

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE.

<i>Receipts.</i>	£	s.	d.	<i>Expenditure.</i>	£	s.	d.
From Government ...	3,605	0	11	Rations ...	2,453	8	11
Local bodies ...	3,000	0	0	Wines, spirits, ale, &c. ...	124	19	0
Subscriptions and donations ...	246	17	6	Surgery and dispensary ...	977	0	8
Bequests ...	300	0	0	Fuel and light ...	897	2	0
Patients' payments ...	1,734	18	0	Bedding and clothing ...	125	7	0
Other sources ...	338	19	5	Furniture, earthenware, &c. ...	359	12	9
				Washing and laundry (steam-disinfecting) ...	223	17	1
				Salaries and wages ...	2,819	3	1
				Water-supply ...	157	0	0
				Funerals ...	34	0	0
				Repairs ...	475	6	2
				Printing, advertising, postage, and stationery ...	64	4	9
				Interest ...	4	13	9
				Insurance ...	57	6	6
				Commission ...	13	8	10
				Other expenses ...	358	13	5
Total ...	£9,225	15	10	Total ...	£9,145	3	6

Visited 30th November and 30th April.—This Hospital is working well. It has been found necessary to increase the accommodation of the nurses' home. A new steam-disinfecting machine has been installed. Notwithstanding the many advantages conferred on Dunedin Hospital by connection with a medical school, there are some drawbacks, and one of these I find is that the students do so much of the surgical dressings and other work in the wards that I fear the nurses have not the same advantages as the nurses in other training-hospitals.

DUNSTAN HOSPITAL.

Number of patients on 31st March, 1903 ...	5
Admitted during the year ...	44
Total under treatment ...	49
Discharged ...	37
Died ...	8
Remaining on 31st March, 1904 ...	4

Sex.—43 males, 6 females.

Localities from which Patients came.—Alexandra district, 18; Clyde, 9; Cromwell and Clutha, 8; Ophir and Matakanui district, 13; Wellington, 1.

Nationality.—British, 22; New Zealand, 15; Australian, 4; European, 4; Chinese, 4.

Religion.—Church of England, 19; Roman Catholic, 8; Presbyterian, 14; Wesleyan, 4; Confucian, 4.

Total collective days' stay in Hospital, 1,519; individual average days' stay, 31.00. Daily average cost per head, 10s. 11d.; less patients' payments, 9s. 8½d.

Outdoor Patients.—Individual cases, 36; attendances, 80.

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<i>Receipts.</i>	£	s.	d.	<i>Expenditure.</i>	£	s.	d.
From Government ...	545	8	9	Rations ...	146	1	2
Local bodies ...	319	6	1	Wines, spirits, ale, &c. ...	8	17	4
Subscriptions and donations ...	161	18	1	Surgery and dispensary ...	38	8	4
Patients' payments ...	91	12	3	Fuel and light ...	38	19	0
Other sources ...	0	4	0	Bedding and clothing ...	0	9	6
Balance from last year ...	5	14	7	Furniture and earthenware ...	21	16	6
				Salaries and wages ...	461	18	6
				Water-supply ...	38	15	7
				Funerals ...	8	0	0
				Additions and repairs ...	179	12	4
				Printing, advertising, postage, and stationery ...	24	7	0
				Interest, &c. ...	1	0	3
				Insurance ...	17	4	2
				Other expenses ...	23	2	0
Total ...	£1,124	3	9	Total ...	£1,008	11	8

Visited 11th May.—A good Hospital for the district and well managed.