AKAROA HOSPITAL.

Number of patients on 31st March, 1903 Admitted during the year					•••		$\begin{array}{c} 1 \\ 25 \end{array}$	
Discharged Died	Tota	al under t	reatment 	•••	•••		23	26
	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	2	
	Ren	naining or	n 31st Ma	rch, 1904	!			1

Sex.—24 males, 2 females.

Locality from which Patients came.—Akaroa County, Christchurch.

Country.—New Zealand, 14; England, 4; Scotland, 1; Ireland, 2; Denmark, 2; Australia, 3.

Religion.—Church of England, 17; Presbyterian, 3; Roman Catholic, 5; Lutheran, 1.

Total collective days' stay in Hospital, 616; individual average days' stay, 23.69. Daily average cost per head, 10s. 9½d.; less patients' payments, 10s. 0¾d.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE.

	Receipts.		£	s.	d.	Expen	diture.		£	s.	d.
From Government			154	18	0	Rations			90	7	10
Derived from No.	rth Canter	bury				Wines, &c			1	14	6
Hospital Board,	of which it	is a				Surgery and dispensary			17	4	2
branch hospital			154	18	0	Fuel and light			20	11	0
Patients' payments	•••		0.0						150	0	0
• •						Other expenses			52	18	6
Total	•••	•••	£332	16	0	Total		•••	£332	16	0

COROMANDEL HOSPITAL.

Number of pa Admitted dur			(arch, 190)3 	 	6 88	
Discharged Died	Tota	l under tr	eatment		 		94
					 	. 79	
	•••	• • •	••	•••	 	8	
	Rema	aining on	31st Mar	ch, 1904	 	_	7

Sex.—58 males, 36 females.

Localities from which Patients came.—Coromandel County, 77; Auckland, 4; Thames, 2; Westport, 1; Hamilton, 1; Whangarei, 1; Whangaroa, 1; Kawakawa, 1.

Country.— England, 14; Ireland, 11; New Zealand, 32; Australia, 4; Aboriginal, 21; Austria, 3; Switzerland, 1; Norway, 1; unknown, 1.

Total collective days' stay in Hospital, 2,226; individual average days' stay, 23.68. Daily average cost per head, 9s. 6½d.; less patients' payments, 8s.

Outdoor Patients.—Individual cases, 30; attendances, 82.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE.

Receipts.			s.	d.	Expenditure.	£	s.	d.		
From Government		420	17	11	Rations		179	4	10	
Local bodies		300	0	0	Wines, spirits, ale, and porter		10	3	9	
Subscriptions and donations		85	12	5	Surgery and dispensary		- 38	19	3	
Patients' payments		170	17	3	Fuel and light		76	11	1	
Other sources		17	6	8	Bedding and clothing		24	6	6	
Balance from last year		147	18	5	Washing and laundry		64	16	3	
					Salaries and wages		505	1	0	
					Repairs		- 87	17	6	
					Printing, advertising, &c.		17	4	6	
					Insurance		15	12	6	
					Other expenses	•••	41	17	3	
$\operatorname{Total} \dots$		£1,142	12	8	${\bf Total} \qquad \dots$		£1,061	14	5	
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Visited 29th January.—The visit was made at an early hour of the morning, and all seemed in good-working order under Miss Street, the Matron. It is greatly to be hoped that this Hospital will continue to deserve the commendation I formerly felt justified in giving expression to.