send them to. These cases were retained during the whole year, so that in calculating the daily cost per head the average falls, because they require no medicine, nor any special treatment. Nothing could more clearly demonstrate the necessity for transferring such cases to suitable refuges, for there they could be suitably maintained at a cost of something like 6d. a day, whereas in this hospital they cost  $5s. 5\frac{3}{4}d$ . The keeping of such cases in a hospital compels the authorities to treat them in all respects as patients, for they grumbel and make themselves very troublesome under a sense of injustice if they do not receive the

The condition of the hospital, both as regards the attention of the doctor and the general management and nursing, I found very satisfactory.

|          |   |         | CHARLE      | ESTON I | HOSPIT  | AL.       |         |    |    |
|----------|---|---------|-------------|---------|---------|-----------|---------|----|----|
|          | Number of pa                                | tients, | 31st Marc   | h, 1888 | • • •   | •••       |         | 4  |    |
|          | Admitted dur                                | ing the | year ·      | • • • • | • • •   | • • • •   | • • • • | 28 |    |
|          |   |         |             |         |         |           |         |    |    |
|          |   | Total   | l under tre | eatment | • • •   |           | • • •   |    | 32 |
|          | Discharged                                  |         |             | • • • , | • • •   | •••       | • • • • | 19 |    |
|          | $\operatorname{Died}$                       |         | e           | •••     | • • •   | •••       | • • •   | 4  |    |
|          |   |         |             |         |         |           | 1 + A   |    |    |
|          | Remaining, 3                                | 1st Mar | ch, 1889    | • • • • | • • •   | •••       | • • •   |    | 9  |
| National | 2 males.<br>htty.—Irish, 12<br>.—Roman Cati | ; Engli | ish, 11; S  |         | French  | , 2; Wels | sh, 1   |    |    |
|          |   |         | REVENUE     | AND EX  | PENDITU | RÆ.       |         |    |    |

|                        |       | TV.E | SVENU | E A | תמי         | EXPENDITURE.                    |                  |      |        |    |
|------------------------|-------|------|-------|-----|-------------|---------------------------------|------------------|------|--------|----|
| Revenue.               |       |      | £     | s.  | d.          | Expenditure.                    |                  | £    | s.     | đ. |
| From local bodies      |       |      | 122   | 11  | $\tilde{5}$ | Rations                         |                  | 132  | 7      | 7  |
| From Government        |       |      | 243   | 15  | 5           | Wines, spirits, ale, and porter |                  | 12   | 11     | 0  |
| Subscriptions and dona | tions |      | 103   | 0   | 0           | Surgery and dispensary          |                  | 18   | 1      | 11 |
| Bequests               |       |      |       |     |             |                                 |                  | 10   | $^{2}$ | 0  |
| Rents                  |       |      |       |     |             | Bedding and clothing            |                  | 13   | $^{2}$ | 0  |
| Patients' payments     |       |      | 59    | 10  | 0           | Furniture and earthenware       |                  |      |        |    |
| Other sources          |       |      | 0     | 8   | 0           | Washing and laundry             |                  | 4    | 16     | 3  |
|                        |       |      |       |     |             | Salaries and wages              |                  | 237  | 10     | 0  |
|                        |       |      |       |     |             | Water-supply                    |                  |      |        |    |
|                        |       |      |       |     |             | Funerals                        |                  | 5    | 0      | 0  |
|                        |       |      |       |     |             |                                 |                  | 74   | 6      | 10 |
|                        |       |      |       |     |             |                                 | $^{\mathrm{nd}}$ |      |        |    |
|                        |       |      |       |     |             | stationery                      |                  | 16   | 1      | 6  |
|                        |       |      |       |     |             | Interest                        |                  |      |        |    |
|                        |       |      |       |     |             | Insurance                       |                  | $_4$ | 0      | 0  |
|                        |       |      |       |     |             | Commission                      |                  |      |        |    |
|                        |       |      |       |     | ļ           | Other expenses                  | · .              | 25   | 9      | 6  |
| m . 1                  |       |      | 0500  |     | 10          | m . 1                           | _                | 2550 |        | _  |
| Total                  | • • • |      | £529  | 4   | 10          | Total                           | £                | 553  | 8      | 7  |
|                        |       | _    |       |     | _           |                                 | -                |      | -      |    |

The total collective days' stay, 1,411; individual average stay, 44.09. Average cost per head per day, 7s. 10d.; less repayments, 7s.

#### Inspection.

I found this hospital, on my visit (18th February), contained five patients, none of whom had any complaint to make of their treatment. A rough comfort was apparent in all the arrangements.

## CHRISTCHURCH HOSPITAL.

| Number of p<br>Admitted du | atients<br>ring the  | , 31st Ma<br>e vear | rch, 1888   |       |     |     | $\begin{array}{c} 56 \\ 592 \end{array}$ |  |
|----------------------------|----------------------|---------------------|-------------|-------|-----|-----|--|--|
|                            | 0                    | J                   |             |       |     |     |  |  |
|                            | $\operatorname{Tot}$ | al under            | treatment   |       |     |     | 648                                      |  |
| Discharged                 | • • •                | •••                 | •••         | • • • | ••• |     | 507                                      |  |
| Died                       | • • •                | •••                 | <b>,···</b> | • • • | ••• | ••• | 43                                       |  |
|                            |                      |                     |             |       |     |     |  |  |

Remaining, 31st March, 1889 ... ... 98

Localities from which Patients came.—Christchurch, 185; Sydenham, 105; Lyttelton, 14;
St. Alban's, 20; Kaiapoi, 10; Rangiora, 9; Amuri, 6; Kaikoura, 7; Akaroa County, 13; Ashburton, 15; Waimate, 2; Dunedin, 3; Auckland, 3; Oamaru, 3; Burnham, 6; Selwyn County, 57; no settled home, 134.

Sex.—420 males, 172 females.

Country.—England, 248; Ireland, 101; Scotland, 52; New Zealand, 156; America, 8; Australia, 2; Foreigners (not British, or Colonial, or American), 25.

Religion.—Church of England, 288; Presbyterian, 98; Roman Catholic, 90; Wesleyan, 56;

Methodists, 56 (Wesleyan Methodists, 112?); Freethinkers, 4.

Total collective days' stay in hospital, 24,258; individual average stay, 37.43 (?) Average cost per head per day, 5s. 11\frac{1}{4}d.; less patients' payments, 5s. 6\frac{1}{2}d.

Out-patients.—Individual cases, 353; attendances, 1,314.

#### REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.

| Revenue.   £ s. d.   Expenditure.   £ s. d.   Local bodies   3,607 10 6   Rations   1,124 16 10   From Government   3,874 15 6   Subscriptions and donations   34 3 0   Patients' payments   495 8 10   Fuel and light   461 5 6   From other sources   34 2 9   Bedding and clothing   159 9 0   Furniture and earthenware   313 10 2   Washing and laundry   Salaries and wages   2,216 7 4   Water-supply   Funerals   20 1 0   Repairs   299 0 9   Printing, advertising, and stationery   43 3 5   Interest   39 18 0   Insurance   54 7 6   Commission   Commis |                               |   |        |        |     |  |
|--|-------------------------------|---|--------|--------|-----|--|
| Local bodies       3,607 10 6       Rations       1,124 16 10         From Government       3,874 15 6       Wines, spirits, ale, and porter       214 3 5         Subscriptions and donations       34 3 0       Surgery and dispensary       326 10• 4         Patients' payments       495 8 10       Fuel and light       461 5 6         From other sources       34 2 9       Bedding and clothing       159 9 0         Furniture and earthenware       313 10 2         Washing and laundry       Salaries and wages       2,216 7 4         Water-supply       20 1 0         Repairs       299 0 9         Printing, advertising, and stationery       43 3 5         Interest       39 18 0         Insurance       54 7 6         Commission       *1,929 10 3   | Revenue.                      |   | £      | s.     | d.  | Expenditure $\pounds$ s. d.              |
| Subscriptions and donations       34       3       0       Surgery and dispensary       326       10 ★ 4         Patients' payments       495       8       10       Fuel and light       461       5       6         From other sources       34       2       9       Bedding and clothing       159       9       0         Furniture and earthenware       313       10       2         Washing and laundry          2,216       7       4         Water-supply          20       1       0         Repairs         299       0       9         Printing, advertising, and stationery         43       3       5         Insurance         39       18       0         Insurance              Other expenses not mentioned       *1,929       10       3   | Local bodies                  |   | 3,607  | 10     |     | Rations 1,124 16 10                      |
| Patients' payments 495 8 10 Fuel and light 461 5 6 From other sources 34 2 9 Bedding and clothing 159 9 0 Furniture and earthenware 313 10 2 Washing and laundry 2,216 7 4 Water-supply 20 1 0 Repairs 20 1 0 Repairs 299 0 9 Printing, advertising, and station- ery 43 3 5 Interest 39 18 0 Insurance 54 7 6 Commission  | From Government               |   | 3,874  | 15.    | 6   | Wines, spirits, ale, and porter 214 3 5  |
| From other sources 34 2 9 Bedding and clothing 159 9 0 Furniture and earthenware 313 10 2 Washing and laundry Salaries and wages 2,216 7 4 Water-supply Funerals 20 1 0 Repairs 299 0 9 Printing, advertising, and stationery ery 43 3 5 Interest 39 18 0 Insurance 54 7 6 Commission Other expenses not mentioned *1,929 10 3   | Subscriptions and donations   |   | 34     | 3      | 0   | Surgery and dispensary 326 10+ 4         |
| Furniture and earthenware 313 10 2 Washing and laundry Salaries and wages 2,216 7 4 Water-supply Funerals 20 1 0 Repairs 299 0 9 Printing, advertising, and stationery 43 3 5 Interest 39 18 0 Insurance 54 7 6 Commission Other expenses not mentioned *1,929 10 3  | Patients' payments            |   | 495    | 8      | 10  |  |
| Washing and laundry          Salaries and wages        2,216       7_4         Water-supply           Funerals        20_1_0         Repairs        299_0_9         Printing, advertising, and stationery        43_3_5         Interest        39_18_0         Insurance        54_7_6         Commission          Other expenses not mentioned        *1,929_10_3  | From other sources            |   | 34     | $^{2}$ | 9   | Bedding and clothing 159 9 0             |
| Salaries and wages 2,216 7 4 Water-supply Funerals 20 1 0 Repairs 299 0 9 Printing, advertising, and stationery 43 3 5 Interest 39 18 0 Insurance 54 7 6 Commission Other expenses not mentioned *1,929 10 3   |                               |   |        |        |     |  |
| Water-supply   |                               |   |        |        |     | Washing and laundry                      |
| Funerals   |                               |   |        |        |     |  |
| Repairs  |                               |   |        |        | į   |  |
| Printing, advertising, and station-<br>ery   |                               |   | + AL   |        |     | Funerals 20 1 0                          |
| ery 43 3 5 Interest 39 18 0 Insurance 54 7 6 Commission Other expenses not mentioned *1,929 10 3   |                               |   |        |        | İ   |  |
| Interest 39 18 0 Insurance 54 7 6 Commission Other expenses not mentioned *1,929 10 3  |                               |   |        |        |     | Printing, advertising, and station-      |
| Insurance 54 7 6 Commission Other expenses not mentioned *1,929 10 3   |                               |   |        |        | ĺ   | ery 43 3 5                               |
| Commission Other expenses not mentioned *1,929 10 3  |                               |   |        |        | İ   | Interest 39 18 0                         |
| Other expenses not mentioned *1,929 10 3   |                               |   | ж      |        | . 1 | Insurance 54 7 6                         |
|  |                               |   |        |        |     | Commission                               |
| Total $1 \pm 8,046 \ 0 \ 7$ Total $1 \pm 7,402 \ 3 \ 6$  |                               |   |        |        | ĺ   | Other expenses not mentioned *1,929 10 3 |
| Total $\pounds 8,046 \ 0 \ 7$ Total $\pounds 7,402 \ 3 \ 6$  |                               |   |        |        |     |  |
|  | $\operatorname{Total}  \dots$ |   | £8,046 | 0      | 7   | Total $\pounds 7,402$ 3 6                |
|  |                               | - |        | -      | -   |  |

#### Inspection.

I inspected this hospital on the 8th February, 1889, for the third time during the year. I found all parts of the premises in a state of perfect order and cleanliness. The nursing system, which is one of the most essential features of hospital-management, is well organized. There is a noticeable improvement in the discipline since my last report. I made careful inquiry of the patients, without any nurse or other officer being present, but heard no complaints. The honorary staff are regular in their attendance and attentive to their patients. I was present on several occasions during the dinner-hour, and I found the food abundant, good in quality, and well cooked, while reasonable dispatch was used in the distribution. The bedding is good and clean, and the sheets are changed once a week. The repairs and improvements of the old buildings are now completed, and there is, besides a suitable Board-room, abundant accommodation for the steward's office and stores. kitchen is large and amply supplied with all the necessary apparatus and adjuncts, such as scullery, pantry, &c. An attempt was being made when I was there to reconstruct the drying-closet, which I hope may at length be successful. A fine new boiler is being erected, of 14-horse-power, to supersede the separate ward boilers; a great saving, both of fuel and superintendence, should result.

The patients register, I found, contained no entries from the beginning of May till the end of the year. I cannot understand why such neglect on the part of the dispenser, who was responsible, was tolerated. Since the beginning of this year the secretary has had charge of this book, and it is entered up to date. I found twenty patients who had been on the books three months and over. The grounds surrounding the hospital are admirably kept, and they form an invaluable exercise-ground for convalescent patients. The fever hospital and the mortuary are the best designed and finished buildings of the kind in the colony; but I am afraid that here, as elsewhere in the colony, fever cases are treated in the wards, because of the cost of a separate staff for the fever hospital, and the increase of labour all round.

## COROMANDEL HOSPITAL.

| Number of pa<br>Admitted du | atients, a<br>ring the | 31st March<br>year |        | *** | •••   | •••   | 28<br>28 |    |
|-----------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|--------|-----|-------|-------|----------|----|
|                             | Total                  | under tre          | atment | ••• |       |       |          | 30 |
| Discharged                  |                        |                    | • • •  |     | • • • | • • • | 24       |    |
| $\operatorname{Died}$       |                        | 4+4                | 444    | +++ | 4 4 4 |       | 3        |    |
|                             |                        |                    |        |     |       |       |          |    |
| Remaining, 3                | 31st Mar               | ch, 1889           |        | 111 | ***   | ***   |          | 3  |

Locality from which Patients came.—Coromandel Peninsula.

Sex.—30 males.

Nationality.—English, 7; Irish, 10; Scotch, 4; Colonial, 7; Maori, 2.

Total collective days' stay, 1,292; individual average stay, 43 days. Daily average cost per head, 15s. 6d. (nearly); less patients' payments, 14s.  $8\frac{3}{4}$ d.

<sup>\*</sup> This item includes hardware, £34 0s. 8d.; legal expenses, £136 1s. 8d.; incidental expenses, £187 10s. 10d.; members' travelling-expenses, £4 9s. 4d.; patients in other hospitals, £4 13s. 2d.; overdraft, £462 0s. 4d.; casual ward, Lyttelton, £51 6s. 8d.; buildings, £1,077 12s. 11d.; architect, £21 14s. 8d.; total, £1,929 10s. 3d.

|                                   | REC   | EIP' | rs  | AND  | Expenditure.  |                |     |
|-----------------------------------|-------|------|-----|------|---|----------------|-----|
| Revenue.                          | -     | £    | s.  | ã.   | $\pmb{\mathcal{L}}$ Expenditure. $\pmb{\mathfrak{L}}$ | s.             | d.  |
| Amount contributed by Governmen   | nt å  | 521  | 2   | 0    | Rations 187   | 11             | 6   |
| Contributed by local authorities  |       | 100  | 0   | 0    | Wines, spirits, &c                                    |                |     |
| Subscriptions and donations       | 8     | 332  | 0   | 0    | Surgery and dispensary 137                            | 16             | 5   |
|                                   |       | 47   | 0   | 0    |   | 8              | 9   |
| Balance from last year            | ]     | 122  | 2   | $^2$ | Bedding and clothing 5                                | 8              | . 6 |
|                                   |       |      |     |      | Furniture and earthenware                             |                |     |
|                                   |       |      |     |      | Washing and laundry 12                                | 4              | 9   |
|                                   |       |      |     | *    | Salaries and wages 605                                | 16             | 0   |
|                                   |       |      |     |      | Repairs C   | 8              | 0   |
|                                   |       |      |     |      | Printing, advertising, &c 5                           | 17             | 1   |
|                                   |       |      |     |      | Insurance 4   | . • <b>9</b> ∗ | 6   |
|                                   |       |      |     |      | Other expenses 2                                      | 7              | 0   |
|                                   |       | -    |     |      | Auckland Hospital 9                                   | 12             | 0   |
|                                   | -     |      |     |      | Total £998  | 19             | 6   |
| Total                             | £1,1  | 122  | 4   | 2    | Balance £316  | 14             | 8   |
| I have not been able to visit the | his h | ospi | tal | sind | ce the 3rd April, 1888.                               | oran basa      |     |

|               |          | CROM      | WELL: HO    | SPITA | L.  | عفرماد                                  |         |
|---------------|----------|-----------|-------------|-------|-----|---|---------|
| Number of pa  | tients c | n 31st I  | Iarch, 1888 |       |     |   | 4       |
| Admitted duri | ing the  | year      | • • •       |       | ••• |   | 65      |
| Discharged    | Tota     | l under t | reatment    |       |     | •••                                     | —<br>69 |
| Died          |          |           | •••         |       |     | • | 3       |

Remaining, 31st March, 1889 ... Localities from which Patients came.—Cromwell Borough, Vincent County, and Lake County. Sex.—69 males.

Country.—England, 25; Scotland, 12; Ireland, 11; Victoria, 1; China, 1; Italy, 2; Denmark, 1; New South Wales, 2; New Zealand, 10.

Religion.—Protestant, 49; Catholic, 11; Chinese, 1; unknown, 1; Greek Church, 3.

Total collective days' stay, 1,062; individual average days' stay, 16·84. Average cost per day, 14s. 5\frac{3}{4}\text{d.}; less patients' payments, 11s. 3d.

|                             | $\mathbf{R}_{\mathbf{I}}$ | EVENU | JE A | ND  | Expenditure.  |      |      |    |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------|-------|------|-----|---|------|------|----|
| Revenue.                    |                           | £     | s.   | đ.  | Expenditure.  | £    | s. ( | d. |
| Contributed by Government   |                           | 326   | 17   | 0   | Rations 1   |      | _    | 4  |
| Local bodies                |                           | 180   | 0    | 0   | Wines, spirits, ale, and porter   | 10   | 9    | 6  |
| Subscriptions and donations |                           | 160   | 14   | 9   |   | 28 1 | 6    | 7  |
| Patients' payments          |                           | 40    | 17   | 9   | l nere di l'eras e . T  | 33   | 2    | 9  |
| 2 0                         |                           |       |      |     |   | 36 ' | 7    | 8  |
|                             |                           |       |      |     |   | 92   | $^2$ | 6  |
|                             |                           |       |      |     | Funerals  | 5 (  | 0    | 0  |
|                             |                           |       |      | ļ   | Repairs 1   | 26   | 2 1  | 10 |
|                             |                           |       |      | ĺ   | Printing, advertising, and stationery   | 8 4  | 8    | 0  |
|                             |                           |       |      | - [ | Insurance   | 5    | 5    | 0  |
|                             |                           |       |      |     | Other expenses  | 8 -  | 3    | 0  |
|                             | · .                       |       |      |     | and grant and a second |      |      |    |
| ${\rm Total}\qquad \dots$   |                           | £708  | 9    | 6   | Total $\mathfrak{L}7$   | 69   | 3    | 2  |
|                             |                           |       |      |     |   |      |      |    |

## Inspection.

On the day of my visit, 23rd January, 1889, this hospital contained only three patients. Great improvements have been effected both inside and outside the hospital. The trees are thriving wonderfully, owing to the abundant water-supply from the race above. A new waiting-room, very neatly furnished, has been added.

From careful inquiries into the management of the hospital I am satisfied that Dr. Stackpoole is thoroughly capable and attentive to his duties, and that the warder and his wife are admirably

fitted for the position they occupy.

## DUNEDIN HOSPITAL.

| Number of p<br>Admitted du  | atients<br>ring th | on 31st M<br>e year | arch, 18 |     | · · · | ••• | 87<br>874 |     |
|-----------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|----------|-----|-------|-----|-----------|-----|
|                             | Ťot                | al under tr         | eament   |     |       |     |           | 961 |
| $\operatorname{Discharged}$ |                    |                     | • • •    |     |       | ••• | 775       |     |
| Died                        | •••                | •••                 | •••      | ••• | •••   |     | 80        |     |
| Remaining.                  | 31st Ma            | arch. 1889          |          | 4   |       |     |           | 106 |

Total collective stay of patients in hospital, 36,94 5 days; individual average days' stay, 42.2. Daily average cost per head, 3s. 3\frac{3}{4}d., less patients payments, 2s. 10\frac{1}{4}d. Outdoor-patients-

individual cases, 2,109; attendances, 5,699.

Localities from which Patients came.—Dunedin and Suburbs, 582; Port Chalmers, 23; shipping, 30; Waikouaiti, 8; Blueskin, 12; Milton, 15; Mosgiel, 17; Palmerston, 9; ITapanui, 4; Oamaru, 7; Clinton, 6; Port Molyneux, 6; Green Island, 7; Greytown, 4; Batclutha, 5; Cromwell, 2; Greymouth, 3; Reefton, 1; Westport, 1; Ida Valley, 2; St. Ba han's, 1; Teremakau, 1; Switzers, 1; Romahapa, 1; Naseby, 1; Waimate, 4; Kaitangata, 4; Well<sup>1</sup>ngton, 1; Lawrence, 4; other districts, 111.

Country.—New Zealand, 241; Scotland, 193; England, 179; Ireland, 148; Australia, 31; Germany, 13; Sweden, 12; China, 12; Tasmania, 12; South America, 6; France, 4; Jersey, 4; Holland, 4; Denmark, 4; West Indies, 3; Canada, 3; Norway, 1; Switzerland, 1; Java, 1;

East Indies, 1; Finland, 1.

Religion.—Presbyterian, 301; Church of England, 255; Roman Catholic, 187; Wesleyan, 36; other Protestants (sects not known), 8; Chinese, 12; Baptist, 41; Salvationist, 8; Methodist, 3; Independent, 13; Freethinker, 5; Plymouth Brethren, 3; Mohammedan, 1; Jew, 1.

|                             | Revenue and | Expenditure.                    | •  |
|-----------------------------|-------------|---------------------------------|--|
| Revenue.                    | £ s. d.     | Expenditure.*                   | £ s. d.                                    |
| Contributed by Government   |             | Rations                         | 1 400 10 0                                 |
| By local bodies             |             | Wines, ales, spirits            | 210 12 3                                   |
| Subscriptions and donations |             | Surgery and dispensary          | 1,006 9 10                                 |
| Bequest, Russell Trust      | 30 13 8     | Fuel and light                  | 355 13 4                                   |
| Rents                       |             | Bedding and clothing            | 74 - 5 - 6                                 |
| Patients' payments          | 859 15 6    | Furniture and earthenware       | $141 \ 0 \ 7$                              |
| Other sources               | 26 15 9     | Salaries and wages              | 2,158 12 5                                 |
|                             |             | Water                           | $52 \ 0 \ 0$                               |
|                             |             | Funerals                        | 30 0 0                                     |
|                             |             | Repairs                         | $260 \ 18 \ 4$                             |
|                             |             | Printing, advertising, postage, | <b>=0</b> +0 0                             |
|                             |             | and stationery                  | 72.13 3                                    |
|                             |             | Insurance                       | $\frac{31}{3}$ $\frac{2}{3}$ $\frac{6}{3}$ |
|                             |             | Commission                      | 23 6 6                                     |
|                             |             | Other expenses                  | 224 2 2                                    |
| Total                       | £6,593 19 4 | Total                           | £6,131 15 5                                |

#### Inspection.

I inspected this hospital on the 30th January, 1889. I was particularly careful in making inquiries of the patients in all the wards without any official being present as to how they were treated by the nurses. Though the fullest opportunity was afforded I heard not a single complaint. As I have pointed out in former reports, the fact that this hospital was never designed for its present purpose, and the further fact that it is the only one connected with a medical school whose requirements are constantly growing, made it inevitable that the progressive tendencies thus set in This is the operation must make large demands for improved accommodation and appliances. explanation of the agitation that has taken place over the condition of this hospital; and the rapidity with which the agitation answered its purpose—of hastening the building of a nurses' home and certain special wards—while it is a subject of congratulation to all, yet seems to me to have been dearly bought by the unjustifiably evil reputation which has been fixed on the hospital all over these colonies. The evils complained of had all been previously pointed out so far as they were real, and steps were being taken to remedy them. Mr. Houghton, the Chairman, was already collecting money for this purpose; and the very day before the storm burst he was in consultation with me on the subject.

No one doubts the superiority of trained female nurses over the class of male nurses that have hitherto of necessity been employed in the Dunedin Hospital. Especially of late years, it has become possible to get for this work well-educated ladies, who are very different from the oldfashioned type of hospital nurse; and no doubt it was somewhat trying that the hospital which in all the essentials of medical and surgical treatment of disease was ahead of all the other hospitals of the colony should, nevertheless, be the only one of our large hospitals where the best system of

nursing was unattainable.

While the spirit of reform is abroad in Dunedin I would suggest that the general appearance of all the wards would be vastly improved, and the comfort of the patients greatly increased, by replacing the present beds with Rowcliff's beds, which were adopted in the new Edinburgh Hospital, and have been introduced into our asylums and all the larger hospitals of the colony. A little more expenditure also is required to provide more liberally for bed-linen. Every bed should have a pair of clean sheets each week, and I find that this was not the case up to the date of my visit.

Except in those evils which the structural deficiencies of the building caused, I affirm that this hospital was well managed, and the patients well treated.

<sup>\*</sup> Buildings for year cost £978 6s. 8d., not included in expenditure.

## DUNSTAN HOSPITAL.

| Number of pa                 | atients<br>ing the | on 31st M<br>vear | arch, 188 | 38 ्  | ••• | ••• | 3<br>46 |    |
|------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|-----------|-------|-----|-----|---------|----|
|                              | O                  | •                 |           |       |     |     |         |    |
|                              | Tota               | l under tr        | eatment   | •••   |     | ••• |         | 49 |
| Discharged                   | • • •              | • • •             |           |       |     |     | 39      |    |
| $\operatorname{Died} \ldots$ | • • •              | ***               | • • • •   | • • • | ••• | ••• | 4       |    |
|                              |                    |                   |           |       |     |     |         |    |

Remaining, 31st March, 1889 ... ... ... ... 6

The total collective days' stay in hospital was 1,608; the individual average stay, 32·16: and the average daily cost per head was 8s. &d. (nearly); less repayments, 7s. 5½d.

Localities from which Patients came.—Clyde and Clyde Commonage, 8; Black's, Tinker's, Dryhead, and Ida Valley, 13; Earnscleugh, Bald Hill, and Butcher's Gully, 11; Alexandra, Galloway, Spring Vale, and Mouter, 11; Cromwell district, 6.

Sex.—41 males, 8 females.

Country.—England, 19; Scotland, 4; Ireland, 11; China, 10; New Zealand, 5.

#### REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.

| Revenue.                         |   | £     | s. | d.  | Expenditure.              |       | £    | s. | d.  |
|----------------------------------|---|-------|----|-----|---------------------------|-------|------|----|-----|
| From Government                  |   | 518   | 16 | 0 ; | Rations                   |       | 112  | 19 | 3   |
| Local bodies                     |   | 268   | 10 | 0   | Wines, spirits, ales, &c  |       | 23   | 10 | 4   |
| Subscriptions and donations      |   | 91    | 19 | 0 ; | Surgery and dispensary    |       | 25   | 17 | 2   |
| Patients' payments               |   | 96    | 5  | 10  | Fuel and light            | • • • | 30   | 7  | 9   |
| Other sources                    |   | 4     | 0  | 0   | Bedding and clothing      |       | 10   | 15 | - 6 |
| Balance in hand, 1st April, 1888 |   | 149   | 3  | 9   | Furniture and earthenware |       | 44   | 9  | 11  |
|                                  |   | 4     |    |     | Salaries and wages        |       | 375  | 12 | 0   |
|                                  |   |       |    |     | Water-supply              |       | 15   | 14 | 6   |
|                                  |   |       |    | i   | Funerals                  |       | 8    | 0  | 0   |
|                                  |   |       |    | į   | Printing, stationery, &c  |       | 15   | 0  | 8   |
|                                  |   |       |    | į   | Interest                  |       | 0    | 7  | 0   |
|                                  |   |       |    | - 1 | Insurance                 |       | 12   | 19 | 6   |
|                                  |   |       |    |     | Other expenses            |       | 20   | 0  | 10  |
| Total                            | £ | 1,128 | 14 | 7   | Total                     | •••   | £695 | 14 | 5   |

#### Inspection.

I found this hospital in excellent order. All the cases (seven in number) on the date of my visit, 24th January, 1889, were surgical ones, and manifested great care and skill in their treatment. I am thoroughly satisfied that this hospital is well managed.

## GISBORNE HOSPITAL.

| Number of pa                 | tients, | 31st Marcl  | ı, 1888 |       |       | . • • • | 5   |     |
|------------------------------|---------|-------------|---------|-------|-------|---------|-----|-----|
| Admitted dur                 | ing the | year        | • • •   | • • • | • • • | •••     | 103 |     |
|                              | Tota    | l under tre | atmont  |       |       |         |     | 108 |
| TO: -1 1                     | LOVA    | i under ne  | aumenu  | ***   |       |         | 00  | 100 |
| Discharged                   | • • •   | •••         |         | • • • | • • • | • • •   | 96  |     |
| $\operatorname{Died} \ldots$ |         |             |         | • • • |       |         | 6   |     |
|                              |         |             |         |       |       |         |     |     |

Remaining on 31st March, 1889 ... Localities from which Patients came.—Borough of Gisborne and Cook County.

Sex.—91 males, 17 females.

Nationality.—British, 95; Foreign, 13.
Total collective days' stay in hospital, 2,648; individual average stay, 24½ days. Individual average cost per day, 7s. 4d.; less patients' payments, 5s. 7d. There were no outdoor-patients.

## REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.

| Revenue.                    |     | £     | s.   | d. [ | Expe                     | nditure.   |       | £  | s.             | d. |
|-----------------------------|-----|-------|------|------|--------------------------|------------|-------|--|----------------|----|
| From Government             | ,   | 372   | 4    | 7    | Rations                  |            |       | 179  | 11             | 11 |
| From local bodies           |     | 200   | 0    | 0    | Wines, spirits, ale, &c. | ***        | •     | 11   | 10             | 0  |
| Subscriptions and donations |     | 132   | $^2$ | 0    | Surgery and dispensary   | • •••      |       | 91   | 15             | 6  |
| Rents                       |     | 76    | 4    | -8   | Fuel and light           |            |       | 55   | 2              | 6  |
| Patients' payments          | ٠   | 164   | 8    | 0    | Bedding and clothing     | • • •      |       | 20   | 17             | 11 |
| Balance, 31st March, 1888   |     | 65    | 17   | 11   | Furniture and earthenv   | vare       |       | 38   | . 0            | 4  |
|                             |     |       |      |      | Salaries and wages       |            |       | 429  | 1              | 0  |
|                             |     |       |      |      | Funerals                 |            |       | 3  | 0              | 0  |
|                             |     |       |      |      | Repairs                  |            | • • • | 69   | 2              | 7  |
|                             |     |       |      | *    | Printing, advertising, a | nd station | ery   | 23   | <del>1</del> 6 | 6  |
|                             |     |       |      | ĺ    | Insurance                |            | ,     | 12   | <b>2</b>       | 3  |
|                             | *   |       |      | ĺ    | Commission               |            |       | 22   | 15             | 8  |
|                             | 22  |       |      |      | Other expenses           | • • •      |       | 15   | 13             | 2  |
|                             | _   |       |      |      | <del>-</del> .           |            |       |  |                |    |
| Total                       | £   | 1,010 | 17   | $^2$ | $\operatorname{Total}$   | ,          |       | £972   | 9              | 4  |
|                             | 122 | -     | -    |      | r                        |            |       | Constant of the last of the la |                |    |

#### Inspection.

I inspected this hospital on the 26th August, 1888. Everything was in satisfactory order, except that there were evidences of neglect and incapacity on the part of the gardener and porter. In Miss Swayne's department everything was very clean. The patients, of whom there were six, spoke highly of their treatment both by Dr. Pollen and the matron. The walls have been repainted, and have a very cheerful appearance. A hot-water supply ought to be added, and the baths ought to be enlarged. Here, as elsewhere, the difficulty of keeping refuge cases will cause complications.

## GREY RIVER HOSPITAL.

| The number of Number adm | of patien<br>itted du | nts, 31st M<br>ring the ye | 38 |   | <br>43<br>131 | •       |     |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|----|---|---------------|---------|-----|
| Discharged               |                       | l under tre                |    | • | •••           | <br>116 | 174 |
| Died                     |                       | •••                        |    |   |               | <br>29  |     |
| Remaining, 3             | 1st Mai               | ch, 1889                   |    |   |               | <br>    | 29  |

Localities from which Patients came.—Grey Valley, 64; Greymouth, 34; Brunnerton, 31; Marsden, 24; Teremakau, 11; North Beach, 9; Wanganui, 1.

Sex.—157 males, 17 females.

Country.—England, 46; Scotland, 16; Ireland, 52; New Zealand, 21; Australia, 7; Germany, 4; China, 10; America, 2; Austria, 2; Isle of Man, 2; France, 3; Canada, 2; Sweden, 2; Wales, 2; Azores, 1; Belgium, 1; Spain. 1.

Religion.—Church of England, 66; Presbyterian, 24; Roman Catholic, 62; Wesleyan, 4; Confucian, 9; Church of Christ, 1; Baptist, 1; Lutheran, 3; Salvation Army, 2; Freethinker, 2.

The total collective days' stay in the hospital was 13,818; individual average days' stay, 79.41.

Daily average cost per head, 3s. 9\frac{1}{4}d.; less patients' payments, 3s. 8\frac{1}{2}d. Out-patients, 323; attendances, 752

dances, 752.

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.

|                     | Revenue. | £          | s. | d. | Expenditure.                      |       | £      | s. | d. |
|---------------------|----------|------------|----|----|-----------------------------------|-------|--------|----|----|
| From Government     |          | <br>1,205  | 4  | 11 | Rations                           | • • • | 607    | 19 | 5  |
| From local bodies   |          | <br>275    | 0  | 0  | Wines, spirits, ales, &c.         |       | 87     | 7  | 0  |
| Subscriptions and d | onations | <br>729    | 4  | 10 | Surgery and dispensary            |       | 127    | 17 | 10 |
| Patients' payments  |          | <br>42     | 8  | 7  | Fuel and light                    |       | 111    | 15 | 9  |
| Other sources       |          | <br>15     | 6  | 4  | Bedding and clothing              |       | 66     | 17 | 7  |
|                     |          |            |    |    | Furniture and earthenware         |       | 142    | 14 | 0  |
|                     |          |            |    |    | Salaries and wages                |       | 1,225  | 9  | 6  |
|                     |          |            |    |    | Funerals                          |       | 26     | 8  | 8  |
|                     |          |            |    |    | Repairs                           |       | 91     | 9  | 7  |
|                     |          |            |    |    | Printing, advertising, stationery | ٠     | 63     | 6  | 3  |
|                     |          |            |    |    | Insurance                         |       | 25     | 0  | 0  |
|                     |          |            |    |    | Other expenses                    |       | 36     | 13 | 6  |
|                     |          |            |    |    |                                   |       |        |    |    |
| Total               | l        | <br>£2,267 | 4  | 8  | Total                             |       | £2,612 | 19 | 1  |
|                     | •        |            |    |    |                                   |       |        |    |    |

## INSPECTION.

I inspected this hospital on the 15th February, 1889, and found thirty patients in residencetwenty-five males and five females. There is one feature of this hospital which calls for some remark. In one of the wards of the new part of the building there were nine patients, whose ages ranged from fifty to seventy-one, and who had all been from two to twelve years in the hospital. In the large male ward there were thirteen patients, and of these five were chronic cases—one in hospital six years suffering from asthma, another had been in two years suffering from chronic bronchitis, another three years and a half suffering from paralysis, and so on. It is apparent, therefore, that owing to the fact that there is no suitable refuge for old broken-down miners on the coast the hospitals, and especially the Greymouth hospital, are largely diverted from their proper uses. In the preceding statement it will be observed that the comparatively small average cost per head is so low as compared with other goldfields hospitals mainly because so many of the inmates were there all the year round.

The appearance of the wards is greatly improved as well as the comfort of the patients by the beautiful new beds which have been procured. I was also much pleased to find that the dirt and

slovenliness which I found fault with in some of the wards have entirely disappeared.

## GREYTOWN HOSPITAL.

| Number of pa |         |            | h, 1888 | •••   | •••     | •••   | 1  |    |
|--------------|---------|------------|---------|-------|---------|-------|----|----|
| Admitted dur | ing the | year       | •••     | • • • | • • •   | •••   | 27 |    |
|              | Tosa    | l under tr | eatment |       | • • • • | ~     |    | 28 |
| Discharged   | • • •   |            |         |       | • • • • | •••   | 25 |    |
| Died         | • • •   | ***        | • • •   | • • • | •••     | • • • | 1  |    |
| Remaining on | 31st M  | Iarch, 188 | 9       |       | •••     | •••   | _  | 2  |

The patients came mostly from the Lower Wairarapa and Featherston.

Sex.—26 males, 2 females.

Nationality.—British, 1; Danish, 1; Swedish, 1.
Religion.—Protestant, 27; Roman Catholic, 1.
Total collective hospital days, 545; average individual stay, 19 days. Average daily cost per head, 9s. 10½d.; less patients' payments, 8s. 11d.

|                             | ${ m R}$ | EVEN    | UE . | AND      | EXPENDITURE.              |          |    |    |
|-----------------------------|----------|---------|------|----------|---------------------------|----------|----|----|
| Revenue.                    |          | £       | s.   | d.       | Expenditure.              | £        | s. | d. |
| From Government             |          | 86      | 6    | <b>2</b> | Rations                   | 73       | 18 | 5  |
| Subscriptions and donations |          | .93     | 16   | .6       | Surgery and dispensary    | 10       | 12 | 7  |
| Patients' payments          |          | $^{26}$ | 10   | 6        | Fuel and light            | 6        | 3  | 6  |
|                             |          |         |      |          | Salaries and wages        | 160      | 0  | 0  |
|                             |          |         |      |          | Funerals                  | <b>4</b> | 5  | 0  |
|                             |          |         |      |          | Repairs                   | 1        | 0  | 0  |
|                             |          |         |      |          | Printing, advertising, &c | 5        | 8  | 6  |
|                             |          | -       |      |          | Insurance                 | 3        | 10 | 0  |
|                             |          |         |      |          | Other expenses            | 4        | 13 | 0  |
| Total                       |          | £206    | 13   | 2        | Total :                   | £269     | 11 | 0  |

#### Inspection.

This hospital is plainly but suitably equipped. It contained two patients on the day of my visit, both of whom spoke highly of their treatment. The master and matron did not seem to me very well suited for their duties.

#### NASEBY HOSPITAL.

| Patients rema |         |           | ı, 1888<br> | ••• | ••• | ••• | $\begin{array}{c} 0 \\ 74 \end{array}$ |   |
|---------------|---------|-----------|-------------|-----|-----|-----|--|---|
|               | Total   | under tre | atment      |     |     | ••• | 7                                      | 4 |
| Discharged    |         | • • •     |             |     |     |     | 60                                     |   |
| Died          |         | •••       |             |     |     |     | 10                                     |   |
| Remaining, 3  | 1st Mar | ch. 1889  |             |     |     |     | <del></del>                            | 4 |

Sex.--57 males, 17 females.

Country.—Scotland, 19; England, 15; Ireland, 21; New Zealand, 9; Germany, 2; China, 2; Victoria, 3; France, 1; unknown, 1.

Religion.—Roman Catholic, 21; Church of England, 21; Presbyterian, 29; Chinese, 2;

unknown, 1.

Total collective days' hospital stay, 2,029; average individual stay, 27:42 days. Average cost per head per day, 7s. 2½d.; less patients' payments, 5s. 9½d.

## REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.

| Revenue.                    | £        | s. | d. | Expenditure.               | £        | s. | d. |
|-----------------------------|----------|----|----|----------------------------|----------|----|----|
| From Government             | <br>286  | 9  | 0  | Rations                    | <br>153  | 11 | 3  |
| Local bodies                | <br>200  | 0  | 0  | Wines, spirits, ales, &c   | <br>37   | 16 | 4  |
| Subscriptions and donations | <br>82   | 13 | 2  | Surgery and dispensary     | <br>30   | 3  | 6  |
| Patients' payments          | <br>146  | 13 | 3  | Fuel and light             | <br>40   | 16 | 1  |
| • •                         |          |    |    | Bedding and clothing       | <br>24   | 18 | 10 |
|                             |          |    |    | Furniture and earthenware  | <br>2    | 17 | 9  |
|                             |          |    |    | Washing and laundry        | <br>4    | 10 | 0  |
|                             |          |    |    | Salaries and wages         | <br>359  | 14 | 2  |
|                             |          |    |    | Water                      | <br>. 8  | 0  | 0  |
|                             |          |    |    | Funerals                   | <br>8    | 4  | 0  |
|                             |          |    |    | Repairs                    | <br>33   | 4  | 7  |
|                             |          |    |    | Printing, advertising, &c. | <br>8    | 17 | 0  |
|                             |          |    |    | Insurance                  | <br>7    | 0  | 0  |
|                             |          |    |    | Other expenses             | <br>14   | 0  | 9  |
|                             |          |    |    | <del>-</del>               |          |    |    |
| ${\bf Total} \qquad \dots$  | <br>£715 | 15 | 5  | ${\rm Total} \qquad \dots$ | <br>£733 | 14 | 3  |
|                             |          |    |    |                            |          |    |    |

At my inspection, on the 25th January, I found this institution in a thoroughly satisfactory condition. It is well managed in every respect, and the doctor is most attentive to his patients.

## NAPIER HOSPITAL.

| Number of p<br>Admitted du | patients<br>ring th | s, 31st Marc<br>e year | eh, 1888<br> | <br>, | ٠٠٠   | •••   | $\begin{array}{c} 22 \\ 281 \end{array}$ |     |  |
|----------------------------|---------------------|------------------------|--------------|-------|-------|-------|--|-----|--|
|                            | <sup>™</sup> Tot    | al under tr            | eatment      |       |       |       |  | 303 |  |
| Discharged                 | •••                 | •••                    |              | •••   |       |       | 261                                      | 000 |  |
| Died                       |                     | ***                    | •••          | •••   | • • • | 4 1-4 | 15                                       |     |  |
| Remaining,                 | 31st Ma             | arch, 1889             | ,,,          |       |       |       |  | 27  |  |

Localities from which Patients came.—Hawke's Bay County, 254; other parts of New Zealand, 43; England, 2; Australia, 4.

Sex.—226 males, 77 females.

Country.—England, 91; Ireland, 65; Scotland, 67; Scandinavia, 23; Colonies, 47.

The total collective days' stay in hospital was 8,355; the individual average stay was 27.5 days. Daily average cost per head, 6s. 2½d.; less patients' payments, 4s. 9d. Out-patients, 113; attendances, 637.

|                             | $\mathrm{Re}$ | VENU | E A | ND | Expenditure.                              |             |
|-----------------------------|---------------|------|-----|----|---|-------------|
| Revenue.                    |               | £    | s.  | d. | Expenditure.                              | s. d.       |
| Contributed by Government   |               | 525  | 0   | 0- | Rations 551                               | 18 2        |
| Local authorities           |               | 525  | 0   | 0  |   | 15  2       |
| Subscriptions and donations | • • •         | 489  | 3   | 3  | G J                                       | $10 \ 3$    |
| Bequests                    | • • •         | $^2$ | 0   | 0  | Fuel and light 143                        | 7 10        |
| Rents                       |               | 50   | -8  | 6  | Bedding and clothing 58                   | 9 2         |
| Patients' payments          | • • •         | 198  | 1   | 0  | Furniture and earthenware 52              | 4 0         |
| Other sources               | •••           | 39   | 9   | 0  | Salaries and wages1,005                   | $3 \cdot 0$ |
| Balance, 31st March, 1888   | 1             | ,235 | 12  | 2. | Water 42                                  | 2 6         |
|                             |               |      |     |    |   | 10 - 0      |
|                             | 7-4           |      |     |    | Repairs, and erection of new wards 424    |             |
|                             |               |      |     |    | Printing, advertising, stationery, &c. 47 |             |
|                             |               |      |     |    |   | 17 0        |
|                             |               |      |     |    | Insurance 48                              | 8 3         |
|                             |               |      |     |    | Commission 25                             | 0 6         |
| Total                       | £3            | ,064 | 13  | 11 | Total £2,585                              | 15 1        |

## Inspection.

On the date of my inspection (15th March, 1889) this hospital was found to be in perfect order throughout. It contained fifteen male and eight female patients, all of whom testified to their kind treatment by the nurses and the doctor. The large size of the hospital as compared with the average number of patients necessitates a somewhat costly staff. The doctor gets £450 and a house, the head nurse gets £52, night nurse £45, assistant nurse £30, and fever nurse £36. Besides these, there are a cook, a laundress, two housemaids, a scullery-maid, and gardener. The porter is an old man, who gets 1s. per day.

## HOKITIKA HOSPITAL.

| Number of p<br>Admitted du |            | rch, 1888<br> |     | ••• |     | $\frac{30}{249}$ |     |
|----------------------------|------------|---------------|-----|-----|-----|------------------|-----|
| Direhawad                  | al under t | reatment      | ••• |     |     | 240              | 279 |
| Discharged<br>Died         | <br>•••    | •••           |     | ••• | ••• | 19               |     |

Remaining, 31st March, 1889 ... ... ... ... ... ... 20 The total collective days' stay in hospital was 13,608; individual average stay, 48.77 days. Average daily cost per head,  $48.0\frac{1}{2}$ d.; less patients' payments,  $38.10\frac{3}{4}$ d. Out-patients, 322; attendances, 567.

## REVENUE AND EXPENDIBLE

|                                 | REVENU     | E AN | D EXPENDITURE.                       |  |
|---------------------------------|------------|------|--------------------------------------|--|
| Revenue.                        | £          | s. c | Expenditure. £ s. d.                 |  |
| Amount received from Government | ment 1,667 | 15   | 5 Rations 699 7 3                    |  |
| From local bodies               | 1,003      | 6    | 8 Wines, &c 105 0 6                  |  |
| Subscriptions and donations     | 382        | 18   | 6 Surgery and dispensary 225 7 10    |  |
| Patients' payments              | 108        | 15   | 9   Fuel and light 163 3 6           |  |
| Other sources                   | 27         | 9    | 9 Bedding and clothing 77 11 4       |  |
|                                 |            |      | Furniture and earthenware 20 19 0    |  |
|                                 |            |      | Washing 12 0 0                       |  |
|                                 | ,.         |      | Salaries and wages 1,193 8 4         |  |
|                                 |            |      | Funerals 40 0 0                      |  |
|                                 |            |      | Repairs 73 7 1                       |  |
|                                 |            |      | Printing, stationery, &c 37 4 9      |  |
|                                 |            |      | Interest 6 17 6                      |  |
|                                 |            | ,    | Insurance 35 7 6                     |  |
|                                 |            |      | Other expenses 67 12 0               |  |
|                                 |            |      | 0.050.0.0                            |  |
| à                               | 2          |      | 2,757 6 7                            |  |
|                                 |            |      | Overdraft, 31st March, 1888 229 15 5 |  |
|                                 |            |      | Credit, 31st March, 1889 203 4 1     |  |
| Total                           | £3,190     | 6    | Total £3,190 6 1                     |  |
|                                 |            |      |                                      |  |

#### Inspection.

This hospital, like that at Greymouth, is rapidly being transformed into a refuge for brokendown improvident diggers, and, just as in Greymouth, the average daily cost is brought down by the fact that a large proportion of the inmates are there all the year round. Another unsatisfactory point about the hospital is the extent to which the ticket-system is carried, with the result that rateable property is heavily taxed, and the Government has to pay heavily. With these manifest drawbacks the hospital is well managed, and is in a satisfactory state.

|             |          | INVERCA     | RGILL   | HOSPI   | TAL.  |     | -   | -   |
|-------------|----------|-------------|---------|---------|-------|-----|-----|-----|
| Number of p |          |             |         |         |       | 17  |     |     |
| Admitted du | ring the | year        | ****    | • • •   | • • • | ••• | 147 |     |
|             | Tota     | al under tr | eatment |         |       |     |     | 164 |
| Discharged  | 4 - 4    |             |         | • • • • | • • • |     | 125 |     |
| Died        | •••      |             | • • •   | •••     | •••   | ••• | 18  |     |
| Remaining,  | 31st Ma  | rch, 1889   |         |         |       |     |     | 21  |

Localities from which Patients came.—Invercargill, 32; Bluff, 13; Gore, 3; Winton, 10; Southland County, 87; Wallace County, 7; Lake County, 3; Tuapeka County, 1; Clutha County, 1; Canterbury, 1; unknown, 5.

Sex.—126 males, 88; Feeder 1, 28; Feeder 1, 28; Section 1, 11; Lindard 28; Calving 28; Captured

Nationality.—New Zealand, 33; England, 38; Scotland, 41; Ireland, 32; Colonies, 3; United States, 1; France, 1; Italy, 1; Germany, 2; Denmark, 1; Sweden and Norway, 2; Greece, 1; Finland, 1; China, 5.

Religion.—Roman Catholic, 29; Church of England, 50; Presbyterian, 62; Greek Church, 1; Lutheran, 1; Protestant Dissenters, 5; Confucianism, 4; Buddhist, 1; Church of Christ, 9.

Total collective hospital days, 10,641; individual average stay, 66.88 days. Average daily cost per patient, 4s. 3\frac{3}{4}d.; less patients repayments, 3s. 2d. Out-patients, 914; attendances, 1,769.

|                        |         | 17.1 | VENU | UND | EXPENDITURE | •              |             |           |       |       |          |    |
|------------------------|---------|------|------|-----|-------------|----------------|-------------|-----------|-------|-------|----------|----|
| R                      | evenue. |      | £    | s.  | d.          |                | Exp         | enditure. |       | £     | s.       | d. |
| From Government        |         |      | 912  | 9   | 8           | Rations        |             |           |       | 306   | 1        | 10 |
| From local bodies      |         |      | 643  | 17  | $^{2}$      | Wines, spirits |             |           |       | 21    | 7        | 6  |
| Subscriptions and don  | ations  |      | 156  | 17  | $^{2}$      | Surgery and c  | lispensary  | 7         |       | 109   | 10       | 3  |
| Patients' payments     |         |      | 82   | 12  | 0           | Fuel and light | t           |           |       | 142   | 15       | 8  |
| Other sources          |         |      | 1    | 5   | 7           | Bedding, clotl | hing, and   | furniture |       | 37    | 12       | 4  |
| Medical services to ga | ol      |      | 50   | 0   | 0           | Washing        |             |           |       | 52    | 0        | 0  |
|                        |         |      |      |     |             | Salaries and v | vages       |           |       | 795   | 17       | 11 |
|                        |         |      |      |     |             | Funerals       |             |           |       | 30    | <b>4</b> | 0  |
|                        |         |      |      |     |             | Repairs        |             |           |       | 66    | $^{2}$   | 10 |
|                        |         |      |      |     |             | Printing, adve | ertising, & | ze.       |       | 72    | 7        | 8  |
|                        |         |      |      |     |             | Interest       |             |           |       | 1     | 10       | 3  |
| •                      |         |      |      |     |             | Insurance      |             |           |       | 9     | <b>4</b> | 6  |
|                        |         |      |      |     |             | Other expense  | es          |           | • • • | 123   | 12       | 11 |
| Total                  | •••     | £1   | ,847 | 1   | 7           |                | Total       | •••       | £     | 1,768 | 7        | 8  |
|                        |         | ===  |      |     |             |                |             |           |       |       |          |    |

## Inspection.

There is no change calling for remark in either the management or condition of this hospital since my last visit, except that the steward's health is now so uncertain that I am doubtful of his ability any longer to discharge his duties. The doctor's house is very comfortable. The dispensary and other accessories are splendid, not to say extravagant, while the patients are kept in the old wards which ought to have been gutted and rearranged. I believe, however, it is only want of funds that prevents this oldest part of the building from being put in a similar condition with the other parts. I found the ventilation of the wards still very defective, and I hope that something will be done to improve this before my next visit.

## KUMARA HOSPITAL.

| Number of pa | • • •   | 6          |         |     |       |       |    |
|--------------|---------|------------|---------|-----|-------|-------|----|
| Admitted dur | ing the | • • •      | •••     | 39  |       |       |    |
|              | Tota    | l under tr | eatment |     |       |       | 45 |
| Discharged   | •••     |            | • • • • | ••• | • • • | • • • | 33 |
| Died         | • • •   | • • •      | •••     | ••• | • • • | •••   |    |

Number remaining, 31st March, 1889 Localities from which Patients came.—Westland County and Charitable Aid District, 33; Christchurch Road, 4; Ross, 1; Stafford, 1; Grey County, 6.

Sex.—35 males, 10 females.

Nationality.—English, 11; Irish, 11; Scotch, 7; Germans, 3; Chinese, 2; Swedes, 1; United States Americans, 1; Colonials, 8.

Total collective hospital days, 3,140; individual average stay, 69.77 days. Average daily cost per patient, 4s. 9\darkterrowda.; less patients' repayments, 4s. 5\darkterrowda. Out-patients, 42; attendances, 236.

| REVENUE | AND | EXPENDITURE |
|---------|-----|-------------|

|                     | Revenue.  |     | ${\mathfrak L}$     | s. | d. | Expen                      | diture. |       | £    | s.              | d. |
|---------------------|-----------|-----|---------------------|----|----|----------------------------|---------|-------|------|-----------------|----|
| From Government     |           |     | 377                 | 15 | 10 | Rations                    |         |       | 167  | 5               | 6  |
| From Board          |           |     | 180                 | 5  | 6  | Wines, spirits, &c.        |         |       | 11   | 0               | 6  |
| Subscriptions and d | lonations |     | 232                 | 3  | 6  | Surgery and dispensary     |         |       | 16   | 2               | 6  |
| Patients' payments  |           |     | 52                  | 8  | 6  | Fuel and light             |         |       | 41   | 0-              | 6  |
| other sources       |           |     | 5                   | 0  | 0  | Bedding and clothing       | • • •   |       | 1    | 8               | 0  |
|                     |           |     |                     |    |    | Furniture and earthenwa    | are     |       | 2    | 13              | 0  |
|                     |           |     | •                   |    | *  | Salaries and wages         |         |       | 420  | 8               | 6  |
|                     |           |     |                     |    |    | Funerals                   |         |       | 10   | 0               | 0  |
|                     |           |     |                     |    |    | Repairs                    |         |       | 28   | 13              | 0  |
|                     |           |     |                     |    |    | Printing, advertising, &c. |         |       | 31   | $1\overline{4}$ | 0  |
|                     |           |     |                     |    |    | Interest and exchange      | ,       |       | 3    | 12              | 9  |
|                     |           |     |                     |    |    | Insurance                  |         |       | 8    | 15              | 0  |
|                     |           |     |                     |    |    | Other expenses             | • • •   | • • • | 8    | 2               | 0  |
| Tota                | 1         |     | <del></del><br>£847 | 13 | 4  | $\cdot$ Total              |         |       | £749 | 15              | 3  |
| 2000                | •         | - T |                     |    |    | 10001                      | •••     | •••   | ~120 |                 |    |
|                     |           |     |                     |    |    |                            |         |       |      |                 |    |

#### INSPECTION.

On the day of my visit, the 15th February, 1889, this hospital contained six male and two female patients. Of the six males one was a blind man, sixty-two years of age, who had been eighteen months in the hospital; another was seventy-five years of age, and had been eight months in the hospital; and another had been four months. One of the female patients was an old woman suffering from chronic bronchitis. The condition of the hospital and its surroundings was very satisfactory, and it was clear that every detail was carefully looked after. The master and his wife seemed to me capable of managing a much larger institution.

## LAWRENCE HOSPITAL.

| Number of p<br>Admitted du | atients c<br>ring the | n 31st<br>year | March, 188 | 88<br> |     |     | 13<br>140  |
|----------------------------|-----------------------|----------------|------------|--------|-----|-----|------------|
| Discharged                 | Total                 | under          | treatment  |        |     |     | 153<br>131 |
| Died                       | • • •                 | • • • •        |            | •••    | ••• | ••• | 14         |
| Total remain               | ing, 31st             | Marcl          | ı, 1889    |        | ••• |     | 8          |

All the patients came from Tuapeka County.

Sex.—111 males, 42 females.

Nationality.—England, 27; Scotland, 36; Ireland, 26; Colonial, 50; China, 6; France, 2;

Germany, 2; America, 2; Poland, 2.

Religion.—Not recorded.

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Total collective number of hospital days, 5,127; individual average stay, 33½ days. Daily average cost per head, 4s. 3d.; less repayments by patients, 3s. 2½d. Out-patients—individuals, 58; attendances, unknown.

|                                       | Reven  | UE A | AND | EXPENDITURE.                    |       |                   |          |          |
|---------------------------------------|--------|------|-----|---------------------------------|-------|-------------------|----------|----------|
| Revenue.                              | £      | s.   | d.  | Expenditure.                    |       | £                 | s.       | d.       |
| Amount received from Government       | t 672  | 18   | 0   | Rations                         |       | 330               | 9        | 3        |
| From local bodies                     | 214    | 16   | 3   | Wines, spirits, ale, and porter |       | 36                | 5        | 6        |
| · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · |        | 10   | 0   | Surgery and dispensary          | • • • | 93                | 16       | 3        |
| Patients' payments                    | 248    | 19   | 3   | Fuel and light                  |       | 90                | 15       | 9        |
| Other sources                         | 8      | 8    | 0   | Bedding and clothing            |       | 55                | 19       | <b>2</b> |
|                                       |        |      |     | Furniture and earthenware       | •• ,  | 6                 | 0        | 0        |
|                                       |        |      |     | Washing                         |       | 1                 | 0        | 0        |
|                                       |        |      |     | Salaries and wages              |       | 361               | 0        | 0        |
| •                                     |        |      |     | Water                           |       | 10                | 0        | 0        |
|                                       |        |      | - 1 | Funerals                        |       | 3                 | 13       | 6        |
|                                       |        |      | - 1 | Repairs                         |       | 8                 | 6        | 0        |
|                                       |        |      | - 1 | Printing, advertising, &c       |       | 1.0               | 16       | 9        |
|                                       |        |      | į   | Interest                        |       | 2                 | 9        | 1        |
|                                       |        |      |     | Insurance                       |       | 5                 | <b>2</b> | 6        |
|                                       |        |      |     | Other expenses                  | • • • | 53                | 12       | 6        |
| m 1                                   | 01 157 |      |     | Makal                           | -     | 1 00-0            |          |          |
| Total                                 | £1,157 | ΤŢ   | 6   | ${\bf Total}\qquad \dots$       | æ.    | 1,06 <del>9</del> | 6        | 3        |
|                                       |        |      |     |                                 | 7     |                   |          | _        |

## Inspection.

I inspected this hospital on the 28th January, 1889. All the beds except two in the front male-ward are worn out, and ought to be replaced by Rowcliff's patent beds. The bath is so unnecessarily large that it is impossible to get sufficient hot water for a bath. A great improvement has been effected by draining the fever hospital; the walls which formerly were soaked and dis-

coloured with damp are now quite dry.

There has been no additions to the stock of instruments since my last visit. The record of out-patients is defective, for it does not show the number of attendances, but only the number of individual applicants for advice and medicine. The doctor's duties are very satisfactorily performed, and the matron and male attendant are careful and attentive.

| MASTERTON HOSPITAL.   |         |          |       |       |         |       |    |  |  |
|-----------------------|---------|----------|-------|-------|---------|-------|----|--|--|
| Number of pa          | •••     | 1        |       |       |         |       |    |  |  |
| Admitted dur          | • • •   | 33       |       |       |         |       |    |  |  |
| Total under treatment |         |          |       |       |         |       |    |  |  |
| Discharged            | • • •   | 13.      | • • • | • • • | • • • • | •••   | 32 |  |  |
| Died                  |         | •••      | •••   | •••   | •••     | •••   | 1  |  |  |
| Remaining, 3          | 1st Mar | ch, 1889 | •••   |       | •••     | • • • | 1  |  |  |

Localities from which Patients came.—Wairarapa, 30; Wellington, 2; Hawke's Bay, 2. Sex.—33 males and 1 female.

Nationality.—English, 12; Irish, 9; Scotch, 1; New Zealand, 5; South Africa, 1; Denmark,

1; Australia, 1; Nova Scotia, 1; Wales, 1.

Total collective days' stay in hospital, 1,566; individual average stay, 46 days. Daily average cost per head, 6s. 3½d.; less repayments by patients, 5s. 9½d. No out-patients.

REVENUE AND EXPENDINGE

| u                                | EVEN           | J£Ei £ | TND  | EXPENDITURE.                           | 4       |       |      |    |    |
|----------------------------------|----------------|--------|------|--|---------|-------|------|----|----|
| Revenue.                         | $\mathfrak{L}$ | s.     | d. } | Expense                                | diture. |       | £    | s. | d. |
| Amount contributed by Government |                | 11     | 8    | Rations                                |         |       | 133  | 12 | 11 |
| Subscriptions and donations      | 247            | 9      | 9    | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·  |         |       |      |    |    |
| Patients' payments               | 19             | 10     | 0    |  |         |       | 32   | 13 | 11 |
|                                  |                |        | ,    | Fuel and light                         |         |       | 17   | 16 | 4  |
|                                  |                |        |      | TO a 3 3 to a con 3 at a 1 a 4 to to a |         |       | 24   | 9  | 2  |
|                                  |                |        |      | Furniture and earthenwa                | re      |       |      |    |    |
|                                  |                |        |      | Salaries and wages                     |         |       | 225  | 12 | 6  |
| *                                |                |        |      | Repairs                                |         |       | 6    | 9  | 8  |
|                                  |                |        | - 1  | Printing, stationery, &c.              |         |       | 18   | 6  | 9  |
|                                  |                |        |      | Tharrena                               |         |       | 11   | 0  | 0  |
|                                  |                |        |      |  |         |       | 12   | 3  | 6  |
| *                                |                |        |      | Other expenses                         |         | • • • | 6    | 15 | 8  |
|                                  |                |        |      | ·                                      |         |       |      |    |    |
| Total                            | £550           | 11     | 5    | Total                                  |         | • • • | £489 | 0  | 5  |
|                                  |                |        | i    |  |         |       |      |    | _  |

#### Inspection.

This hospital maintains its high character for the attention which is devoted to the patients and the comfort of all their surroundings. It is well equipped with all necessary appliances for a hospital of its size, and the interest which the trustees take in all its concerns is extremely creditable. A gratifying feature of the management is that the voluntary contributions have enabled the trustees to do without assistance from the local bodies. If only the trustees had elected to do without the Government subsidy instead, they would have given such an example as would have been most beneficial to the country. As it is they deserve great credit for their energy; and the people are to be congratulated on their liberality.

## OAMARU HOSPITAL.

| Number of pa<br>Admitted dur | atients, a | 31st Marcl<br>year | h, 1888<br> | ••• |     | ••• | 11<br>116 |   |
|------------------------------|------------|--------------------|-------------|-----|-----|-----|-----------|---|
| Discharged                   | Total      | under tre          | atment      |     |     |     | 12<br>103 | 7 |
| Died                         | •••        | •••                | *.*         | ••• |     | ••• | 13        |   |
| Remaining, 3                 | 1st Mar    | ch, 1889           |             | .13 | *** |     | 1         | 1 |

Localities from which Patients came.—Oamaru, 67; Merton to Ngapara, 6; Kahanui and Maheno, 17; north of Oamaru, 6; Papakaio, 24; unknown, 7.

Sex.—96 males, 31 females.

Nationality.—England, 36; Scotland, 37; Ireland, 28; New Zealand, 24; Continent, 2.

Total collective number of days' hospital stay, 3,808; individual average stay, 30 days. Daily average cost per patient, 4s.; less repayments by patients, 3s. 8d. Out-patients—individuals, 109; attendances, 327.

#### REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.

| Revenue.                    | 7 | ₽.   | s.   | d:       | Expenditure.                                       |       | £        | s. | d. |
|-----------------------------|---|------|------|----------|--|-------|----------|----|----|
| From Government             |   | 279  | 18   | 9        | Rations  |       | 143      | 2  | 6  |
| Subscriptions and donations |   | 195  | 15   | 2        | Wines, spirits, ale, &c                            | • • • | 44       | 7  | 11 |
| Rents                       |   | 200  | 0    | 0        | Fuel and light                                     |       | 40       | 14 | 5  |
| Patients' payments          |   | 49   | 5    | 6        | Bedding  |       | <b>2</b> | 10 | 5  |
| Other sources               |   | 152  | 2    | 8        | Furniture and earthenware                          |       | 7        | 13 | 9  |
|                             |   |      |      |          | Washing  |       | 13       | 5  | 0. |
|                             |   |      |      |          | Salaries and wages                                 |       | 412      | 14 | 4  |
|                             |   |      |      |          | Funerals   |       | 14       | 17 | 6  |
|                             |   |      |      | <b>#</b> | Repairs  |       | 9        | 3  | 0  |
|                             |   |      |      |          | Printing, advertising, &c                          |       | 12       | 9  | 0  |
|                             |   |      |      |          | Interest   | ,     | 0        | 6. | 0  |
|                             |   |      |      |          | Insurance  |       | 4        | 17 | 0  |
|                             |   |      |      |          | $egin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$ |       | 16       | 10 | 0  |
|                             |   |      |      |          | Other expenses                                     |       | 25       | 7  | 1  |
|                             |   |      |      |          | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·              |       |          |    |    |
| ${\bf Total} \qquad \dots$  |   | £877 | $^2$ | 1        | $\operatorname{Total}  \dots$                      |       | £747     | 17 | 11 |
|                             |   |      |      | -        |  |       |          |    |    |

#### Inspection.

The management of this hospital is extremely satisfactory so far as the actual working is concerned. There is, however, a chronic feud between two rival doctors in the town as to which shall be elected to the hospital. With what seems to me very questionable wisdom the trustees have largely divested themselves of their proper responsibility in regard to this appointment, and left it to the subscribers. The consequence has been that this or that doctor has for some time past been appointed according as his canvas of the subscribers has been the more successfully conducted. The latest phase of this business is that the defeated candidate of last year has commenced an agitation to have himself, as well as his opponent, elected—to divide between them the medical charge of this hospital, with its average of from ten to twelve patients.

Of course it is only a question of degree, to be decided by circumstances when the proper time has come, when every reputable practitioner in a town ought to be admitted to the benefits of hospital practice. It seems to me, however, that in this country, where there is such a lack of controlling professional opinion, it would be unwise to place two rival doctors in a small town like

Oamaru in joint charge of a hospital without a resident surgeon.

## NELSON HOSPITAL.

| Number of p  | atients | remaining   | , 31st Ma | arch, 1888 |       |     | 16  |      |  |
|--------------|---------|-------------|-----------|------------|-------|-----|-----|------|--|
| Admitted du  | ring th | e year      | • • •     |            | • • • |     | 101 |      |  |
|              | Tot     | al under tr | aatmant   |            |       |     |     | 117  |  |
| Discharged   |         |             | eaument   |            | • • • | ••• | 78  | TT ( |  |
| Died         | • • • • | •••         | • • • •   | * * *      | •••   | ••• | 17  |      |  |
| Dieu         | • • •   | •••         | •••       | •••        | • •   | ••• | 7.1 |      |  |
| Remaining, S | 31st Ma | arch, 1889  |           |            |       |     |     | 22   |  |
| ٠,           |         | •           |           |            |       |     |     |      |  |

Localities from which Patients came.—Nelson, Waimea, and Collingwood, 91; Inangahua, 12; Westland, 2; Auckland, 2; Dunedin, 1; Wellington, 1; shipping, 8.

Sex.—73 males, 44 females.

Nationality.—England, 37; New Zealand, 48; Scotland, 10; Ireland, 7; Sweden and Norway, 3; Russia, 1; Italy, 1; Denmark, 1; United States, 1; others, 8.

Religion.—Church of England, 56; Roman Catholic, 14; Presbyterian, 6; others, 41.

Total collective number of hospital days, 7,427; individual average stay, 63 days. Average daily cost per head, 5s. 4d.; less repayments by patients, 4s. 104d. Out-patients—individuals, 876; attendances, 4,380.

### REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.

|                      |        | _  | C013 4 1311 C |    |               | LIZI BRUIL OLUB.          |         |           |        |        |
|----------------------|--------|----|---------------|----|---------------|---------------------------|---------|-----------|--------|--------|
| Re                   | venue. |    | £             | s. | d.            | Expenditure               |         | £         | s.     | d.     |
| Amount received from | Govern |    | 835           | 0  | 0             | Rations                   |         | 416       | 8      | 0      |
| From local bodies    |        |    | 1,006         | 10 | 0             | Wines, spirits, ale, &c   |         | 37        | 7      | 4      |
| Rents                |        |    | 8             | 0  | 0             | Surgery and dispensary    |         | 145       | 15     | 7      |
| Patients' payments   |        |    | 227           | 12 | 4             | Fuel and light            |         | 176       | 6      | 6      |
| From other sources   |        |    | 25            | 0  | 0             | Bedding and clothing      |         | 45        | 10     | 7      |
|                      |        |    |               |    |               | Furniture and earthenware |         | 32        | 3      | $^{6}$ |
|                      |        |    |               | *  |               | Salaries and wages        | ,       | $932_{-}$ | _ 4    | $^{6}$ |
|                      |        |    |               |    |               | Funerals                  |         | 13        | 15     | 0      |
|                      |        | ₹. |               |    |               | Repairs                   |         | 112       | 19     | 9      |
|                      |        | 22 |               |    |               | Printing, stationery, &c  | ٠       | 11        | $^{2}$ | 0      |
|                      |        |    |               |    |               | Other expenses            | • • • • | 57        | 17     | 1      |
| Total                |        |    | £2,102        | 2  | $\frac{1}{4}$ | Total                     | £       | 1,981     | 9      | 10     |
|                      |        |    |               |    |               |                           | ,       |           | -      | -      |

#### Inspection.

I inspected this hospital on the 18th August, 1888, and found that here, as in Greymouth and Hokitika, a large proportion of the cases were chronics who ought not to be in a hospital at all. One of these cases who was blind and paralysed had relatives who ought to be made to pay. As many as six out of fourteen cases in the male-ward were, properly, refuge-cases.

This hospital possesses ample accommodation for a much larger population. The wards are beautifully large and airy, but, especially on the female side, the small number of patients could be accommodated in a space one-third of the size. The hospital-arrangements and appliances, and the

attention of the doctor and nurses, are all that could be reasonably desired.

## NEW PLYMOUTH HOSPITAL.

| Number of p           | patients | remaining   | 31st Ma |         |         |         | 13<br>112 |     |
|-----------------------|----------|-------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|-----------|-----|
| Admitted du           | tring in | e year      |         | • • • • |         | •••     | 112       |     |
|                       | Tot      | al under tr | eatment |         |         |         |           | 125 |
| Discharged            |          | • • •       |         | • • •   |         |         | 103       |     |
| $\operatorname{Died}$ | • • •    |             | • • •   | •••     | • • • • | • • •   | 9         |     |
| D                     | 01.4 %   |             |         |         |         |         |           | 10  |
| Remaining,            | OTSU DIE | исп, 1009   | • • •   |         | • • •   | • • • • |           | 13  |

Localities from which Patients came. Taranaki County, 43; Hawera, 40; New Plymouth Borough, 21; Patea, 2; Wanganui, 2; Wellington, 1; Marton, 1; Napier, 1; Kawhia, 1. Sex.—88 males, 24 females.

Country.—England, 19; Ireland, 18; Scotland, 11; New Zealand, 17; Germany, 8; Poland, 1; Jersey, 1; Cape de Verde Islands, 1; Victoria, 1; Switzerland, 1; Denmark, 1; Natives, 3.

Total collective days' hospital stay, 4,824; individual average days' stay, 38.5. The average

daily cost per head was 7s. 2½d.; less repayments by patients, 5s. 9½d. No record of out-patients.

## REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.

| R                      | evenue.   |       | 0     |    | -               |                |          |            |       |       |    |          |
|------------------------|-----------|-------|-------|----|-----------------|----------------|----------|------------|-------|-------|----|----------|
|                        |           |       | £     | s. | d.              |                | Ex       | penditure. |       | £     | s. | d.       |
| From Government (ap    |           |       | 964   | 1  | $11\frac{1}{2}$ | Rations        | •••      |            |       | 312   | 12 | 1        |
| From local bodies (ap) | oroximate | ely)  | 964   | 1  | $11\frac{1}{2}$ | Wines, spirits | s, &c.   | •••        |       | 69    | 8  | <b>2</b> |
| Donations and subscri  | ptions    | • • • | 19    | 12 | 9               | Surgery and    | dispensa | ıry        |       | 220   | 0  | 9        |
| Rents                  |           |       | 3     | 5  | 0               | Fuel and ligh  | t        | •••        |       | 136   | 7  | 8        |
| Patients' payments     | • • •     |       | 342   |    | 9               | Furniture and  |          | nware      |       | 35    | 12 | 10       |
| Other sources          |           |       | 13    | 15 | 0               | Salaries and   | wages    | •••        |       | 695   | 5  | 4        |
|                        |           |       |       |    |                 | Water          |          |            | • • • | 10    | 0  | 0        |
|                        |           |       |       |    |                 | Funerals       |          |            | • • • | 7     | 19 | 0        |
|                        |           |       |       |    |                 | Repairs        |          |            |       | 44    | 12 | 3        |
|                        |           |       |       |    |                 | Printing, stat | ionery,  | &c.        |       | 42    | 12 | 0        |
|                        |           |       |       |    |                 | Interest       | •••      |            |       | 8     | 3  | 8        |
|                        |           |       |       |    |                 | Insurance      | • • •    |            |       | 24    | 3  | 9        |
|                        |           |       |       |    |                 | Travelling-ex  | penses   |            |       | 55    | 8  | 6        |
|                        |           |       |       |    |                 | Other expens   | es       | ***        | • • • | 76    | 14 | 6        |
| Total                  |           | £2    | 3,307 | 13 | 5               |                | Total    |            | £     | 1,739 | 0  | 6        |

## Inspection.

This hospital is absurdly large for the requirements of the district, and the consequence is, over and above the great waste of money, that the patients are less comfortable than they would be in a smaller building, and that the staff are not able to keep it properly clean. Nothing will ever make it anything else than a great windy series of wide corridors and empty spaces with a few patients scattered over it at wide distances. The labour of keeping it clean, and the distances to be travelled by the nurses, will always be a cause of expense and trouble. The amount of badlylaid linoleum of poor quality that is laid on the passages and wards is something enormous. The circulating boiler in the kitchen is so small for the work it has to do, and the distance from the baths is so great, that no hot water can be got till the cooking is over for the day.

Of the thirteen patients resident on the day of my visit (27th March, 1889), four were cases

not suitable for hospital treatment.

## PICTON HOSPITAL.

| Number of p<br>Admitted du | atients<br>ring th | remaining,<br>e year | 31st M  | Iarch, 1888<br> |     | ••• | $\begin{array}{c} 7 \\ 42 \end{array}$ |    |
|----------------------------|--------------------|----------------------|---------|-----------------|-----|-----|--|----|
|                            |                    | al under tre         | eatment | <del>t</del> .  |     |     | _                                      | 49 |
| Discharged                 |                    |                      |         | •               | ••• | ••• | 39                                     | 43 |
| Died                       | •••                | •••                  |         | •••             | ••• | ••• | 5                                      |    |
| Remaining.                 | 31st Ma            | arch. 1889           |         |                 |     |     |  | 5  |

Localities from which Patients came.—Sounds County, 44; Australia, 2; Wellington, 1; Canterbury, 2; Dunedin, 1.

Sex.-45 males, 4 females.

21H.-3.

Nationality.—England, 21; Ireland, 5; Scotland, 6; Australia, 2; Sweden and Norway, 2; Germany, 2; Syria, 1; New Zealand, 10.

Total collective days' stay in hospital, 2,560; individual average stay, 52<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> days. Average daily cost per head, 3s. 10d.; less repayments by patients, 3s. 63d.

| REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE | REVENUE | AND | EXPENDITURE |
|-------------------------|---------|-----|-------------|
|-------------------------|---------|-----|-------------|

|                     | Revenue.  |     | £    | s. | đ.       | Expenditure.              |       | £    | s. | ${\rm d}.$ |
|---------------------|-----------|-----|------|----|----------|---------------------------|-------|------|----|------------|
| From Government     |           |     | 318  | 2  | 6        | Rations                   |       | 110  | 19 | - 2        |
| From local bodies   | •••       |     | 226  | 13 | 0        | Wines, spirits, ales, &c  | • • • | 16   | 12 | 0          |
| Subscriptions and d | lonations |     | 9    | 0  | 3        | Surgery and dispensary    |       | 8    | 14 | 8          |
| Rents               | •••       |     | 6    | 0  | $\sigma$ | Fuel and light            | •     | 30   | 7  | 9          |
| Patients' payments  |           |     | 35   | 16 | 0        | Bedding and clothing      |       | 6    | 12 | 10         |
| Other sources       | •••       |     | 3    | 17 | 6        | Furniture and earthenware | • • • | 7    | 7. | 5          |
|                     |           |     |      |    |          | Washing                   | • • • | 14   | 15 | 0          |
|                     |           |     |      |    |          | Salaries and wages        | • • • | 213  | 10 | 0          |
|                     |           |     |      |    |          | Water                     |       | 9    | 11 | 0          |
|                     |           |     |      |    |          | Funerals                  |       | 31   | 0  | 0          |
|                     |           |     |      |    |          | Repairs                   |       | 6    | 3  | 6          |
|                     |           |     |      |    |          | Printing, stationery, &c  | • • • | 8    | 4~ | 8          |
|                     |           |     |      |    |          | Travelling-expenses       | • • • | 15   | 2- | - 1        |
|                     |           |     |      |    |          | Insurance                 |       | 5    | 0  | 0          |
|                     |           |     |      |    |          | Other expenses            | • • • | 7    | 9  | 2          |
| Total               | al        | ••• | £599 | 9  | 3        | Total                     |       | £491 | 9. | 8          |

#### INSPECTION.

At my annual visit I found this hospital was carefully looked after by the custodian and his wife. The patients were all satisfied with their treatment, and there is no doubt that they are very comfortable. Last year the total expenditure was £468, while the number of patients admitted during the year was sixteen. This year the number admitted was forty-two, and yet, as shown by the returns, the expenditure was this year only £20 more.

## PATEA HOSPITAL.

| Number of pa | atients r | emaining, | 31st Ma | arch, 1888 | •••   | 1 -   |    |
|--------------|-----------|-----------|---------|------------|-------|-------|----|
| Admitted dur | ing the   | year      | • • •   | •••        | •••   | • • • | 17 |
|              | Total     | under tre | atment  | •••        |       |       | 18 |
| Discharged   |           |           | •••     | • • •      | • • • | • • • | 9  |
| Died         | •••       | •••       | •••     | •••        | • • • |       | 2  |
| Remaining, 3 | 1st Mar   | ch, 1889  | • • •   | •••        |       |       | 7  |

Localities from which Patients came.—Kakaramea to Waitotara.

Sex.—15 males, 2 females.

Nationality.—English, 7; Irish, 3; Scotch, 1; Welsh, 2; Colonial, 3; German, 1. Total collective number of hospital days, 472; individual days' stay, 27. Average daily cost per patient, 12s. 4d.; less repayments by patients, 11s.  $8\frac{1}{2}$ d.

## REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.

|                     | Revenue. |     | £    | s. | d. | Expen                     | diture. |         | £    | s. | d.       |
|---------------------|----------|-----|------|----|----|---------------------------|---------|---------|------|----|----------|
| Contributed by Gove | ernment  |     | 150  | 0  | 0  | Rations                   |         |         | 48   | 9  | 3        |
| Local bodies        |          |     | 150  | 0  | 0  | Wines, spirits, ales, &c. |         |         | 1    | 16 | 0        |
| Patients' payments  |          |     | 14   | 13 | 0  | Surgery and dispensary    |         |         | 3    | 7  | 8        |
|                     |          |     |      |    |    | Fuel and light            | • • •   |         | 10   | 4  | 9        |
|                     |          |     |      |    |    | Bedding, clothing, &c.    |         |         | 4    | 13 | 6        |
|                     |          |     |      |    |    | Salaries and wages        | •••     | • • • • | 190  | 0  | 0        |
|                     |          |     |      |    |    | Funerals                  |         |         | 5    | 17 | 6        |
|                     |          |     |      |    |    | Repairs                   |         |         | 1    | 6  | 0        |
|                     |          |     |      |    |    | Printing, stationery, &c. |         |         | 4    | 2  | <b>2</b> |
|                     |          |     |      |    |    | Insurance                 |         |         | 1    | 10 | 0        |
|                     |          |     |      |    |    | Tree-planting, &c.        |         |         | 20   | 0  | <b>2</b> |
| Total               |          | ••• | £314 | 13 | 0  | Total                     |         |         | £291 | 7  | 0        |

#### Inspection.

I inspected this hospital on the 28th March, 1889, and found in residence six male patients. I was satisfied that both from the doctor and the custodian's wife the patients received every attention. The wife's husband did not seem to me to be of much service to the institution. It will be observed that the daily cost per head of the patients in this hospital is greater than the highest hotel-charges in the colony.

#### REEFTON HOSPITAL.

| Number rema           |         |             | 1, 1888 |       | •••   | •••   | $\frac{10}{76}$ |
|-----------------------|---------|-------------|---------|-------|-------|-------|-----------------|
| Admitted dur          | ing the | year        | • • • • | • • • | •••   | •••   | 70              |
|                       | Tota    | l under tre | atment  | •••   |       | •••   | 86              |
| Discharged            |         |             | •••     | •••   |       | • • • | 73              |
| $\operatorname{Died}$ | •••     | • • •       | •••     | •••   | • • • | •••   | 9               |
| Remaining, 3          | 1st Mar | ch, 1889    |         |       | •••   |       | <b>-</b> -4     |

Locality from which Patients came.—Inangahua County.

Sex.—79 males, 7 females.

Country.—Ireland, 32; England, 19; Scotland, 9; New Zealand, 8; Victoria, 5; China, 3; Germany, 3; France, 2; Wales, 2; United States of America, 1; Finland, 1; Tasmania, 1.\*

Religion.—Roman Catholic, 38; Church of England, 29; Presbyterian, 9; Wesleyan, 6; Chinese, 3; Lutheran, 1.

Total collective number of hospital days, 2,869; individual average stay, 33·33 days. Average daily cost per patient, 8s. 13d.; less repayments by patients, 7s. 51d. Out-patients—individuals,

41; attendances, 281.

#### REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.

| Revenue. $\pounds$ s. d. $ $    | Expenditure. $\pounds$ s. d.          |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| From Government 525 2 5 Rations |                                       |
| Local bodies 100 0 0 Wines,     | spirits, ale, and porter 24 5 6       |
|                                 | y and dispensary 60 9 4               |
|                                 | nd light 56 7 7                       |
| Other sources 4 4 0 Beddin      | g and clothing 37 8 2                 |
| Furnitu                         | ire and earthenware 55 2 6            |
| Washin                          | ng 11 8 1                             |
|                                 | s and wages 519 17 0                  |
| Funera                          |                                       |
| Repairs                         | 38 2 10                               |
| Printing                        | g, stationery, &c 48 13 3             |
| Insurar                         |                                       |
| Commi                           | ssion 17 5 6                          |
| Other $\epsilon$                | expenses 21 14 4                      |
|                                 | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · |
| Total £1,162 4 5                | Total £1,168 6 1                      |
|                                 |                                       |

## Inspection.

I found this hospital in admirable order in all respects. It is a credit to all concerned in its administration. The fact that the item "Subscriptions and donations" amounts to £436 out of a total expenditure of £1,168 sufficiently shows the local appreciation of this institution. It is the most signal instance in New Zealand of the lively interest that is taken all over the goldfields in the local hospital, and indicates the direction of progress to the whole of our hospital districts. Where a hospital is really wanted, and is properly managed, the people will not grudge to support it; or, what is perhaps the truer view, where the local interest is lively, there the local institutions are well managed. I examined the plans for the proposed additions to the hospital and approved, with the understanding that the lean-to at the north end should be so placed as to admit of a bathroom being made available for the female-ward.

## RIVERTON HOSPITAL.

| Number rema<br>Admitted duri            | ining, 31 | .st March,<br>ear | , 1888  |       | •••   |       | 9<br>83 |
|---|-----------|-------------------|---------|-------|-------|-------|---------|
| AZCIIIAUUG GGL                          | 9 )       |                   | •••     | ***   | ***   |       |         |
|   | Total     | under trea        | atment  |       | •••   | •••   | 92      |
| Discharged                              | • • •     |                   |         | • • • | • • • | • • • | 78      |
| Died                                    |           | •••               | • • • • | •••   | •••   | • • • | 4       |
| Remaining, 31                           | lst Marc  | b 1889            |         |       |       |       | 10      |
| 1.0011101111111111111111111111111111111 |           | ,                 | • • • • |       |       |       |         |

Locality from which Patients came.—Wallace County.

Sex.—60 males, 32 females.

Nationality.—Scotch, 15; English, 9; Irish, 16; Chinese, 9; Maori, 2; Austrian, 1; German, 2; Colonial, 38.

Total collective days' hospital stay, 2,953; individual average stay, 32 days: and daily average cost per patient, 5s. 7½d.; less repayments by patients, 5s. 4½d. Out-patients—individuals, 80; attendances, 200.

## REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.

| TO THE PART OF THE |          |        |      |     |                           |   |        |          |            |  |
|--|----------|--------|------|-----|---------------------------|---|--------|----------|------------|--|
|  | Revenue. | £      | g.   | d1  | Expenditure               |   | £      | s.       | d.         |  |
| From Government  |          | 998    | 3 13 | 5   | Rations                   |   | 188    | -6       | 3          |  |
| Local bodies   |          | 646    | 5 5  | 0   | Wines, spirits, ales, &c. |   | 34     | 14       | 8          |  |
| Subscriptions  |          | 181    | 15   | 4   | Surgery and dispensary    |   | 42     | 4        | 11         |  |
| Patients' payments   |          |        | 17   | 0   | Fuel and light            |   | 30     | 1        | 11         |  |
| 1 1  |          |        |      |     | Bedding and clothing      |   | 24     | 17       | 0          |  |
|  |          |        |      |     | Furniture and earthenware |   | 18     | 14       | 0          |  |
|  |          |        |      | - 1 | Washing                   |   | 4      | 10       | 0          |  |
|  |          |        |      | - 1 | Salaries and wages        |   | 367    | <b>2</b> | 6          |  |
|  |          |        |      | ŀ   | Funerals                  |   | 9      | 0        | 0          |  |
|  |          |        |      | - 1 | Printing, stationery, &c. |   | 14     | 11       | 0          |  |
|  |          |        |      |     | Interest                  |   | 4      | 5        | 6          |  |
|  |          |        |      |     | Insurance                 |   | 15     | 19       | <b>1</b> 0 |  |
|  |          |        |      |     | Commission                |   | 64     | 12       | 9          |  |
|  |          |        |      | - 1 | New buildings             |   | 1,499  | 0        | 6          |  |
|  |          | ~      |      | [   | Other expenses            |   | 9      | 8        | . 0        |  |
|  |          |        |      |     |                           |   |        |          |            |  |
| $\operatorname{Tota}$  | 1        | £1,856 | 3 10 | 9   | $oxed{Total} \dots$       | i | £2,327 | 8        | 10         |  |
|  |          |        |      |     |                           | • |        |          |            |  |

#### Inspection.

The new hospital which I dealt with in my last report was not finished at the date of my visit. There is a great waste of space in having two passages to the kitchen, and, what is even a more serious evil, the dining-room is thereby made dependent on borrowed light. The dining-room ought to have occupied the whole width of the building, and access to the kitchen provided by doors opening on each court-yard. The front porch is a useless waste of money; one door would have been better than the three provided. The cost of the hospital is as follows: It was built in two contracts, the first of which was for £898, and the second £740=£1638; extras amounted to £100, and drainage cost £70. Of this sum the trustees had £700 in hand. The furnishing is to be carried out gradually. The old hospital continues to be managed in the old homely, comfortable style.

## ROSS HOSPITAL.

| Patients rem<br>Admitted du |         |              | h, 1888<br> | •••     | ***   |     | 3<br>23 |    |
|-----------------------------|---------|--------------|-------------|---------|-------|-----|---------|----|
|                             | Tot     | al under tre | eatment     |         |       |     | _       | 26 |
| Discharged                  | • • •   | •••          | •••         | •••     | • • • | ••• | 23      |    |
| $\operatorname{Died}$       | • • •   | • • •        | • • • •     | • • • • | •••   | ••• | 1.      |    |
| Remaining,                  | 31st Ma | arch, 1889   | •••         | •••     | •••   | ••• |         | 2  |

Localities from which Patients came. — Ross, 21; Okarito, 2; Gillespie's, 1; Hekitika, 1; Waitangi, 1.
Sex.—25 males, 1 female.

Nationality.—English, 7; Irish, 7; Scotch, 2; Colonial, 4; Scandinavians, 2; Dane, 1; French, 1; Italian, 1; Austrian, 1.

Total collective number of hospital days, 2,114; individual average stay, 81 days. average cost per head, 5s. 11½d. No repayments by patients. Out-patients, none.

#### REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.

| der the total the same and the total |      |               |          |                           |         |       |      |    |    |  |  |
|--|------|---------------|----------|---------------------------|---------|-------|------|----|----|--|--|
| Revenue.   | £    | s.            | d.       | Expen                     | diture. |       | £    | s. | d. |  |  |
| Amount contributed by Government   | 327  | 19            | 8        | Rations and medical con   | nforts  |       | 173  | 12 | 7  |  |  |
| By local authorities   | 181  | 12            | 4        | Surgery and dispensary    |         |       | 21   | 18 | 11 |  |  |
| Subscriptions and donations  | 121  | 19            | 6        | Fuel and light            |         |       | 24   | 12 | 6  |  |  |
| -  |      |               |          | Bedding and clothing      |         |       | 4    | 19 | 8  |  |  |
|  |      |               |          | Salaries and wages        |         | • • • | 335  | 18 | 10 |  |  |
|  |      |               |          | Water                     |         | • • • | 6    | 0  | 0  |  |  |
|  |      |               |          | Funerals                  | •••     |       | 14   | 0  | 0  |  |  |
|  |      |               |          | Repairs                   | • • •   | • • • | 11   | 0  | 6  |  |  |
|  |      |               |          | Printing, stationery, &c. | • • •   | ٠     | 14   | 14 | 6  |  |  |
|  |      |               | į        | Insurance                 |         | • • • | 6    | 2  | 6  |  |  |
|  |      |               |          | Other expenses            | • • •   | • • • | 18   | 11 | 6  |  |  |
|  |      |               | -        | _                         |         |       |      |    |    |  |  |
| Total  | £631 | 11            | 6        | ${f Total}$               | •••     | • • • | £631 | 11 | 6  |  |  |
|  |      | $\rightarrow$ | <u> </u> |                           |         |       | -    |    |    |  |  |

#### Inspection.

I examined this hospital on the 1st February, 1889. I found four patients in residence; two of these were chronic incurables. All spoke highly of their treatment by the doctor and the custodian and his wife. It is a comfortable, homely institution, and is well managed. Like all the West Coast hospitals it will be seen by reference to the figures given above that the individual average stay is very high, reaching in this case eighty-one days for each patient.

## THAMES HOSPITAL.

| Patients rem<br>Admitted du | aining<br>ring tl | g, 31st Marc<br>1e year | h, <b>1</b> 888<br> | ••• | ••• | ••• | 8<br>161 |     |
|-----------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|-----|-----|-----|----------|-----|
| Discharged                  | To                | tal under tre           | eatment<br>         | ••• | ••• | ••• | 146      | 169 |
| Died                        | •••               | · • • •                 | •••                 | ••• | ••• | ••• | 8        |     |
| Remaining,                  | 31st M            | arch, 1889              |                     |     | ••• |     |          | 15  |

Localities from which Patients came.—Thames County and Ohinemuri County. Sex.—125 males, 44 females.

Nationality.—English, 44; Irish, 32; Scotch, 4; Colonials, 82; Foreign, 7. Total collective number of hospital days, 5,172; individual average stay, 30.60 days. The average daily cost per patient was 9s. 14d.; less repayments by patients, 7s. 24d. The number of out-patients was—indviduals, 1,020; attendances, 3,299.

## REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.

| £           | s. c                       | d. [  | Expen   | diture.  |   | £   | s.   | đ.                                      |
|-------------|----------------------------|---|---|--|---|---|--|---|
| nent 1,207  | 4                          | 3   | Rations, fuel, and light                          |  |   | 614   | 9  | 4                                       |
|             | 10                         | 0   | Wines, spirits, ale, &c.                          | • • •  |   | 25  | 12   | 6                                       |
| 74          | 15                         | 6   | Surgery and dispensary                            |  |   | 340   | $^{2}$   | 8                                       |
| $\dots$ 532 | <b>1</b> 9                 | 0   |   |  |   | 133   | 13   | 4                                       |
| 89          | 8 1                        | .0  | Salaries and wages                                |  |   | 942   | 6  | 8                                       |
|             |                            |   | Funerals  |  |   | 12  | 3  | 0                                       |
|             |                            | - 1   | Repairs   |  |   | 144   | 17   | 10                                      |
|             |                            | - 1   | Printing, stationery, &c.                         |  | • • •   | 51  | 7  | 1                                       |
|             |                            | - 1   | Interest  | •••  | .,.   |   | •  | 6                                       |
|             |                            | - 1   | Insurance   | • • •  |   | 20  | 13   | 6                                       |
|             |                            | l   | Rates   |  |   | 23  | 6  | 4                                       |
|             |                            |   | Other expenses                                    | • • •  | • • •   | 46  | 19   | 4                                       |
| £3,011      | 17                         | 7   | Total   | •••  | £2  | 3,402   | 9  | 1                                       |
|             | nent 1,207 1,107 74 532 89 | nent 1,207 4<br>1,107 10<br>74 15<br>532 19 | nent 1,207 4 31,107 10 0 74 15 6 532 19 0 89 8 10 | nent 1,207 4 3 Rations, fuel, and light1,107 10 0 Wines, spirits, ale, &c 74 15 6 Surgery and dispensary Bedding and furniture Salaries and wages Funerals Repairs Printing, stationery, &c. Interest Insurance Rates Other expenses | Rations, fuel, and light   Wines, spirits, ale, &c.   Wines, spirits, ale, &c.   Surgery and dispensary   Bedding and furniture   Salaries and wages   Funerals   Repairs   Printing, stationery, &c.   Interest   Insurance   Rates   Other expenses | nent 1,207 4 3 Rations, fuel, and light 1,107 10 0 Wines, spirits, ale, &c 74 15 6 Surgery and dispensary 89 8 10 Salaries and wages Repairs Printing, stationery, &c Interest Insurance Rates Other expenses | nent 1,207 4 3       Rations, fuel, and light       614         1,107 10 0       Wines, spirits, ale, &c.       25         74 15 6       Surgery and dispensary       340         532 19 0       Bedding and furniture       133         89 8 10       Salaries and wages       942         Funerals       12         Repairs       144         Printing, stationery, &c.       51         Interest       46         Insurance       20         Rates       23         Other expenses       46 | nent 1,207 4 3 Rations, fuel, and light |

## Inspection.

Last year I felt it my duty to animadvert somewhat severely on the system of treating outpatients adopted by the trustees of this hospital. I am informed that recently this evil system has been given up, so that this year I have nothing to find fault with. The condition and management of the institution in all its details is admirable.

## HAMILTON HOSPITAL.

| Number of particle Admitted dur                                     | atients, 31st Marcl<br>ring the year | h, 1888 | ••• | ••• |     | $\frac{8}{74}$ |
|---|--------------------------------------|---------|-----|-----|-----|----------------|
|   | Total under trea                     | tment   |     |     | ••• | 82             |
| $egin{array}{ll} 	ext{Discharged} \ 	ext{Died} & \dots \end{array}$ | •••                                  | •••     | ••• | ••• | ••• | 69<br>6        |
| Remaining, 3  | 1st March, 1889                      | •••     |     | ••• |     | <b>-</b> 7     |

Localities from which Patients came.—Auckland, 2; King Country, 12; Waipa, 30; Raglan, 7; Piako, 7; Waikato County, 24.

Sex.—66 males, 16 females.

Country.—England, 29; Scotland, 6; Ireland, 12; New Zealand, 28; Canada, 1; France, 1; Australia, 2; Sweden, 1; Belgium, 1; Italy, 1.

Religion.—Church of England, 38; Roman Catholic, 25; Presbyterian, 10; Wesleyan, 7;

Church of Christ, 1.

Total collective days' stay in hospital, 2,670; individual average stay, 32.56 days. Average daily cost per patient, 11s. 4d.; deducting repayments by patients, 10s. 3\frac{3}{4}d. Out-patients, 40.

## REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.

|                       | Revenue. | ~          | £    | s. | ď.  | Expenditure.                           | £     | s.     | đ.     |
|-----------------------|----------|------------|------|----|-----|--|-------|--------|--------|
| From Government       |          | 2          | ,381 | 5  | 1   | Rations                                | 182   |        | 1      |
| Local bodies          |          | 2          | ,131 | 0  | 6   | Wines, spirits, &c                     | 16    | 19     | 0      |
| Subscriptions         |          |            | 48   | 12 | 0   | Surgery and dispensary                 | 164   | 17     | 11     |
| Rents                 |          |            | 21   | 0  | 0   | Fuel and light                         | 53    | $^{2}$ | 1      |
| Patients' payments    |          |            | 133  | 8  | 2   | Bedding and clothing                   | 38    | $^{2}$ | 5      |
| Other sources         |          |            | 10   | 1  | 10  | Furniture and earthenware              | 58    | 14     | 7      |
|                       |          |            |      |    | [   | Washing                                | 59    | 4      | 5      |
|                       |          |            |      |    | 48  | Salaries and wages                     | 581   | 11     | 0      |
|                       |          |            |      |    | i   | Water                                  | 45    | 8      | 6      |
|                       |          |            |      |    |     | Funerals                               | 10    | 3      | 6      |
|                       |          |            |      |    |     | Repairs                                | 91    | 18     | . 7    |
|                       |          |            |      |    | .   | Printing, stationery, &c               | 55    | 17     | $^{2}$ |
|                       |          |            | -    |    |     | Travelling-expenses                    | 50    | 13     | 8      |
|                       |          |            | •    |    | 1   | Auckland Hospital                      | 21    | 0      | 0      |
|                       |          |            |      |    |     | Insurance                              | 17    | 5      | 0      |
|                       |          |            |      |    | }   | Rent                                   | 47    | 10_    | 0      |
|                       |          |            |      |    | Į   | Other expenses                         | 17    | $^2$   | 2      |
|                       |          |            |      |    |     |  |       |        |        |
| $\operatorname{Tota}$ | l        | £4         | ,725 | 7  | 7 } | $\operatorname{Total}  \dots  \pounds$ | 1,511 | 11     | 1      |
|                       |          | - Chairman |      |    | -   | -                                      |       |        |        |

#### Inspection.

The new hospital consists of two well-designed wards, with the necessary bath-room and closet accommodation. A fine operating-room, well fitted up, occupies the central position in front, and separated from it by an 8ft. passage are a suitable dispensary and a ward-kitchen. The whole is very suitable for its purpose, the only drawback being that no front-entrance is provided. So long as the approach is through the passage from the old hospital this does not matter, but it will be inconvenient by-and-by. There is no provision for a nurses' room; probably the ward-kitchen will be used for this purpose. The drainage and ventilation have been carefully attended to by Dr. Kenny, and indeed the whole structure is very creditable to him and to the trustees. The management of this hospital is satisfactory in every reconst. ment of this hospital is satisfactory in every respect.

## TIMARU HOSPITAL.

| Number of p<br>Admitted du  | atients<br>ring the | , 31st Marc<br>e year | h, 1888<br> |       |       | ••• | 19<br>197 |     |
|-----------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|-------------|-------|-------|-----|-----------|-----|
|                             | Tot                 | al under tre          | eatment     |       |       | ••• |           | 216 |
| $\operatorname{Discharged}$ |                     |                       |             | • • • |       |     | 192       |     |
| Died                        |                     | • • •                 |             | • • • | •••   |     | 18        |     |
| Remaining,                  | 31st Ma             | arch, 1889            |             |       | * *** |     |           | 6   |

Localities from which Patients came.—All came from the hospital district, except 12 casuals.

Sex.—146 males, 70 females.

Nationality.—English, 94; Irish, 64; Scotch, 54; Swedish, 1; German, 1; French, 1; Chinese, 1.

Religion.—Church of England, 86; Roman Catholic, 58; Presbyterian, 51; Wesleyan, 11;

Baptist, 7; Salvation Army, 1; Freethinker, 1; unknown, 1.

Total collective number of hospital days, 9,005; individual average stay, 41½ days. The average cost per patient was 5s. (?); less repayments, 4s. 5¾d.

#### BEVENUE AND EXPENDITURE

|                             |   | TARABNO | ) Ei 2 | TMD | EXPENDITURE.              |            |                |      |
|-----------------------------|---|---------|--------|-----|---------------------------|------------|----------------|------|
| Revenue.                    |   | £       | s.     | đ.  | Expenditure               | ) <b>.</b> | £ s.           | đ.   |
| From Government             | , | 1,182   | 7      | 10  | Rations                   |            | 524 10         | 8    |
| Local bodies                |   | 1,182   | 7      | 10  | Wines, ale, and spirits   |            | $50 \ 10$      | 0    |
| Subscriptions and donations |   | 10      | 9      | 1   | Surgery and dispensary    |            | 259 9          | 3    |
| Bequest                     |   | 30      | 13     | 8   | Fuel and light            | • • •      | 188 - 7        | 3    |
| Rents                       |   | 11      | 4      | 0   | Bedding and clothing      |            | 58 1           | $^2$ |
| Patients' payments          | ٠ | 240     | $^2$   | 11  | Furniture and earthenware | • • • •    | 30 - 7         | 4    |
|                             |   |         |        |     | Washing                   |            | 28 	 1         | 7    |
|                             |   |         |        |     | Salaries and wages        |            | 784 	 4        | 5    |
|                             |   |         |        |     | Water-supply              |            | 23/17          | 4    |
|                             |   |         |        |     | Funerals                  |            | 7 11           | - 8  |
|                             |   |         |        |     | Repairs                   | •••        | <u>80</u> 6    | 5    |
|                             |   |         |        |     | Printing, stationery, &c  | • • • •    | $34 \ 11$      | 8    |
| <b>4.</b>                   |   |         |        |     | Interest                  | • • • •    | $45 	ext{ } 2$ | 8    |
|                             |   |         |        |     | Insurance ·               | • • •      | 26 - 5         | 0    |
|                             |   |         |        |     | Commission                | •••        | 103 18         | 8    |
| Total                       | · | £2,657  | 5      | 4   | Total                     | £2         | ,245 5         | 1    |

#### Inspection.

I inspected this hospital on the 5th February, 1889, and found it not merely comfortable, but luxurious in all its appointments. No hospital that I have ever seen—except the Prince Alfred Hospital, in Sydney—approaches either this hospital or that of Waimate in this respect. The management of Mr. Jowsey aims at living up to the high standard set for all institutions in Canterbury, and especially South Canterbury, during the time of the Land Fund; and, all things considered, I am rather surprised that he manages to carry on at the cost of 5s. per patient per day. I find by referring to old records that in 1881 each patient cost 5s. 8d. per day for attendance alone.

The doctor and the nurses are most efficient and attentive, and the condition of the institution

and grounds is very satisfactory.

#### WAIMATE HOSPITAL.

| The number of         |            |                 | ing, 31st I | March, 1 | 888     | •••     | 5  |      |
|-----------------------|------------|-----------------|-------------|----------|---------|---------|----|------|
| Admitted duri         | ing the ye | <del>x</del> ar | • • •       | • • •    | • • • • | • • •   | 82 |      |
|                       | m . 1      | , ,             |             |          |         |         |    | 0 17 |
| T):l                  | Total      | ınder tre       | eatment     |          | •••     | • • • • | co | 87   |
| Discharged            | •••        | • • •           | •••         | •••      | •••     | • • •   | 68 |      |
| $\operatorname{Died}$ | • • •      | • • •           | •••         | • • •    | •••     | •••     | 0  |      |
| Remaining 3           | lst March  | 1889            |             |          |         |         |    | 11   |

Locality from which Patients came.—Waimate County.

Sex.—58 males, 24 females.

Country.—England, 25; Ireland, 23; Scotland, 9; Germany, 6; New Zealand, 19.
Total collective days' stay in hospital, 2,273; individual average stay, 26 days. The average daily cost per patient was 8s.; deducting patients' payments, 7s. 24d.

## REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.

| Revenue.                    |    | £    | s. | đ.     | Expenditure.              |         | £        | s.  | d.       |  |
|-----------------------------|----|------|----|--------|---------------------------|---------|----------|-----|----------|--|
| From Government             |    | 368  | 7  | $^{2}$ | Rations                   |         | 135      | 0   | 9        |  |
| Local bodies                |    | 242  | 10 | 0      | Wines, spirits, ale, &c   |         | 26       | 15  | 6        |  |
| Subscriptions and donations |    | 101  | 6  | 9      | Surgery and dispensary    | • • •   | 44       | 8   | 0        |  |
| Patients' payments          |    | 86   | 1  | 6      | Fuel and light            | • • • • | 73       | 6   | 6        |  |
|                             |    |      |    | ,      | Bedding and clothing      |         | 7        | 7   | 8        |  |
|                             |    | 798  | 5  | 5      | Furniture and earthenware | • • •   | <b>2</b> | 1   | 6        |  |
| Balance from previous year  |    | 255  | 13 | 4      | Salaries and wages        | • • •   | 502      | 6   | 3        |  |
|                             |    |      |    |        | Funerals                  | • • •   | • 5      | 5   | 0        |  |
|                             |    |      |    |        | Repairs                   |         | 9        | 15  | 10       |  |
|                             |    |      |    |        | Printing, stationery, &c  | • • •   | 15       | 18  | 3        |  |
|                             |    |      |    |        | Consultation-fees         |         | 7        | 7   | 0        |  |
|                             |    |      |    |        | Dunedin Hospital          |         | 7        | 10  | 0        |  |
|                             |    |      |    |        | Insurance                 |         | 2        | 17  | 4        |  |
|                             |    |      |    |        | Other expenses            |         | 80       | 18  | <b>4</b> |  |
| m- 4-1                      |    | 050  | 10 |        | m. ( 1                    |         | 0000     | 107 |          |  |
| ${\bf Total} \qquad \dots$  | £1 | ,053 | 18 | 9      | ${\rm Total}\qquad \dots$ | •••     | £920     | 17  | ΤŢ       |  |
|                             |    |      |    |        |                           |         |          |     |          |  |

## Inspection.

This hospital is a very satisfactory institution. Dr. Stackpoole is most careful and attentive. Some complaints that I heard I inquired into and found them absolutely baseless. The master and his wife are well fitted for their work, and do it well.

#### WAIPAWA HOSPITAL.

| Patients ren          |                             |              | h, 1889 |     | • • • |         | 10          |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|--------------|---------|-----|-------|---------|-------------|
| Admitted du           | ring $ar{	ext{th}}\epsilon$ | e year       |         |     | • • • | • • • • | 170         |
|                       | •                           |              |         |     |       |         |             |
|                       | $\operatorname{Tot}_{i}$    | al under tre | eatment |     | • • • | • • •   | 180         |
| Discharged            | • • •                       |              |         |     |       |         | 153         |
| $\operatorname{Died}$ | •••                         |              | •••     | ••• | • • • | • • •   | 10          |
|                       |                             |              |         |     |       |         | <del></del> |
| Remaining,            | 31st Ma                     | rch, 1889    |         |     |       |         | 17          |

Locality from which Patients came.—Bush district, 82; Makaretu, 22; Waipawa, 20; Kaikoura, 17; Porangahau, 18; Waipukurau, 8; Napier, 5; Wellington, 3; Auckland, 2; Canterbury, 1; Poverty Bay, 1.

Sex.—160 males, 20 females.

Country.—England, 70 & Scotland, 18; Ireland, 41; New Zealand, 22; Scandinavia, 11; Australia, 8; France, 2; America, 4; Africa, 2; India, 1; Tasmania, 1.

Religion.—Church of England, 109; Roman Catholic, 38; Presbyterian, 19; Lutheran, 1.

Total collective number of hospital days, 5,689; individual average stay,  $31\frac{1}{2}$  days. The average daily cost per head was 4s.  $5\frac{1}{2}$ d.; less repayments by patients, 4s. 1d. Out-patients, none.

| REVENUE | AND | EXPENDITURE. |
|---------|-----|--------------|
|         |     |              |

|                               |                 | . —  |    |      |                           |           |       |             |    |     |
|-------------------------------|-----------------|------|----|------|---------------------------|-----------|-------|-------------|----|-----|
| Revenue.                      | **              | £    | s. | ď.   | Exp                       | enditure. |       | £           | s. | d.  |
| From Government               |                 | 670  | 15 | 11   | Rations                   |           | •••   | 408         | 19 | 10  |
| Local bodies                  |                 | 400  | 0  | 0    | Wines, spirits, ales, &c. | ***       |       | 22          | 15 | 0   |
| Subscriptions and donations   |                 | 185  | 13 | $^2$ | Surgery and dispensary    |           |       | 5           | 2  | 3   |
| Patients' payments            |                 | 106  | 12 | 0    | Fuel and light            |           |       | 75          | 12 | 11  |
| Derived from other sources    |                 | 4    | 8  | 7    | Bedding and clothing      | • • •     |       | 34          | 14 | 1   |
|                               |                 |      |    | ļ    | Washing and laundry       |           |       | 13          | 0  | 0   |
|                               |                 |      |    |      | Salaries and wages        |           |       | <b>5</b> 09 | 3  | 4   |
|                               |                 |      |    | 4    | Funerals                  |           | • • • | 23          | 0  | 0   |
|                               |                 |      |    |      | Repairs and furniture     | •••       |       | 49          | 9  | 9   |
|                               |                 |      |    |      | Printing, stationery, &c. |           |       | 19          | 14 | 8   |
|                               |                 |      |    |      | Interest                  |           |       | 0           | 3. | 10  |
|                               |                 |      |    |      | Insurance                 |           |       | 21          | 0  | 0   |
|                               |                 |      |    |      | Commission                | • • •     |       | 18          | 9  | 6   |
|                               |                 |      |    | İ    | Other expenses            |           |       | 66          | 12 | 8   |
|                               |                 |      |    |      |                           |           |       |             |    |     |
| $\operatorname{Total}  \dots$ | $\mathfrak{L}1$ | ,367 | 9  | 8    | ${f Total} \; \dots$      |           | £1    | ,267        | 15 | _ 9 |
|                               |                 |      | ·  |      | ·                         |           |       |             |    |     |

## Inspection.

This hospital I found to be carefully administered, and most satisfactory in every respect. It is a credit to the district.

## WAKATIPU HOSPITAL.

| Number of p |                      |             | 31st M  | arch, 1888 |       |         | 11     |   |
|-------------|----------------------|-------------|---------|------------|-------|---------|--------|---|
| Admitted du | ring the             | e year      | • • •   | • • •      |       | •••     | 86<br> |   |
|             | $\operatorname{Tot}$ | al under tr | eatment | •••        |       |         | 9      | 7 |
| Discharged  | • • •                | •••         | •••     | •••        | • • • | • • • • | 95     |   |
| Died        | •••                  | •••         |         |            | •••   | •••     | -8     |   |
| Remaining,  | Blst Ma              | arch, 1889  |         | •••        |       |         |        | 9 |

Localities from which Patients came.—Lake District, Vincent County, Southland, and other

parts of Otago.

Sex.—75 males, 22 females.

Total collective hospital days, 3,477; individual average stay, 35.84 days. Daily average cost per patient, 5s. 0¼d.; less repayments by patients, 3s. 9¼d. Out-patients—individuals, 49; attendance 250 ances, 250.

## REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.

| Revenue.                    |                 | £    | s. | d. | Expenditure.               |       | £    | s. | đ. |
|-----------------------------|-----------------|------|----|----|----------------------------|-------|------|----|----|
| From Government             |                 | 412  | 19 | 1  | Rations                    |       | 233  | 0  | 7  |
| From local bodies           |                 | 281  | 7  | 6  | Drugs and medical comforts |       | 80   | 2  | 7  |
| Subscriptions and donations |                 | 108  | 12 | 0  | Fuel and light             |       | 103  | 13 | 6  |
| Patients' payments          |                 | 307  | 14 | 11 | Bedding and furniture      |       | 49   | 10 | 5  |
| <b>.</b>                    |                 |      |    |    | Salaries and wages         |       | 423  | 0  | 0  |
|                             |                 |      |    | i  | Printing, stationery, &c   |       | 3    | 16 | 0  |
|                             |                 |      |    |    | Interest                   |       | 6    | 19 | 0  |
|                             |                 |      |    |    | Insurance                  |       | 6    | 15 | 0  |
|                             |                 |      |    |    | Other expenses             |       | 56   | 5  | 11 |
|                             |                 |      |    |    |                            |       |      |    |    |
| Total                       | $\mathfrak{L}1$ | ,110 | 13 | 6  | Total                      | • • • | £963 | 3  | 0  |
|                             | -               |      |    |    |                            |       |      |    | _  |

## INSPECTION.

I found this hospital in some confusion, owing to the building-operations in progress, but the comfort of the patients was in no way interfered with. Dr. Douglas's attention to his duties is beyond all praise, and is universally acknowledged all through the district.

## WANGANUI HOSPITAL.

| Patients ren<br>Admitted du |         |             | h,`1888<br> | ••• |     | ••• | $\begin{array}{c} 23 \\ 138 \end{array}$ |     |
|-----------------------------|---------|-------------|-------------|-----|-----|-----|--|-----|
|                             | Tot     | al under tr | eatment     |     | ••• | ••• | ,  | 161 |
| Discharged<br>Died          | •••     | •••         | •••         | ••• | ••• | ••• | 132<br>9                                 |     |
| Remaining,                  | 31st Ma | arch, 1889  |             | ••• | ••• |     |  | 20  |

Localities from which Patients came. - Wanganui, 52; district north of Wanganui, 14; district south of Wanganui, 95.

Sex.—13 $\bar{1}$  males, 30 females.

Country.—England, 62; Scotland, 33; Ireland, 40; Germany, 10; Sweden, 5; Denmark, 5; France, 3; American States, 2; Austria, 1.

Religion.—Roman Catholic, 50; Protestant Dissenters, 109.

Total collective days' stay in hospital, 7,235; individual average stay, 44 93 days. Daily average cost per patient, 3s. 9¼d.; less patients' payments, 3s. 3¾d. Out-patients, 37 individuals.

|                        |       | $\mathbf{R}$ | EVENU | UE A | AND | Expenditure.                   |       |      |        |          |
|------------------------|-------|--------------|-------|------|-----|--------------------------------|-------|------|--------|----------|
| Rev                    | enue. | ·            | £     | s.   | đ.  | Expenditure                    |       | £    | s.     | đ.       |
| From Government        | ,     |              | 529   | 13   | 1   | Rations                        |       | 276  | 16     | 9        |
| Local bodies           |       |              | 359   | 11   | 0   | Wines, spirits, ales, &c       |       | 16   | 18     | $^{2}$   |
| Subscriptions and dona | tions |              |       |      |     | Surgery and dispensary         |       | 102  |        | 7        |
| Rents                  |       |              | -253  |      | 0   | Fuel and light                 |       | 77   | 8      | 8        |
| Patients' payments     |       |              | - 166 | 14   | 8   | Bedding and clothing           |       | 57   | $^{2}$ | 8        |
| Other sources          |       |              | 100   | 6    | 6   | Furniture and earthenware      |       | 11   | 0      | 4        |
|                        |       |              |       |      |     | Washing                        |       | 35   | 10     | 9        |
|                        |       |              |       |      |     | Salaries and wages             |       | 536  | 15     | <b>4</b> |
|                        |       |              |       |      |     | Water and other rates          |       | 50   | 17     | 0        |
|                        |       |              |       |      |     | Funerals                       |       | 9    | 0      | 0        |
|                        |       |              |       |      |     | Repairs                        |       | 22   | 16     | 6        |
|                        |       | **           |       |      |     | Printing, stationery, &c       |       | 7    | 15     | 9        |
|                        |       |              |       |      |     | Boarding-out hospital pâtients |       | 69   | 10     | 8        |
|                        |       | x            |       |      |     | Insurance                      |       | 8    | 15     | 0        |
|                        |       |              |       |      |     | Members' travelling-expenses   |       | 47   | . 8    | 10       |
|                        |       |              |       |      |     | Other expenses                 | • • • | 32   | 13     | 7        |
| Total                  |       | £            | 1,409 | 18   | 3   | Total                          | £1    | ,363 | 9      | 7        |

#### Inspection.

This hospital, though old and very unsuitable for its purpose, is very carefully managed. The secretary, Mr. Bamber, takes the greatest possible interest in its working, and to him is largely due the fact that while the comfort of the patients is carefully attended to both by the medical staff and the nurses, yet the cost per patient is relatively very low. The number of patients on the day of my visit was twenty-one—eighteen males and three females. Of these six were chronic cases, showing that here, as in other places, people are sent to the hospital for lack of a suitable refuge. It is probable that the Palmerston district will soon have a hospital of its own, in which case, though the Wanganui Hospital never can be made a good hospital building, yet it may serve the purpose of the reduced district for some time longer.

## WELLINGTON HOSPITAL.

| Patients ren<br>Admitted du | naining,<br>ring the | 31st March<br>year | h, 1888<br> | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | ••• |       | 100<br>809 |     |
|-----------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|-------------|---------------------------------------|-----|-------|------------|-----|
|                             | Tota                 | al under tre       | eatment     |                                       | ,   |       |            | 909 |
| Discharged                  | • • •                |                    | • • •       | • • •                                 |     | • • • | 654        |     |
| $\operatorname{Died}$       | • • •                |                    |             | •••                                   |     |       | 50         |     |
| Remaining,                  | 31st Ma              | rch, 1889          |             |                                       |     |       |            | 105 |

Localities from which Patients came.—Wellington, 640; Wellington district, 40; Hutt, 25; Masterton, 23; shipping, 19; Palmerston, 13; Otaki, 28; Christchurch, 3; Dunedin, 3; Featherston, 3; Hokitika, 2; Wanganui, 2; Napier, 1; Greytown, 1; Kaikoura, 1; Lyttelton, 1; Carterton, 1; Westport 1.

Sex. 556 males, 353 females.

Sex.—556 males, 353 females.

Country.—England, 307; Ireland, 124; Scotland, 64; Colonies, 268; France, 1; Sweden, 7; Portugal, 2; Germany, 9; America, 7; Holland, 1; Italy, 2; Prussia, 4; Russia, 2; Denmark, 1; Japan, 1; Norway, 4; China, 1; Africa, 1; Hungary, 1; Belgium, 1.

Religion.—Church of England, 404; Roman Catholic, 187; Presbyterian, 85; Wesleyan, 56; Baptist, 18; Congregational, 5; Lutheran, 9; Salvation Army, 23; Plymouth Brethren, 6; Hebrew, 4; Catholic Apostolic, 1; Chinese, 1; Freethinker, 10.

Total collective number of hospital days, 31,009; individual average stay, 34·12 days Daily average cost per patient, 4s. 3\frac{3}{4}d.; less patients' payments, 4s. 2\frac{3}{4}d. Out-patients—individuals 1.160; attendances, 3.640

individuals, 1,160; attendances, 3,640.

## REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.

| From Government . Local bodies . Voluntary contribution Bequests Rents | senue s | 3,803<br>538<br>50<br>1,320 | 14<br>16<br>2<br>0 | d. 1<br>8<br>5<br>0<br>5<br>9<br>4 | Expenditure. Rations Wines, spirits, &c Surgery and dispensary Fuel and light Bedding and clothing Furniture and earthenware Washing Salaries and wages Water Funerals Repairs Printing, stationery, &c. |     | £ 2,006 134 678 576 317 72 287 2,245 121 55 108 74 | 0<br>2<br>19<br>7<br>13 | d. 7 1 2 0 1 10 6 0 0 1 5 |
|--|---------|-----------------------------|--------------------|------------------------------------|--|-----|--|-------------------------|---------------------------|
|  |         |                             |                    |                                    | Insurance Other expenses   | ••• | 18<br>584  | 2<br>18                 | 6<br>5                    |
|  |         | ۵                           |                    | -                                  | Buildings Furniture, chief ward Drainage Loan repaid   |     | 7,282<br>199<br>738<br>95<br>2,489                 | 9<br>5<br>8<br>0<br>1   | 8<br>0<br>6<br>7<br>4     |
| Total .  | £       | 11,830                      | 6                  | 8                                  | Total  | £1  | 10,804   | 5                       | 1                         |

## Inspection.

Comparing this hospital with the other large hospitals of the colony, I find that its average cost per patient per day is 4s.  $2\frac{3}{4}$ d., while in Auckland the average is 2s.  $8\frac{3}{4}$ d., in Dunedin 2s.  $10\frac{1}{4}$ d., and in Christchurch 5s.  $6\frac{1}{2}$ d. The individual average stay of patients is in Auckland  $34\cdot72$ , in Dunedin  $42\cdot2$ , in Christchurch  $37\cdot43$ , and in Wellington  $34\cdot12$ . In Christchurch and Wellington the public feeling seems to demand a higher standard of comfort than in the other two large centres. The following figures will show how these hospitals compare in the consumption of milk and eggs, and the prices paid for these articles:—

| Hospitals.                     | Milk and<br>Eggs.  | Price paid.                 | Daily Consumption.     | Yearly Consumption.           | Total.                         |
|--------------------------------|--|-----------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Auckland {                     | Milk<br>Eggs   | 6d. gallon<br>11‡d. dozen   | 42 gallons<br>7 dozen  | 15,330 gallons<br>2,555 dozen | £ s. d.<br>383 5 0<br>119 15 3 |
|                                |  |                             |                        |                               | 503 0 3                        |
| Christchurch $\left\{ \right.$ | Milk<br>Eggs   | 5d. gallon<br>1s. 1d. dozen | 20 gallons<br>8 dozen  | 7,300 gallons<br>2,920 dozen  | 158 3 4<br>152 1 8             |
|                                |  |                             |                        |                               | 310 5 0                        |
| Dunedin $\left\{ \right.$      | $egin{array}{lll} 	ext{Milk} & \dots \ 	ext{Eggs} & \dots \end{array}$ | 5d. gallon<br>1s. dozen     | $8\frac{1}{2}$ dozen   | 10,950 gallons<br>3,102 dozen | 228 2 6<br>155 2 0             |
|                                |  |                             |                        |                               | 383 4 6                        |
| Wellington $\left\{ \right.$   | $egin{array}{ll} 	ext{Milk} & \dots \ 	ext{Eggs} & \dots \end{array}$  | 9d. gallon<br>1s. 2d. dozen | 30 gallons<br>10 dozen | 10,950 gallons<br>3,650 dozen | 410 12 6<br>212 18 4           |
|                                |  |                             |                        |                               | 623 10 10                      |

Probably the cost per head in Dunedin will rise when the necessary staff is as completely organized as it is in the other hospitals; but it is to be hoped that the good example of Auckland in the matter of economy will be followed rather than that of Christchurch. There is a good deal of slackness in the matron's department, and a large staff of nurses requires much firmer government.

The practice of admitting persons indiscriminately to visit the patients in Wellington Hospital is a serious abuse, which ought to be limited at once, and put under stringent rules. During one of my visits the crowds, especially in the children's ward, were beyond all reason, and had a very bad effect on the patients.

Great credit is due to Dr. King for the effective way in which he remedied the drainage of the hospital. The honorary staff work with the utmost harmony, and leave nothing to be desired in the attention which they pay to their hospital duties.

## WESTPORT HOSPITAL.

| Number of p<br>Admitted du |         |            | g, 31st Ma | arch, 18 | 888    |      | 12<br>58 |
|----------------------------|---------|------------|------------|----------|--------|------|----------|
|                            | Ü       |            | treatment  |          |        |      | 70       |
| Discharged                 |         |            |            |          |        |      | 48       |
| Died                       |         | •••        | •••        |          | •••    | •••• | 10       |
| Remaining,                 | 31st Ma | arch, 1889 | ·          |          |        |      | —<br>12  |
| e from which               |         |            |            | and dis  | strict |      | _        |

Localities from which Patients came.—Westport and district.

Sex.—65 males, 5 females.
Total collective number of hospital days, 3,854; individual average stay, 55 days. Daily average cost per patient, 5s. 11½d.; less patients' payments, 5s. 4¼d. Out-patients, 40.

|                    | •        | $\mathbf{R}\mathbf{r}$ | VENU       | Œ A | ND | Expenditure.                      |
|--------------------|----------|------------------------|------------|-----|----|-----------------------------------|
|                    | Revenue. |                        | £          | s.  | d. | Expenditure. $\pounds$ s. d.      |
| From Government    | •••      |                        | 513        | 5   | 0  | Rations 299 13 4                  |
| Local bodies       | • • •    |                        | 513        | 5   | 0  | Wines, spirits, &c 37 2 6         |
| Patients' payments |          |                        | 118        | 17  | 1  | Surgery and dispensary 74 4 3     |
| Other sources      |          |                        | 6          | 5   | 0  | Fuel and light 33 19 6            |
|                    |          |                        |            |     |    | Bedding and clothing 10 11 3      |
|                    |          |                        |            |     |    | Furniture and earthenware 11 10 6 |
|                    |          |                        |            |     |    | Salaries and wages 514 12 9       |
|                    |          |                        |            |     |    | Funerals 41 10 0                  |
|                    |          |                        | st.        |     |    | Repairs 93 17 5                   |
|                    |          |                        |            |     |    | Printing, stationery, &c 23 6 3   |
|                    |          |                        |            |     |    | Interest 1 4 4                    |
|                    |          |                        |            |     |    | Insurance 10 0 0                  |
| m.,,,,             |          |                        |            |     |    |                                   |
| Total              | ***      | £1                     | ,151       | 12  | 1  | Total £1,151 12 1                 |
|                    |          |                        | و و السائد | _   |    |                                   |

#### INSPECTION.

Like other hospitals on this coast, the Westport Hospital is tending to become a refuge for broken-down miners. On the day of my visit there were twelve patients, half of whom were chronics, some having been many years in the hospital. All spoke highly of the treatment they received both from the doctor and the custodian. Considering how badly the building is adapted for its purpose, the cleanliness and comfort of every part was satisfactory.

TABLE showing Admissions, Discharges, &c., of Patients at Hospitals, for Year ended 31st March, 1889.

| Macro   Macr | Hospitals    | als. |     | No. of<br>Patients    | No. of<br>Patients | Total under | No.         | Deaths        | No.<br>remaining      | Sex.       | ×.    | Total<br>Collective        | Individual    | Daily<br>Average Cost | No. of Outdo         | No. of Outdoor-patients. |
|--|--------------|------|-----|-----------------------|--------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------|-----------------------|------------|-------|----------------------------|---------------|-----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|
| mn         mn<   | 11414        |      |     | on<br>March 31, 1888. | I.                 | Treatment.  | discharged. |               | on<br>March 31, 1889. |            | Eri   | Days' Stay<br>in Hospital. |               | of<br>Patient.        | Individual<br>Cases. | Attendances.             |
| wm         13         51         52         51         44         15         14         35         1788         38.8         8         0         No record           a         110         922         14         15         17         14         35         1783         38.8         8         0         No record           a         110         922         111         924         115         12         14         35         1783         38.8         8         0         No record           und         110         922         44         115         12         35.17         177         35.17         37.7         40.7         17.1         40.7         17.1         40.7         17.1         40.7         17.1         40.7         17.1         40.7         17.1         40.7         17.1         40.7         17.1         40.7         17.1         40.7         17.1         40.7 <th< td=""><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td>ļ</td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td></th<>  |              |      |     |                       | ļ                  |             |             |               |                       |            |       |                            |               |                       |                      |                          |
| math         110         188         1452         188         11         162         188         11         162         188         11         162         188         11         162         188         11         162         188         11         162         188         11         162         188         188         11         162         188         188         18 <t< td=""><td>Karoa</td><td>:</td><td>:</td><td>ı, c</td><td>17</td><td>252</td><td>19</td><td>ତୀ (</td><td></td><td>13</td><td>ന</td><td>788</td><td>35.8</td><td></td><td>No record</td><td>No record</td></t<>   | Karoa        | :    | :   | ı, c                  | 17                 | 252         | 19          | ତୀ (          |                       | 13         | ന     | 788                        | 35.8          |                       | No record            | No record                |
| 11   | chlurton     | :    | :   | . <del>.</del>        | 198                | 20.5        | 82.         |               | - (                   | 40,        | 200   | 1,892                      | 20.26         |                       | :                    | :                        |
| muchele  | nobland      | :    | :   | 15                    | #01<br>000         | 140         | #77         | 18            | Oř.                   | 132        | 13    | 787,187                    | 19.72         |                       |                      | :                        |
| 1  | Tonboim      | :    | :   | OTT                   | 202                | 1,012       | 80g         | 93<br>93      | cII                   | 628        | 27.7⊈ | 55,145                     | 34.72         |                       | 461*                 | 6,379                    |
| March   Marc | hennenn      | :    | :   | FT.                   | 88.0               | 717         | 06 :        | 41 .          | 18                    | 97         | 15    | 3,897                      | 37.           |                       | :                    | :                        |
| 1  | Territoria   | :    | :   | 41 2                  | 80 6               | 325         | 6           | ₹ :           | <u>о</u>              | 33         | :     | 1,411                      | 44.           |                       | :                    | :                        |
| 1  | nristenuren. | :    | :   | 96                    | 592                | 648         | 202         | 43            | 86                    | 420        | 172   | 24,258                     | 37.43         |                       | 353                  | 1,314                    |
| 1  | oromandel    | :    | :   | C7                    | 88                 | -<br>08     | 24          | က             | က                     | -<br>08    | :     | 1,292                      | 43.           |                       | 34                   | 113                      |
| 1  | romwell      | :    | :   | 4                     | 65                 | 69          | 64          | ന             | 63                    | 69         | :     | 1,062                      | 16.84         |                       | ന                    | 12                       |
| 1          | unedin       | :    | :   | 87                    | 874                | 196         | 775         | 80            | 106                   | 503        | 971   | 36,945                     | 42.5          |                       | 9.109                | 5,699                    |
| 3         1         4         1         1         1         2         66         9         1         1         2         66         9         1         1         2         6         9         1         1         2         6         9         1         1         2         6         9         1         1         2         6         9         1         1         2         6         9         1         1         2         6         9         1         1         2         6         9         1         1         2         6         9         1         1         2         6         9         1         1         2         6         9         1         4         9         1         4         9         1         4         9         1         4         9         1         4         9         1         4         9         1         4         9         1         4         9         1         4         9         1         4         9         1         4         9         1         4         9         1         4         9         1         1         1         1  | )unstan      | :    | :   | က                     | 46                 | 49          | 330         | 4             | 9                     | 41         | œ     | 1,608                      | 39.16         |                       | No record            | No record                |
| uth  | risborne     | :    | :   | 20                    | 103                | 108         | 96          | ŷ             | . 6                   | 16         | 17    | 9,648                      | 94.5          |                       | 2000                 | nidoor our               |
| n         1         27         86         6         7         44         89         96  | reymouth     | :    |     | 43                    | 131                | 174         | 116         | 0.            | 066                   | 157        | 17    | 25,61                      | 76-62         |                       | 000                  | 044                      |
| m         8         74         82         69         6         7         44         88         2 670         875         11 47         About 40           gill         8         249         270         6         7         44         88         10         814         68         46         90         90         11         47         46         91         91         82         91         91         82         91         82         91         82         91         82         91         91         82         91   | reytown      | :    |     | -                     | 27                 | 8           | 26          | -             |                       | 96         | · C   | 545                        | 10.46         |                       | 90                   |                          |
| 4         13         29         29         29         13         29         25         24         13         15 </td <td>Lamilton</td> <td></td> <td>: ;</td> <td>000</td> <td>7.4</td> <td>2</td> <td>9</td> <td>1 92</td> <td>1 5</td> <td>4</td> <td>3 00</td> <td>079 6</td> <td>20.56</td> <td></td> <td>A hout 40</td> <td></td>  | Lamilton     |      | : ; | 000                   | 7.4                | 2           | 9           | 1 92          | 1 5                   | 4          | 3 00  | 079 6                      | 20.56         |                       | A hout 40            |                          |
| 8911         17         147         164         195         18         21         126         88         10,641         66.88         4         89         45         93         45         93         18         10,641         66.88         4         89         42         89         18         11         42         5,127         80         6,247         4         89         94         42         89         94         4         89         94         48         99         94         4         89         6         24         4         89         6         24         4         89         6         24         4         89  | Tokitika     | : :  | : : | 30                    | 249                | 626         | 940         | ာင္           | - 6                   | H          | 3     | 13,608                     | 48.77         |                       | OF TOOK              |                          |
| The color of the | nvercargill  | ; ;  | : : | 2.1                   | 147                | 164         | 195         | 2 0           | 3 6                   | 106        | ă     | 10,000                     | 66.99         |                       | 420                  |                          |
| 13   140   153   154   | Tumara       | : :  | : ; | · '                   | 68                 | 45.         | 86          | a re          | 15                    | 2 6        | 3 -   | 3 140                      | 60.77         |                       | 476                  |                          |
| $\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$   | awrence      | : :  | :   |                       | 140                | 153         | 131         | 2             | - α                   | 1.5        | OT CV | 7,197                      | 1 4.00<br>0 0 |                       | 4 H                  | Z500                     |
| mouth         22         281         368         261         15         27         226         77         8,385         27,45         6 27         113         113         113         114         74         74         74         74         74         74         77         8,385         27,45         6 27         113         113         114         17         8,385         27,42         6 27         115         115         117         78         9         13         13         13         14         1,437         6 27         14         7,427         6 27         15         16         6 27         17   | Tasterton    | : :  | : : |                       | e e e              | 34          | 68          | # <del></del> | · -                   | 1 6        | 7     | 1 566                      | 46.           | ာင်                   | 8                    | DTODAL OUT               |
| mouth         1         74         74         74         60         10         4         57         17         2,029         27,49         7         24         15         16         17         26         17         26         4         4         7,427         68         7         4         7         4         7         24         7         24         876         17         24         876 <t< td=""><td>Tapier</td><td></td><td>: :</td><td>25</td><td>283</td><td>303</td><td>196</td><td>1 10</td><td>26</td><td>966</td><td>77</td><td>200,00</td><td>97.57</td><td>4 C</td><td></td><td></td></t<>  | Tapier       |      | : : | 25                    | 283                | 303         | 196         | 1 10          | 26                    | 966        | 77    | 200,00                     | 97.57         | 4 C                   |                      |                          |
| $\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$   | Taseby       |      | : : | ;                     | 74                 | 74          | - 6         | 97.           | 7                     | 22         | 17    | 000,6                      | 67.76         | 4.0                   | eri<br>eri           |                          |
| $\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$   | Telson       | : :  | : : | 191                   | 101                | 117         | 78          | 17            | 1 66                  | 3 2        | 44    | 7,022                      | 63.           | 41 Z                  | 978                  |                          |
| $\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$   | Tew Plymouth | : :  | : : | 22                    | 113                | 195         | 103         | 6             | 1 65                  | ο α<br>• α | 76    | 200, 7                     | 88.50         | 10                    | No *000**            | No *000*d                |
| $\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$   | amaru        | :    | : : | I                     | 116                | 127         | 103         | <u>.</u>      | 7.5                   | 96         | 18    | 808                        | 86.66         | 2 <u>-</u>            | 100                  | 766<br>397               |
| n         7         42         49         39         5         45         45         45         5.260         52.94         310            11         86         97         80         8         9         75         22         3,477         35.84         5 64         49           10         10         86         73         9         4         70         7         2,869         38.38         8 14         40           10         8         161         169         78         4         10         60         32         2,869         38.38         8 14         40           10         8         161         169         78         4         10         60         32         2,869         38.38         8 14         41           10         19         197         146         8         15         125         44         5,172         30.6         9 14         10.00           10         19         197         180         153         10         17         160         9,005         44.938         3         46.938         1.14         1.100         80         9         1.14         1.14<   | atea         | :    | :   | -                     | 17                 | 18          | 6           | , c.          |                       | 9          | , c.  | 479                        | .26           | 4                     | 3                    | 3                        |
| $\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$   | icton        | :    | :   |                       | 42                 | 49          | 33          | ı             | · 1C                  | 5.4        | 4     | 9.560                      | 59.94         | · Ç                   | :                    |                          |
| 10   | neenstown    | :    |     | 11                    | 98                 | 26          | 8           | α             | 0                     | 72         | 66    | 3 477                      | 35.84         |                       | . 07                 | 950                      |
| 9         83         92         78         4         10         60         32         2,953         32         5 74         80  <  | Reefton      | :    | :   | 10                    | 76                 | 98          | 73          | 6             | 4                     | 62         | 7     | 2,869                      | 200.00        |                       | 4 1                  | 283                      |
| $\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$   | iverton      | :    | :   | 6                     | 83                 | 92          | 78          | 7             | 10                    | 9          | 32    | 2,953                      | 32.           |                       | i &                  | 00%                      |
| $\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$   | soss ;       | :    | :   | က                     | 23                 | 26          | 23          | -             | <b>C</b> 3            | 25         | =     | 2,114                      | 81.3          |                       | <b>?</b>             |                          |
| $\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$   | hames        | :    | :   |                       | 191                | 169         | 146         | ø             | 15                    | 125        | 44    | 5,172                      | 9.08          |                       | 1.020                | 3,999                    |
| $\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$   | 'imaru       | :    | :   |                       | 197                | 216         | 192         | 18            | 9                     | 146        | 70    | 9,005                      | 41.69         |                       | 525                  | 3.570                    |
| $\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$   | Vaimate      | :    | :   | 20                    | 83                 | 87          | 89          | æ             | 11                    | 63         | 24    | 2,273                      | 26.           |                       | :                    |                          |
| $\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$   | Vaipawa      | :    | :   | 10                    | 170                | 180         | 153         | 10            | 17                    | 160        | 20    | 5,689                      | 31.6          |                       | :                    | : :                      |
| $\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$   | Vanganui     | :    | :   | 23                    | 138                | 161         | 132         | 6             | 20                    | 131        | 30    | 7,235                      | 44.938        |                       | 37                   | :                        |
| $ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$  | Vellington   | :    | :   | 100                   | 608                | 606         | 754         | 20            | 105                   | 556        | 353   | 31,009                     | 34.12         |                       | 1,160                | 3.640                    |
|  | Vestport     | :    | :   | 12                    | 58                 | 02          | 48          | 10            | 12                    | 65         | ž     | 3,854                      | 55.           |                       | 40                   | :                        |
| 61,18 612,602 617, 602,519 61,102 61,102   | Totals       | -    |     | 708                   | G 497              | 7 1/12      | K 014       | ii<br>ii      | 322                   |            |       | 020 020                    |               |                       | 1 1 1                | 303                      |
|  |              |      | :   | 3                     | 6, 6               | 011(1       | 5,013       | 000           | 3                     | :          | :     | 202,319                    | :             | :                     | o, (15)              | 00,000                   |

Table showing Receipts on Account of Hospitals during the Year ended 31st March, 1889.

|                       |                | Hospitals. |          |     |         | From<br>Government. | From<br>Hospital Boards<br>and Local<br>Authorities.         | Voluntary<br>Contributions. | Bequests.          | Rents.          | Payments by<br>Patients. | Other<br>Sources. | Balance from<br>last Year. | Total Receipts.  |
|-----------------------|----------------|------------|----------|-----|---------|---------------------|--|-----------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|--|
|                       |                |            |          |     |         | £ s. d.             | £ s. d.  | £ s. d.                     | £ s. d.            | £ s. d.         | £ s. d.                  | £ s. d.           | £ s. d.                    | £ s. d.  |
| Akaroa*               | :              | :          | :        | :   | :       |                     |  | :                           | :                  | :               |                          | :                 | :                          |  |
| Arrowtown             | :              | :          | :        | :   | :       | 232 3 104           |  | 105 2 6                     | :                  | :               | 9                        | 9 9 8             | :                          | 589 2 1  |
| Ashburton             | :              | :          | :        | :   | :       | 431 4 0             | 0  | 2 1 0                       | :                  | :               | <del>, ,</del>           |                   | :                          | 11   |
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|                     | Destps. |   | :         | : :                    | :                  | :                          | :            | : :             | : :                       | :        | :          | : :                  | : :  | :                        | :             |                         | :                     |           | :             | ::                               |               | · · ·               |          |  | : [           | :                           |               | : _         |
| 110qtesW -          | Cases.  |   | :         | : :                    | :                  | :                          | :            | : :             |                           | :        | :          | : :                  | . "  | :                        | I             |                         | :                     | :         | :             | ::                               | :             | :                   | :        |  | :             | :                           | :             | :           |
| WOSERN              | Destps. |   | :         | : :                    | :                  | :                          | :            |                 | : :                       |          | H          |                      | : :  | :                        | Н             |                         |                       | :         | :             | ::                               | :             | :                   | :        | ::   | :             | :                           | :             | :           |
| .Nelson.            | Cases.  |   | :         | : :                    | :                  | :                          | :            | :               | : :                       | • 0      | n<br>H     | : :                  | : :  | :                        | 81            |                         | (4)                   |           | 3             | ::                               | :             |                     | :        |  | :             | :                           | :             | :           |
|                     | Deaths. |   |           |                        |                    | :                          | :            |                 | : :                       | :        |            |                      |  | :                        |               |                         | :                     |           | : [           | ::                               |               | :                   |          | : :  |               | : *                         | ٠.            | :<br>:      |
| Blenheim            | Cases.  |   | :         | : :                    | :                  | :                          | ;            | :               | : :                       | :        | ;          | : :                  | : :  | :                        |               |                         | :                     | 7         | Н             | ::                               |               | :                   | :        |  | :             |                             | H             | ∞           |
|                     | Deaths. |   | ;         | : :                    | :                  | :                          | :            |                 | : :                       |          | :          |                      | : :  | :                        | :             |                         | :                     | :         | :             | ::                               |               | :                   | :        | ::   | :             | : ,                         | н             | ы           |
| Picton.             | Cases.  |   | :         | : :                    | :                  | :                          | :            | :               | : :                       | :        | :          | : :                  | : :  | :                        | :             |                         | :                     | :         | :             | ::                               | :             |                     | :        | : :  | :             | :                           | н             | H.          |
|                     | Deaths. | *************************************** | :         | : :                    | :                  | :                          | ;            | :               | : :                       | :        | :          | :                    | : :  |                          | :             |                         | ę.                    | :         | :             | ::                               | :             | :                   | :        | ::   | :             | : _                         | :             | :           |
| Greytown            | Cases.  |   | :         | : :                    | :                  | :                          | :            | :               | : :                       | :        | :          | :                    | : :  | :                        | :             |                         | : :                   | :         | : [           |                                  | :             | :                   |          |  | :             |                             | Н             | H           |
| 'uoa                | Deaths. |   | :         | : :                    | :                  | :                          |              |                 | : :                       | :        | ;          | :                    |  | :                        | :             |                         |                       | :         | :             | ::                               | :             | :                   | :        | : :  | :             | :                           | :             | :           |
| -Master-            | Cases.  |   | :         | : :                    | :                  | :                          | :            | :               | : :                       | :        | :          | ;                    | : :  | :                        |               |                         | : :                   | 67        | 63            |                                  |               | :                   | :        |  |               | PROPERTY AND ADDRESS OF THE | Н             | н           |
| ina                 | Deaths. |   | :         | : :                    |                    | :                          | :            | :               | : :                       |          | :          | :                    | : :  |                          | :             |                         | : :                   | :         |               | ::                               | :             |                     | :        | : :  | :             | :                           | :             | :           |
| -sgasW              | Cases.  |   | :         | : :                    | :                  | :                          | :            | :               | : :                       | :        | н          | :                    |  | :                        | 5             |                         |                       |           |               | ::                               | :             |                     |          |  | :             |                             | 6             | <u></u>     |
| tou.                | Deaths. |   |           | : :                    |                    | :                          | •            | :               |                           | •        |            | :                    | •  | ) :                      | 4             | - COOK N . S. S.        |                       | -         |               |                                  |               | :                   | _        | ::   |               | H                           | Н             | C1          |
| -gailioW            | Cases.  |   | :         |                        | I                  | :                          | :            | :               | : :                       | :        | 3          | :                    | 2 6  | 5:                       | 47            |                         | . 4                   | 1         |               | : H                              | H             |                     | :        | acarama a  | :             | 27                          | 51            | 78          |
| kurau.              | Deaths. |   | :         | :                      |                    |                            | :            | :               | : :                       | ÷        |            | :                    | : :  |                          | :             |                         |                       | •         | ·             |                                  | :             |                     | :        |  |               | H                           | :             | H           |
| -uqisW              | Cases.  |   | :         |                        | : :                | : :                        | :            | :               | : :                       | ÷        | :          | • 4                  | ט יע   | · :                      | OI            |                         | : :                   |           | 3             | : :                              | :             |                     | :        |  | :             |                             | and as colors |             |
|                     | Deaths. |   | :         |                        |                    |                            |              |                 | : :                       | :        | :          |                      | . 7  |                          | 2             |                         | : :                   |           | ы             |                                  |               | ļ                   |          |  |               | :                           | :             |             |
| Napier.             | Cases   | -                                       | :         | : -                    | :                  | . 01                       | :            | :               | : :                       | 7        | н          | :                    | . 27   | 00                       | 41            |                         | · "                   | н         | 4             | : :                              | :             |                     |          |  |               | :                           | τÜ            | 5           |
|                     | Deaths. |   | :         | :                      |                    |                            | ÷            | :               |                           | ÷        | :          | :                    | : :  |                          | :             |                         | : :                   | :         | :             |                                  |               |                     |          |  | :             | :                           | :             |             |
| Patea.              | Cases.  | -                                       | :         | :                      | : :                | : :                        | :            | :               | : :                       | :        | :          | :                    | : :  | : :                      |               |                         | : :                   | :         | :             | ; ;                              |               |                     |          |  | :             | :                           |               |             |
| Plymouth            | Deaths. | -                                       | ;         | :                      |                    | : :                        | :            | :               | : :                       | :        | :          | :                    |  |                          | н             |                         |                       | :         | :             |                                  |               |                     | :        |  | :             | :                           | :             | :           |
| Wew                 | Cases.  |   | :         | :                      | : :                | : :                        | :            | :               | : :                       | :        | :          | :                    | : [  | ` :                      | 7             |                         |                       | :         | :             | ::                               |               | -                   | :        | : :  | ;<br>         | :                           | H             | Н           |
|                     | Deaths. |   | :         | :                      |                    |                            |              |                 | : :                       | :        | :          | :                    | . H  | •                        | П             |                         | : :                   |           | Ι             | ::                               | :             | :                   |          | ::   | :             | :                           | :             | :           |
| Gishorne            | Cases.  |   | :         | :                      | : :                | : :                        | :            | :               | : :                       | :        | :          | :                    | . E  | · :                      | 13            |                         | : :                   | н         | Н             |                                  | Ŀ             |                     |          | : :  | :             | -                           |               |             |
| Market Street Color | Deaths. |   | :         | :                      | : :                | : :                        | :            |                 | : :                       | :        | :          | :                    | : :  |                          | :             |                         | : :                   | :         | :             | ::                               | :             | :                   | :        | ::   | :             | :                           | :             | :           |
| Waikato             |         |   | <u>.</u>  |                        |                    |                            | •            | _               |                           |          |            |                      | . H  | :                        | H             |                         |                       | :         | :             | H :                              | H             |                     | :        | ::   | :             | m                           | :             | 3           |
|                     | Cases.  |   | :         |                        |                    |                            |              | •               |                           | •        | •          | •                    |  | •                        | :             |                         | · ·                   | :         | :             | ::                               |               |                     | :        |  | -             | :                           | -             |             |
| 100                 | Deaths. |   |           | •                      | . :                | . :<br>-~                  |              | •               | • •                       |          | •          | •                    | -1 ~   |                          | II.           |                         | <u>.</u> .            |           | 4             | <u> </u>                         |               | <u> </u>            |          |  | <u> </u>      | <u>i</u>                    |               | •           |
| Thames.             | Cases.  |   | :         | :                      | : :                |                            | :            | :               | : :                       | :        |            | :                    | COURT COME   |                          |               |                         |                       |           |               | ::                               | ,<br>,        |                     |          |  | :             | :                           | :             |             |
|                     | Desths. | -                                       |           |                        |                    |                            |              |                 | : :                       | :        | :          | ;                    | : 2  | :                        | 2             |                         | : :                   | :         | :             | ::                               | :             | :                   | :        | : :  | :             | :                           | :             | :           |
| Coro-<br>mandel.    |         | -                                       |           | •                      |                    |                            |              | •               |                           | •        | •          | :                    | . 4  | F :                      | 4             |                         | ::                    | :         | :             | ::                               | 1:            | :                   | :        | ::   | :             | :                           | :             | :           |
|                     | Cases.  |   | •         | •                      |                    |                            | •            | •               |                           |          | •          | -                    | •  | ,                        | 13            |                         |                       | H         | H             |                                  | -             |                     | Mark Co. | ***************************************                | :             | 8                           | COMPANIES OF  | (1          |
| וזיירעומוות         | Deaths. |   | :         | :                      | : :                | : :                        | :            | :               | : :                       | :        | :          | :                    | •  | ٠                        |               |                         | <del>- 4</del><br>: : |           | - 6           | ::                               | <u> </u>      |                     | :        |  |               | 56                          | 22            | 84-         |
| Auckland            | Cases.  |   | :         | :                      | : :                | 12                         | :            | ;               | : :                       | :        | :          | : '                  | 103  | ? :                      | 711           |                         | :                     |           |               | ::                               | :             | <u> </u>            | :        | . :  | :             |                             |               | 4-          |
| <u></u>             |         |   | :         | :                      | : :                | : :                        | :            | :               | : :                       | :        | :          | :                    | : :  | :                        | :             |                         | : :                   | :         | :             | ::                               | :             | :                   | :        | nc<br>uc   | :             | : o                         | :             | :           |
|                     |         |   |           |                        |                    |                            |              |                 |                           |          |            |                      |  |                          |               |                         |                       |           |               |                                  |               |                     |          | tatic  |               | Heer                        |               |             |
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| č<br>o              |         | M                                       |           |                        | 4ï                 | rlat                       |              |                 |                           |          | 1          | ver                  | nec  | Dise                     | er 1          | .—L                     |                       |           | ler           |                                  | ler 🤅         | i                   |          | r E  | ler           | 5.—<br>:ture                |               | der .       |
| Orders Diseases &c  | 2       | ORDER I.—Miasmatic                      | :         | :                      | ras.               | Sca                        | <i>.</i> :   | I.              | : 42                      | :        | : [        | Lre<br>Jof           |  | tic                      | Total Order 1 | ORDER 2.—Diarrheal.     | ુ :                   | :         | Total Order 2 | Order 3-<br>t Fever              | Total Order 3 | Окрек 4.<br>nobia   |          | othe   | Total Order 4 | Orner 5.—Vencreal.          | :             | Total Order |
| Į.                  | (a1)    | RDEI                                    |           |                        | Sose               | rer (                      | ver          | Feve            | con                       |          |            | 111                  | ver  | sma                      | tal           | RDE                     | 770                   |           | otal          | )RDI<br>Fev                      | otal          | RDE<br>bia          |          | ever<br>and  | otai          | ORIJ<br>:a, S               |               | otal        |
| à                   | 5       | Ö                                       | XO        | Chicken-pox<br>Measles | Epidemic Rose-rash | Scarlet Fever (Scarlatina) | Typhus Wever | Relapsing Fever | unuenza<br>Whooping-cough | )<br>,,, | Diphtheria | Cerebro-spinal Fever | Simple and ill-defined Fe<br>Enteric Fever (Typhoid) | Other Miasmatic Diseases | $T_0$         | ORDER<br>Cimple Cholera | Ga C                  | tery      | Ĭ             | ORDER<br>Remittent Fever<br>Ague | ĭ             | ORDE<br>Hydrophobia | ers      | Splenic Fever Cow-pox and other Effects of Vaccination | Ĭ             | 0                           | ្ព            | Ţ           |
|                     |         |   | Small-pox | Chicken<br>Measles     | dem                | rlet                       | shus         | Relapsing       | oob                       | Mumps    | ohth<br>-  | ebr                  | iple<br>Feric  | ler ]                    |               | وأرة                    | Diarrhoea             | Dysentery |               | mitt<br>ue                       |               | 'dro                | Glanders | leni<br>w-p  |               | Syphilis<br>Gonorrh         | Groin         |             |
|                     |         |   | Sm2       | Ç<br>Z<br>Ç            | Epi                | Sca                        | TyF          | Rel<br>Fel      | Wh                        | Mu       | Dif        |                      |  | <del>1</del> 5           |               |                         |                       |           |               | Remit<br>Ague                    |               |                     |          |  |               | Sy<br>G                     |               |             |
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| -88                 | Cla     | 1                                       |           |                        |                    |                            |              |                 | 'SE                       | IS       | EV         | SI                   | D  | JIC                      | LOW           | XZ                      | OR                    | $\Xi$     | RII           | C LEB                            | CIEI          | Aq2.                |          | i.   |               |                             |               |             |

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| -communea. | •sə•            | Total Cas |                       | ::                       | w -  | 17   | :                                 | 7          |                          | 30                                 | 37                           | 12  | 367           | I                       | 37                    | 19            | 9                                | 6             | ::  | ::   | :              | 8                  | 133      | 223          |
|            |                 | Deaths.   | C-MINISTER STATE      | : :                      |  | : :  | : :                               |            |                          |                                    |                              | : :   | :             | :                       | : :                   | :             | : :                              | :             | ::  |  | :              |                    | :        | :            |
| 000        | Riverton.       | Cases.    |                       | ::                       | :  | ::   | ::                                | :          | ::                       | ::                                 | :                            | : :   | :             | :                       | ::                    | :             | ::                               | :             | ::  | ::   | :              | :                  | :        | :            |
| - 1        | cargill.        | Deaths    | Market Spirit Spirite |                          |  | : :  | : :                               | :          |                          | : :                                |                              | : :   | :             | . :                     | : :                   | :             | ::                               | :             | ::  | : :_   | :              | :                  | :        | :            |
| rear       | -toval          | Cases.    |                       | ::                       | :  | ::   | ::                                | :          | ::                       | ::                                 | H                            | ::  | T             | :                       | :                     |               | ::                               | :             | ::  | ::   | :              | :                  | :        | :            |
| <u>a</u>   |                 | Deaths.   |                       |                          |  | : :  | ::                                |            |                          | : :                                | :                            |   | :             | :                       | : :                   | :             |                                  | :             |   |  | :              | :                  |          | * :          |
|            | Гамтепсе        | Cases.    |                       | ::                       | :  | ::   | ::                                | :          | : :                      | ::                                 |                              | :   | 9             | :                       | ۳<br>:                | 1             | :                                | =             | ::  | ::   | :              | :                  | :        | :            |
| during.    |                 | Deaths.   | -                     | : :                      |  |  | : :                               |            |                          | : :                                |                              |   | :             | :                       | : :                   | :             | ::                               | :             | : ;   |  | :              |                    |          | :            |
|            | Naseby.         | Cases.    |                       | ::                       | :  | : :  | ::                                | :          | : :                      | ::                                 | :                            |   | :             |                         | ∺ :                   | H             | ::                               | :             | ::  | ::   | :              | :                  | :        | :            |
| Colony     | Wakatipu        | Deaths.   |                       | : :                      | :  | <u>:</u> :                                       | ::                                | :          | : :                      | ::                                 | :                            | : :   | :             |                         | H :                   | H             | ::                               | :             | ::  | ::   | :              | :                  | :        | : :          |
| 5          | 1               | Cases.    | *COMPOSES             |                          |  |  | ::                                | :          |                          | : :<br><del>: :</del>              |                              | : :   | . 2           |                         | ::                    | C1            | : :                              | :             | : :   | : :  |                | :                  |          | :            |
| rine       | -worrA<br>town. | Deaths.   |                       | • •                      | · ·  | <del></del>                                      | • •                               | <u>:</u>   | · ·                      | <del>· ·</del>                     | •                            | · ·   |               |                         | : :<br>H :            | ;             | ::                               | ·<br>  :      |   | ::   | :<br>  :       | :                  | :<br>:   | •<br>  :     |
| _<br>∃  -  | .               | Deaths.   |                       |                          | · ·  | <del>: :</del>                                   | ::                                | :          | · ·                      | : :                                |                              | -   | ·<br>:        |                         | ::                    | :             | ::                               | :             | ::  | <del>::</del> :  | :              | :                  | :        | :            |
| B.         | Crom well       | Cases.    |                       | ::                       | :  | ::   | ::                                |            | : :                      | : :                                | :                            | ::  | :             | _                       | н:                    | H             | ::                               | :             |   | ::   | :              | :                  | :        | ;            |
| nospitais  |                 | Deaths,   |                       | : :                      |  |  | ::                                | :          |                          | : :                                |                              | · :   | н             | :                       | : :                   | :             | ::                               | :             | ::  | .::  | :              | :                  | :        | :            |
| SOL        | , Dunstan,      | Cases.    |                       | : :                      | :  | : :  | ::                                | :          | :::                      | : :                                | : '                          | ٠;  | 71            |                         | ::                    |               |                                  | :             | ::  | ::   | :              | :                  | :        | :            |
| •          | mpaun a         | Deaths.   |                       | : :                      | :  | ::   | ::                                | :          | ::                       | ::                                 | •                            | 4 :   | 4             |                         | : :                   | :             | ::                               | :             | ::  | ::   | :              | :                  | :        | :            |
| varrous    | Dunedin         | Cases.    |                       | ::                       | :  | ::   | ::                                | :_         | ::                       | : :                                | Η;                           | <del>:</del> :                                    | 12            | :                       | ::                    |               | : "                              | . 21          | ::  | ::   | :              | 12                 | 14       | 26           |
|            | Oamaru          | Deaths.   |                       | ::                       |  | :::  | ::                                | :          | :::                      | ::                                 | : '                          | T :   | н             | •                       | H :                   | -             | ::                               | :             | ::  | ::   |                | :                  | :        | :            |
| Ξ.         | arcare()        | Савев.    |                       |                          |  | : :  | : :<br><del>: :</del>             | m<br>·     | : :                      | : :                                | : '                          | ^ :   | 8             |                         | ٠: ١                  | 2             | ::                               |               | -   |  | :              |                    | Η .      | Н.           |
| Ξ [.       | Vaimate V       | Deaths.   |                       | • •                      | <u>.                                    </u> | · ·  | • •                               | <u>:</u>   | • •                      | <del>· ·</del>                     | · •                          | · ·   | 7             | <u> </u>                | : :<br>::             |               | ::                               | ·<br>  :      | ::  | ::   | <u>'</u>       | :<br>  :           | :        |              |
| Cause      |                 | Cases.    |                       |                          | •  | : :  |                                   | :          | : :                      |                                    |                              |   | H             | _                       | ::                    | :             |                                  |               | ::  | : :  |                |                    | :        | :            |
|            | Timaru.         | Cases.    |                       | ::                       | :  | ::   | ::                                | :          | : :                      | : :                                | : : *                        | <del>-</del> :                                    | н             | 1                       | ::                    |               | ::                               | :             | ::  | ::   | :              | 5                  | н        | <del>-</del> |
| במכוו      | <u> </u>        | Deaths,   |                       | : :                      | •  | : :  | ::                                | :          | : :                      |                                    | :                            | -   | :             | :                       | : :                   | :             | ::                               | :             | ::  | ::   | ·              | :                  |          | :            |
|            | Ashburtor       | Cases.    |                       | : :                      |  | : :  | ::                                |            | : : (                    | ٠: ٢                               | : (                          | ય :   | 4             | :                       | : :                   | :             | ::                               | <u>:</u>      |   | ::   | :              | :                  | :        | :            |
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|                | Nelson.             | Cases,    | - <del>-</del> 8 +                                 | ин                       | : :                             | : : :                                 | : 2                 | +                | ::                                       | 1:   | ::                                   | ::                 | ::                   | +-   | <br>  :             | 121              |                                     | . н र             |  | _!                | 107            |
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| during         | Blenheim.           | Cases.    | 6.8  | нн                       | ::                              | : : :                                 | 4 [                 |                  | ::                                       | 1:   | ::                                   | ::                 | ::                   | <del> </del>                                     | :                   | 171              | ; H                                 | : 00              |  | 1                 | 115            |
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| in t           |                     | Cases.    | н .  | •                        | • •                             | • • •                                 |                     | ;+-              | ::                                       |  |                                      |                    | : :                  | +  | 1 :                 | H                |                                     |                   |  | ·  <br>-   :      | 6              |
|                | Master-<br>ton,     | Deaths.   | 7  | и н                      | ::                              | : : :                                 | 9 7                 |                  | <del>: :</del>                           | <u>:</u><br>  :                                  | <u> </u>                             | ::                 | ::                   | +:   | <u> </u>            | 17               | :                                   | : : -             | : : :  |                   | 39             |
| Hospitals      | , ,                 | Cases.    |  |                          | : :                             |                                       |                     | -4               | ::                                       | :  |                                      | <del></del>        | ::                   | +:   |                     | H :              |                                     |                   |  | · H               | <u>ω</u>       |
| dso            | Wanya.<br>Jun       | Deaths.   | 19   |                          | : :                             | · · ·                                 | H C                 | _                | ::                                       | ·<br>  :   | · ·                                  | · · ·              | ::                   | H  | ·<br>  :            | 30               | 1 : 0                               |                   | • • •  | S   14<br>        |                |
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| and            | Thames.             | Cases.    | 25<br>1  | 01 H                     | ::                              | : : :                                 | H   %               | 5                | ::                                       | :  | ::                                   | ::                 | ::                   | :  | :                   | 30               | : 4                                 | ::                | 91   | 27                | 175            |
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| seat           | Coro-<br>mandel.    | Deaths.   | - 2  |                          | • •                             |                                       | ·                   | ı                | ::                                       | <u> </u>   |                                      | <u>··</u>          |                      | :  |                     | 5                |                                     | :                 |  | <del></del>       | 1 00           |
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| of             |                     | Deaths.   | 9:   | н а                      | : :                             | : : :                                 | :   °               |                  | Ι:                                       | н  | ٠:                                   | ::                 | ::                   | I  | :                   | 11               | : "                                 | : : :             | :::  | i m               | 91             |
| es             | Anckland.           | Cases,    | 134  | H                        | : •                             |                                       | : 146               | +                | <del>H</del> :                           | н  | 0 0                                  | 4 :                | •                    | 8  | :                   | 155              | . 23                                | 32.7 +            | , =  | 64                | 926            |
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| mb             |                     |           | gence  | ::                       | ::                              | :::                                   | : :                 | :                | ::                                       | :  | ::                                   | ::                 | ::                   | :  | :                   | :                | ::                                  | : : :             | :<br>ified   | :                 | :              |
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| ; <del>t</del> | ,                   |           |  |                          |                                 |                                       | н                   | -H0;             |  | 61   | _S                                   |                    |                      | 3  | -Ex                 | VII              | nan                                 | 1                 | d  | VII               | als            |
| showing        | Orders Diseases &c. | 1         | 1.—Accident<br>Contusions<br>Jounds                | ٠.                       |                                 |                                       | se<br>Total Order 1 | 2                | ugh<br>le                                | Total Order 2                                    | . s                                  |                    |                      | Total Order                                      | Order 4.—Execution. | Total Class VII. | .y, 1                               | я<br>Энг<br>Энг   | nasc   | Total Class VIII. | General Totals |
| 10W            | rdere               |           | ontr<br>und  | • •                      | • •                             |                                       | . 0                 | ORDER 2          | nsla<br>3attl                            | 101  | Order 3.<br>Wounds                   | ::                 | • •                  | Ö  | )ER                 | I C              | oph                                 | ;<br>;            | e<br>se un<br>fined  | 1 CI              | eral           |
|                | ٥                   | )         | S, C.  | 5<br>ald                 | n t                             | os do v                               | Se Sota             | ORI              | Ma:<br>in E                              | l'ota  | Q<br>W                               | þ.n                | ñ                    | Fota   | Ori                 | <b>T</b> ota     | Ath                                 |                   | hag<br>cau   | Pota              | зерс           |
| TABLE          |                     |           | Order 1.—Au<br>Fractures, Contus<br>Gunshot Wounds | Cut, Stab<br>Burn, Scald | Substroke<br>Poison<br>Drowning | Suffocation<br>Exposure               | rwis<br>T           |                  | Murder, Manslaughter<br>Wounds in Battle | Ţ  | ORDER<br>Gunshot Wounds<br>Cut, Stab | Poison<br>Drowning | Hanging<br>Otherwise | 51   | ing                 |                  | Dropsy Debility, Atrophy, Inanition | our               | Hæmorrhage<br>Sudden (cause<br>Other III-defin                                   | ζ,                | J              |
| $T_{A}$        |                     |           | Oraci  | out,                     | Sunstro<br>Poison<br>Drown:     | of x                                  | )tĥe                |                  | Inr.<br>Vou:                             |  | it,                                  | Poison<br>Drown    | Hanging<br>Otherwis  |  | Hanging             |                  | Dropsy<br>Debility<br>Mortifi       | Tumour<br>Abscess | Jæn<br>Sudd  |                   |                |
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TABLE showing the Number of Cases of Diseases and of Deaths from each Cause in the various Hospitals in the Colony during the Year 1888—continued.

| tpa•                  | Total Dea              |            | 28              | H              | m            | 6           | H         | :      | :        | :           | :                  |          | 44            |                    | н                    | :                | H               |   | c                | 3              | : :    | :          | :       | :           | 7             |                     | :       | 47               | 1        |                              | :                       | H >         | <b>⊣</b><br>; | : :                                      | H                                   | 17                | 191   | 207            |            |
|-----------------------|------------------------|------------|-----------------|----------------|--------------|-------------|-----------|--------|----------|-------------|--------------------|----------|---------------|--------------------|----------------------|------------------|-----------------|---|------------------|----------------|--------|------------|---------|-------------|---------------|---------------------|---------|------------------|----------|------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------|---------------|--|-------------------------------------|-------------------|-------|----------------|------------|
| .85                   | Total Cas              |            | 707             | 78             | 97           | 28          | 4         | :      | :        | :           | 61                 |          | 1,045         |                    | 8                    | :                | 6               | - |                  | 4- v           | ) r.   |            | :       | :           | 14            |                     | :       | 1,061            | 82       | 86                           | <b>I</b>                | 4           | 174           | :  | 93                                  | 451               | 1 400 | 0,901          | Inspector. |
| Riverton.             | Cases.                 |            | 12              | :              | ·            | :           | :         | :      | :        | :           | : :<br>: :         |          | 15            |                    | :                    |                  | :               |   | _                | : :            | : :    | :          | :       | :           | :             |                     | :       | 15               |          | : :                          | :                       | :<br>ن      | : :           | : :                                      | :                                   | 4-                |       | 4 //           |            |
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