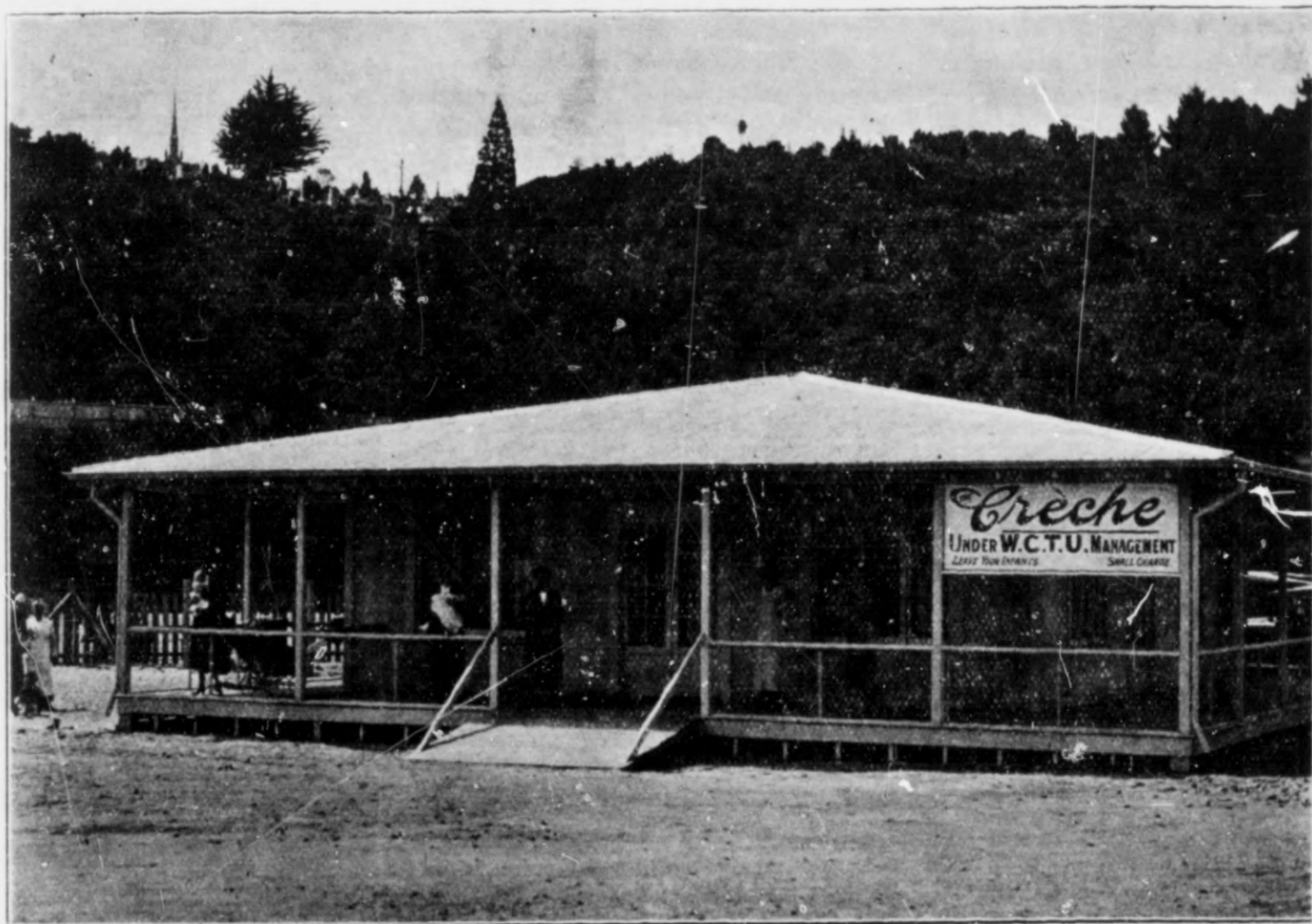


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## THE CRECHE AT EXHIBITION.

The creche is now an accomplished fact and is doing valuable work in the Exhibition. At the beginning the Committee worked under considerable difficulties, the chief one being the unfinished state of the building, and the consequent presence of painters, plumbers, and carpenters, with the noise and confusion usually attendant on such occupancy. Another trouble was the absence of the promised direction signs.

which would have minimised the difficulty experienced by would-be patrons in finding "the haven where they would be" readily. The site is excellent when one reaches it, but is far from the main entrance, and hidden by other buildings.

Now that these difficulties have been overcome, the work goes on smoothly and well. To date (January 4) 550 babies have been left in our charge, and the fact that some of them have been back on numerous occasions is

evidence that their parents are fully satisfied with the measure of care bestowed upon them.

Mrs Macartney (Superintendent) is always to be found at her post, giving careful oversight to all details, and ready, if the conditions permit, to receive visitors and show them round. Miss Young is filling the duties of her position admirably. The members of the Creche Committee all render personal service with cheerful willingness. The suburban as well as the city