



**WARRNAMBOOL & DISTRICT
BASE HOSPITAL**



119th ANNUAL REPORT

1972-73



Appreciation

THE PRESIDENT
AND
BOARD OF MANAGEMENT
OF
WARRNAMBOOL & DISTRICT BASE
HOSPITAL

have pleasure in forwarding this year's Annual Report and gratefully acknowledge your kind interest in the Hospital.



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Honorary Medical Officers

Consulting Surgeon:
DR. A.E. BRAUER, MB. BS. (Deceased 19/9/72)

Consultant Otorhino-laryngologist:
DR. D. ADIN JAMES, MRCS (Eng.), LRCP (Lond.), DLO (Eng.)

Consultant Psychiatrist:
DR. L. DONNAN, LMSSA, LRCP, DPM, DPH.

Consultant Oral Surgeon:
DR. J.B. RICHARDSON, MBBS, MDSc, FACDS.

Consulting Anaesthetist and Physician to Inpatients (Chest):
DR. H.J. BARBOUR, MB. BS., DA.

MEDICAL OFFICERS

Surgeons to Inpatients:
MR. J.W. FISHER, MB BS, FRCS, FRACS, D.Obst., RCOG.
MR. A. FLIGELMAN, MB. BS., FRCS.

Surgeons to Outpatients:
DR. L. HEMINGWAY, MB. BS.

Assistant Surgeon to Inpatients:
MR. D.C. BARTON, MB. BS., FRCS, FRACS.

Physicians to Inpatients:
DR. J.F. O'CALLAGHAN, MB' BS., MRACP.
DR. R.R. SOBEY, MB. BS., MRACP.

Assistant Physicians to Inpatients:
DR. G.T. AWBURN, MB. BS.
DR. B.G. GEORGE MB. BS. (Resigned)
DR. K.W. LONGTON, MB. BS.
DR. M.R. PAGE MB. BS.
DR. C.D.G.L. SHIMMIN, MB. BS., DRCOG.

Assistant Anaesthetist:
DR. G.T. AWBURN, MB. BS.
DR. M.R. PAGE, MB. BS.
DR. K.W. LONGTON, MB. BS.
DR. C.D.G.L. SHIMMIN, MB. BS., DRCOG.

Obstetricians and Gynaecologists:
DR. J. BROOKES, BA, MB. BS., LRCP, MRCS, MRCOG.
DR. I.P.Q. SCOTT, MB. BS., LRCP, MRCS, D.Obst., RCOG., DCH.

Ophthalmologist:
DR. G. JONES, MB. BS., DO (Lond.)

Paediatrician:
DR. I.P.Q. SCOTT, MB. BS., LRCP, MRCS., D.Obst., RCOG., DCH.

MEDICAL OFFICERS (Regional)

MR. S.D. HOLLOWAY, MB., FRCS. (E.).
DR. R.H.J. LAURENCE, MB., BS.
MR. C.F.I. SPARLING, MB., CHB., FRCS

Psychiatrists:
DR. A. SHARAH, MB. BS., DPM.
DR. H.W. HANNAH, MB., BS., DPM., MANZCP

HONORARY DENTAL OFFICERS:
MR. V.G.C. BALMER, LDS., BDS.
MR. A. CARMAN, LDS., BDS.
MR. R. E. GLOVER, LDS., BDS.
DR. J.C.V. KIRKHAM, DDS., LDS., BDS.
MR. K.D. NUNN, LDS., BDS.
MR. R.W. ROBERTSON, LDS., BDS. (Resigned)
MR. A.M. STEVENSON, LDS., BDS.

Ortho Dentist:
DR. O.P. BLACK, MDSC., DDS., FACDS.

Honorary Optometrists:
F.G. & R.G. BENNETT, FVOA., LOSc.

Departmental Officers

Medical

Medical Superintendent:
DR. J.D. REID, MB., CHB., FRC.Path., FRCPA., DCP, DPH., DTM&H.

Senior Resident Medical Officer:
DR. G.L. BERTUCH, MB.BS.

Resident Medical Officers:
DR. T.J. McCARTHY, MB.BS.
DR. J.D. PHILPOT, MB.BS.
DR. J.M. SOWERBY, MB.BS.

Nursing

Matron:
MISS J.H. STEWART, SRN., SCM., Dip. N. Admin., FCNA.

Deputy Matron:
MISS K. TAYLOR, SRN., SCM., Dip. N. Admin., FCNA.

Assistant Matron:
MISS W.R. HAWKER, SRN., SCM., Dip. N. Admin., FCNA.

Supervisory Sister:
MISS J. EDGAR, SRN., SCM.

Principal Teacher:
MISS W.F. ROGAN, SRN., SCM., Dip. Inf. Disease Nursing,
Dip. N. Educ., CNA.

Directress—Nursing Aide School:
MISS J.O. CHANDLER, SRN., SCM.
MISS J.M. PAGE, SRN., SCM.

Matron—Alveston:
MRS' I.V. BRUCE, SRN.

Matron—Corio:
MRS. M. HAMMOND, SRN.

ANCILLARY MEDICAL DEPARTMENTS

Radiology

Radiologist:
DR. E.B. RAFFERTY, MB., BS., MCRA.

Radiographers:
MR. R. ZIEGLER, MIR., AIO., DMR.
MR. L. SVEILIS, MIR., DMR.
MISS M.A. McRAE, MIR., DMR.

Pathology

Pathologist:
DR. J.D. REID, MB., CHB., FRC. Path., FRCPA., DCP., DPH., DTM&H

Laboratory Manager:
MR. G. O'BRIEN, FAIMT.

Chief Medical Technologist:
MR. K.G. PIPER, FIMLT.

Medical Technologists:
MR. D. McKENZIE, ARMIT (Med. Tech.). AAIMT.
MISS M' VANCE, AAIMT.

Medical Technicians:
MRS. E.A. LENEHAN, Cert. MT.
MISS A.M. SLESSAR, Cert. MT.

Physiotherapy

MR. J. GRACE, DIP. MRB., MAPA.
MRS. L. SVEILIS (Regional)
MISS K.A. MACDONALD, Dip. Physio., MAPA.
MR. P.G. GRACE, Dip. Physio., MAPA.
MISS S. FRIEND, Dip. Physio, MAPA. (Resigned)

Pharmacy

Chief Pharmaceutical Chemist:
MR. C.C. WARING, PHC., FPS. (Resigned)
MR. C.M. WHIDDETT PHC. MPS.

Speech Therapy

MRS. J. MACKENZIE, LACST.
MISS S. JACOBS, LACST

Social Welfare

MRS. E.J. TAYLOR, SRN.

Medical Records

MISS M. MERRICKS, RMRL.
MISS J.C. O'KEEFE, RMRL (Regional)

Executive Officers

Assistant Manager-Secretary:
MR. S. G. HANDO, BHA., AHA., (Prov.)

Accountant:
MR. W.P. VAUGHAN, AASA., ABIA.

Chief Clerk:
MRS. M. McDONOUGH.

Engineer:
MR. W.A. BEDGGOOD.

Caterer:
MR. F.J. KELLY, AFCIA., Dip. Hotel-Motel Mang., Cert.
Housekeeping Adm.

Laundry Supervisor:
MR. R.C. EARL.

Domestic Supervisor:
MRS. J. HORWOOD.



119th Annual Report, 1972-73

TO: The Life Governors and Contributors

Ladies and Gentlemen,

On behalf of the Committee of Management I have pleasure in presenting the 119th Annual Report and Financial Statements for the year ended 30th June, 1973 for the Base Hospital, Alveston, Old Folks Home and Corio Old Folks Home.

Extensive increases in wage rates granted by the State Wages Board and price rises in commodities used by the Hospital have presented a difficult financial situation, and income from Government Grants and patients' fees have been inadequate to meet day by day maintenance expenditure. The Committee has found it necessary to arrange additional overdraft accommodation on the Maintenance Account to cover deficits.

BUILDING PROJECTS:

The Central Linen Service Contract has been in progress throughout the year and is steadily nearing completion. The Contract has been increased by \$8,742.00 to provide an automatic ring main detergent system, and the following additional items of equipment have been purchased:

Washer Extractor (30 lb)	\$2,599
Wet Vacuum Cleaner	570
Sewing Machine	268
Special Trolleys	84

A further section of the balcony of the Marcus Saltau House is being enclosed to provide private toilet and shower blocks and sitting out areas. Nurses work areas are also being improved and nurses call system, electrical, and mechanical services are being upgraded and piped oxygen and suction installed. Fotheringham Constructions Pty. Ltd. of Warrnambool are the contractors for the building alterations at a tender price of \$49,041.00, and the Hospital maintenance department will attend to the upgrading of the services. New furnishings will be purchased for the renovated rooms at a cost of \$2,655.00.

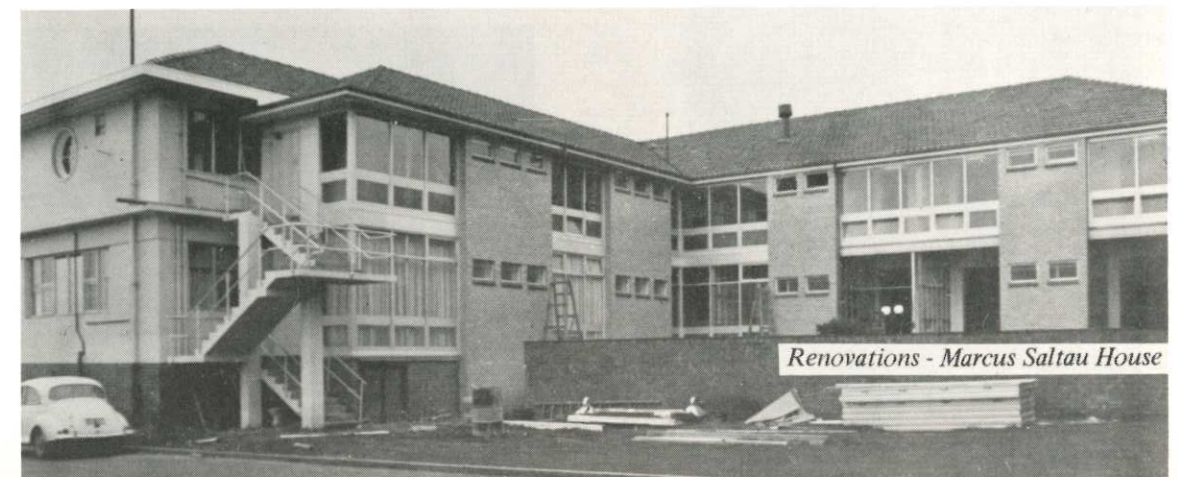
To cope with the heavy demand for acute surgical beds a section of the Infectious Diseases Block, previously occupied by long stay geriatric patients has been converted to a convalescent unit for surgical patients. Three new toilets and shower blocks have been built by contractors Blackney & Thompson of Warrnambool at a cost of \$7,750.00.

Government Grants for these works have been on a generous scale with practically 100% for the Laundry extensions \$39,750 for Marcus Saltau House and \$6,375 for the Infectious Diseases Block.

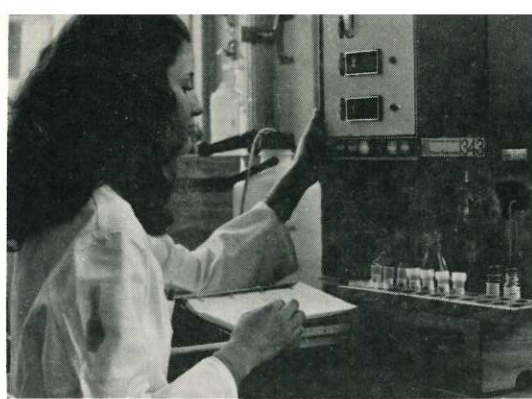
In addition to these major projects maintenance and improvements of the hospital building complex requires the constant attention of the Committee and adequate financial allocation must be made each year to ensure that standards are kept at an acceptable level. The following items were authorised during the 1972/73 period and Government Grants were received in most instances to assist with the cost:-

Additional extensions PABX system	\$4,808
Vinyl Tiles Infectious Diseases Block floor	2,585
Replacement of Windows 4th floor Nurses Home	2,456
Regrading of roadway at Casualty Entrance	1,374
Vinyl tiles Ward 1 walls	802
Copper piping for cold water services Basement	554
Evaporative cooling Outpatient Dept.	550
Sound Proofing Speech Therapy Dept.	436
T.V. Antenna System Multi-storey Ward Block	477
Vinyl tiles Outpatient Dept. floors	437
Asphalting Ward 7 and Ward 4 areas	408
Vinyl tiles Midwifery floor rooms	370
Aluminium windows staff flats	364

A grant of \$3,000 was received under the Rural Relief Scheme which covered the cost of extending the stormwater drain system, refixing the steel deck roof on the Multi-storey ward block



Renovations - Marcus Saltau House



Pathology Department

penthouse and new wire netting for the Nurses Tennis Court.

EQUIPMENT:

With the support of our Auxiliaries and generous allocation of Government Grants for this purpose it has been possible to further update our equipment and so improve our services. The following imposing list of purchases indicates the advances which have been made in this area during the past twelve months.

Pathology Department -	
Gilford Spectrophotometer	\$2,250
Flame Photometer	4,000
Control Module & Memory Unit for Wang Calculator	3,900
Safety Cabinet Bacteriology	2,200
Rotary Microtome	1,214
Blood Bank Refrigerator	1,212
Hema-tek Slide Stainer	1,725
Photographic Unit	1,051
Operating Theatre -	
ECG Monitor	\$ 758
Kirchner Hand-drill	48
Wet Vacuum Pick up	360
Duodeno Fibrescope	4,350
Fibreoptic Equipment	2,135
General Wards -	
4 Commode Chairs	\$ 348
2 Food warming Cabinets	236
2 Hi-Lo beds	333
6 sets cot sides	315
3 water beds	360
Ice making Machine	765
Emergency Trolley	3,596
Midwifery Ward -	
3 Bassinets	\$ 247
Dishwashing machine	1,184
Blood Flow Detector	390
Intensive Care Ward -	
1 Foodwarming Cabinet	\$ 139

Oxygen Analyser	387
2 Humidifiers	400
Gaymar Tabletop Thermometer	125
Physiotherapy Department -	
Cycle, Ergometer & Monitoring Equipment	\$ 225
2 Infra-red lamps	140
1 Deep Freeze Unit	100
Nemedtrodyn & Nedovac Unit	1,585
Casualty and Outpatient Department -	
Pneumatic Air Drill	\$ 128
E.C.T. Apparatus (Psychiatrist)	1,091
Rotodex Wheel	906
Inter-com. Unit (Pharmacy)	117
Recovery Trolley	400
Central Sterile Supply Department -	
Dish Washing Machine	\$1,785
Training Schools -	
Anatomic Anne	\$ 134
Anne Baby	58
Revolving Chalk Boards	789
Skeleton	165
Brain	79
Arrhythmia Anne	1,715
Projector Screen	32
Other Departments -	
Hi-Speed Mitchell Floor Polishing Machine	\$ 260
5 Washing Machines for Nurses Home	750
2 Motor Cars for Visiting Nurse Service	3,362
2 Vacuum Cleaners for Nurses Home	105
Phillips Dictation Machine X-ray Dept.	475
Addressograph Unit - Medical Records Dept.	2,446
Electric Typewriter - Office	465
Cater Caddies and Insulated Food Covers Dietary Dept.	1,109
Spray Paint Unit - Maintenance Dept.	916



Physiotherapy

CHARITABLE CONTRIBUTIONS:

The public again responded magnificently to the Annual Appeal for donations to the Charitable Fund, and the effort for the year culminating with the all day radio Appeal during June resulted as follows:-

Base Hospital	\$28,211
Alveston	3,229
Corio	2,450

Our appreciation is extended to the staff of 3YB for their enthusiastic assistance and to all other donors and supporters. Particular mention must be made of our entrants in the Miss Hospital Competition conducted in association with the 3YB Appeal, namely:-

Base Hospital - Miss Marion Malone	(amount raised \$16,716)
Alveston - Miss Catherine McClure	(amount raised \$1,419)
Corio - Miss Joy Dunne	(amount raised \$1,972)

We extend our congratulations to the Base Hospital candidate Miss Marion Malone who won the competition and also tender our sincere thanks to all candidates and their supporters for their wonderful efforts in the interests of the Hospital.

AUXILIARIES:

The loyal support and fund raising abilities of our ten Auxiliaries is highly valued by the Committee of Management. Total amount paid to the Charitable Fund from this source during 1972/73 was \$10,479 which represents a considerable proportion of the total figure. Every Auxiliary has indicated continued support in the future for which we are extremely grateful.

FINANCE MAINTENANCE FUND:

Whereas adequate finance has been forthcoming from the Government and the community for equipment and building purposes, we have not been so fortunate with the Maintenance Fund account. In common with other industries and services the Hospital field has suffered the impact of the wages spiral of the past year, and this has been the principle factor contributing to the large deficit for the period to 30th June, 1973. Final results were as follows:-

	Income	Expenditure
Base Hospital	2,234,636	2,259,844 (\$25,208 Deficit)
Alveston	144,509	142,853 (\$1,656 Surplus)
Corio	173,688	178,000 (\$4,312 Deficit)

STATISTICS:

The statistical pattern relating to Inpatient services indicates the growth in demand and utilization each year. Although the daily average remains

stable, the increased number of persons treated and reduction of average stay in Hospital indicates the greater pressure on our available beds. The acute Medical and Surgical Wards are used to capacity and treatment of additional patients is only achieved by shortening patients' stay in Hospital. It is expected that an easing in the situation will occur when the Infirmary beds at Lyndoch become available and the space occupied by one long stay Ward is redesigned for the care of acute cases.

	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73
Number of patients treated	4,961	5,175	5,414
Daily average Inpatients	169.4	170.1	171.7
Average stay in Hospital	12.5	12.0	11.5

Attendance at the Casualty and Outpatient Department and Outpatient Clinics continue to increase at a rapid rate, imposing a heavy load on the medical and nursing staff. Further increases will present a staffing problem for the Matron and Medical Superintendent.

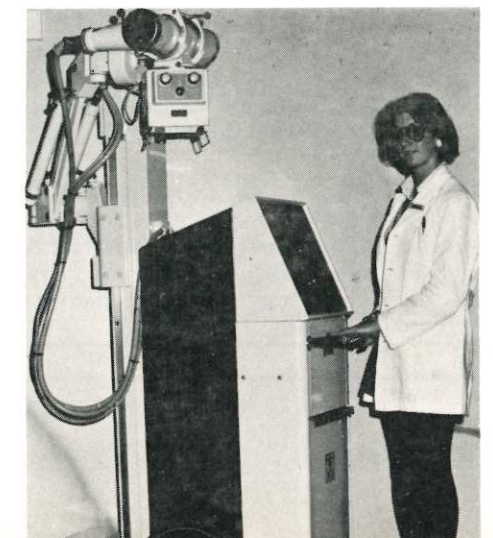
	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73
Attendances	14,458	18,020	20,770
Daily average	39.6	49.2	56.9

MEDICAL ANCILLARY SERVICES:

Demands on the Departments of Radiology and Pathology continue unabated. The standard of diagnostic services available at Warmambool is the subject of favourable comment by visiting specialists from our parent teaching Hospital, Prince Henry's. Doctor Reid and Doctor Rafferty are unceasing in their efforts to keep touch with the latest developments in their respective fields and the quality of their departments is a matter of great pride to the Board of Management.

Examinations -	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73
Pathology	27,826	28,653	30,680
Radiology	8,464	9,670	10,541

February of this year brought the retirement of Mr. Cecil Waring who has filled the post of Pharmacist for the past twenty years. The loyal and devoted service which Mr. Waring has given to the Institution throughout this long period is duly recorded on behalf of Committee members, staff and patients. The position is now filled by



Portable X Ray Equipment

Speech Therapy



Mr. Charles Whiddett who transferred from Mooroopna Base Hospital to Warrnambool in early 1973.

Speech Therapy and Physiotherapy Departments have been fully staffed during 1973 and services to patients are being maintained at a satisfactory level. The following three graduates who joined the staff at the beginning of this year all received bursaries from this Hospital throughout their courses.

Miss S. Jacobs (Speech Therapist)
Miss K.A. McDonald (Physiotherapist)
Mr. P.G. Grace (Physiotherapist)

The Speech Therapists have maintained the visiting service to Yalundah Day Training Centre which was commenced during the previous year.

Social Welfare requirements have increased to such an extent that it has been necessary to relieve our Welfare Officer Mrs. E. J. Taylor of some duties associated with the Meals on Wheels Service. Mrs. K.H. Carlton has been engaged by the Meals on Wheels Committee to assist in this field. Up to a total of 70 meals daily are being distributed from the Hospital kitchen by volunteer drivers.

Diversional Therapy groups are being conducted by Miss Jill Whitehead at the Base Hospital, Alveston and Corio, on a part time basis. This activity adds to the well being of the elderly patients who participate.

Medical Records Department has been expanded to give a Medical Records Service to all hospitals in the Corangamite Region. Miss Jenny O'Keefe, another of our bursary students, joined the staff at the beginning of 1973 and has set up standard type systems in all district Hospitals. With data now being recorded it will be possible to obtain a clearer picture of hospital patients morbidity patterns on a regional basis.

GENERAL SERVICES:

The medical, nursing and technical staff attending to the clinical needs of our patients have been strongly supported by the general service departments. Mr. Bedgood (Engineer) and his tradesmen maintain plant and buildings in good working order and repair and attend to these requirements in a most capable manner. The Board is particularly grateful for the additional work which this team has undertaken during the past year in the electrical and mechanical section of the Marcus Saltau House contract and the relocation of machinery in the Laundry extension.

Mr. Kelly (Catering Officer) continues to show great interest and initiative in introducing further improvements to the food services. Meals are now plated in the main kitchen for four Wards, which is found to be much more efficient than the previous bulk trolley method.

A further innovation which Mr. Kelly has introduced is the provision of meals for Alveston and Corio from the Base Hospital Kitchen. This system is working to the entire satisfaction of the Matrons of the Homes and is proving to be much more economical.

Mrs. Horwood (Domestic Supervisor) continues to maintain the housekeeping service at the high standard which is required for the conduct of an efficient hospital unit. Her conscientious service and keen interest in the welfare of patients and the Hospital generally is greatly appreciated.

The Central Linen Service under the guidance of its Manager, Mr. Earl is now processing 18 tons of linen each week. During the past year it has been necessary for the staff to work under extremely difficult conditions due to the alterations and additions being made to the Laundry building. Our thanks is recorded to Mr. Earl and his staff for their co-operation and patience in this regard.

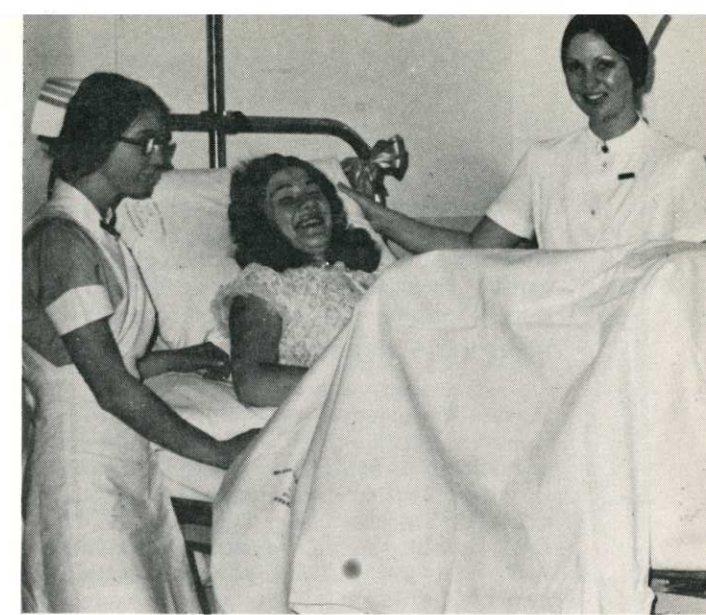
ADMINISTRATION:

Mr. Matthews, Manager, Mr. Hando, Assistant Manager and Mr. Vaughan, Accountant and the office staff have attended to the general administration of the Hospital in a satisfactory manner. The administrative staff also have the responsibility of administering Timboon Hospital, Mortlake Hospital and Alveston and Corio Old Folks Homes which entails a wide range of duties. During the year several changes took place among the administrative staff which created some difficulties during the change over period. Mr. Jacobs and Mr. Gleason transferred to other Hospitals and were replaced by Mrs. J. Taylor (Paymistress) and Mr. John Martin (Administrative Assistant). Both are newcomers to the Hospital field and are proving themselves competent officers.

Hours of service by Administrative staff for Casualty and Outpatient reception and admission of inpatients has been extended to cover from 9.00 a.m. to 11.00 p.m. at all times. This service has greatly improved clerical efficiency in these areas and provides a much improved service for patients.

Administration of Medical Services by Doctor J.D. Reid is virile and progressive. His efforts in organising visits by Specialists from Prince Henry's Hospital at regular intervals for postgraduate education and clinical discussion, contribute to a high standard of medical service for Warrnambool and District. Recruitment of Resident Medical Officers and the organization of their training programme is another area which receives his expert attention.

Busy Surgical Ward



New items of medical equipment added during the year are the results of his investigations and recommendations and indicate his great interest in the progress of the Hospital and the welfare of its patients.

Nursing services under the leadership of Matron J.H. Stewart and her deputies Miss K. Taylor and Miss W. Hawker continues to function smoothly and efficiently. Wards and departments have been adequately staffed and administered at all times and the training programme for general nurses and nursing aides successfully conducted. Students examinations results have again been highly satisfactory and indicate the capabilities of Miss Rogan and her teachers in the School of Nursing and likewise Miss Page and Miss Chandler in the Nursing Aide School. Tours of the Hospital by school children and other groups are organised and encouraged by Matron Stewart and she is to be commended for devoting her valuable time to this function. Good public relations result from the tours and they are also a valuable aid to staff recruitment.

BURSARIES AND APPRENTICESHIPS:

The task of recruiting qualified staff for the various departments continues to be a problem in country areas. The granting of bursaries and employment of apprentices has been highly successful in past years and continues to be the policy of the Board. At the present time there are three apprentices employed on the Kitchen staff and living allowances and fees are being paid to students in the following professions:-

Speech Therapy (1 student)
Physiotherapy (3 students)
Occupational Therapy (1 student)
Medical Records Librarian (2 students)

Every opportunity is taken to have Hospital representatives in attendance at Career Days when conducted at schools in the City and District.

ALVESTON AND CORIO OLD FOLKS HOMES:

All available beds at these two Institutions are constantly occupied and great credit is due to Matron Bruce, Matron Hammond and their staffs for the dedicated and devoted manner in which they care for their frail elderly patients. Deputy Matrons at both homes resigned during the year namely, Sister V. Whiteside (Corio) and Sister A. Haddow (Alveston). Sister M. Brookes was appointed to the position at Corio but no appointment has been made at Alveston to date. Sisters are being rostered in charge during weekends on Matron Bruce's days off.

The following expenditure on the upgrading of equipment and facilities was made possible by the receipt of generous Government Grants, donations from the Fletcher Jones organisation, Auxiliaries and other donors, and staff fund raising efforts for the 3YB Appeal.

Corio -

16 variable height beds	\$2,545
20 Cantilever Overbed tables	674
14 sets of bed safety sides	805
10 Commode Chairs	396
Inter-com. Unit	51
Vinyl tiles on floors	94

Alveston -

11 variable height beds	1,755
15 Cantilever Overbed tables	506
8 sets of bed safety sides	476
Vinyl tiles on floors	742
12 Chairs for Sunroom	372
6 Commode Chairs	237

REGIONAL AND SECTOR SCHEMES:

Sector No.5 consisting of Barwon, Glenelg and Corangamite Regions has maintained its organisation under the direction of its Supervisor, Mr. Stewart A. Lindsay. Quarterly meetings have been held at Warrnambool and worthwhile discussion on its projects, Medical Records and Paediatrics has taken place. Two major advances in the Corangamite Region have been the installation of standard Medical Record systems in all district hospitals and the approval of the Hospitals and Charities Commission to set up a Geriatric Department at the Base Hospital to serve the Region. This Department will consist of a Geriatrician or Geriatric Medical Officer, Social Worker, Speech Therapist, Physiotherapist and Occupational Therapist. Recruitments of this staff will be difficult but every endeavour will be made to commence the Department as soon as possible.

MENTAL HEALTH AUTHORITY:

Discussions have taken place with this body with the view to establishing a closer liaison be-

tween the Base Hospital and Brierly Mental Hospital for the treatment and care of patients with psychiatric disorders, and the training of student nurses in this field. A primary care psychiatric unit will possibly be set up within the Base Hospital structure at an early date.

HONORARY SERVICES:

The severe shortage of medical practitioners in the Warrnambool area has continued and the Honorary Medical staff is to be commended for maintaining its usual service for public patients. The Hospital is extremely fortunate in the quality and extent of services rendered by the Honorary Doctors, Dentists and Optometrists to patient care, staff training and consultative committee requirements. Appreciation is also expressed to our Honorary Solicitors, Messrs. Mackay, Taylor and Smith for legal services provided throughout the year.

VOLUNTARY SERVICES:

Attention is drawn to the extent of community involvement in the welfare of patients, provided by individuals and groups on a voluntary basis. Meals on Wheels drivers, Red Cross Workers, Service Clubs, Fletcher Jones Social Club, Nestle Social Club, St. Vincent de Paul Society, Church Groups, Ministers of Religion, Auxiliary members, Rotarians and many others maintain constant and varied activities to ease the discomforts of illness, disability, and institutional care.

HOSPITALS & CHARITIES COMMISSION:

The early retirement of the Chairman, Dr. J.H. Lindell on 22nd November, 1972, due to ill health, was a sad loss to the Hospital service in Victoria. His long experience and gracious manner in dealing with Hospital committees and their requests has resulted in a smooth working partnership between the Government and the community. The comparatively high standard of services and facilities in Victorian Hospitals is in no small measure due to the efforts of Dr. Lindell. The new Commission appointed was as follows:-

Mr. A.J. McLellan	Chairman
Doctor E. Wilder	Deputy Chairman
Mr. R.L. Thomas	Commissioner

We extend our congratulations to Mr. McLellan and Doctor Wilder on their appointments and thank the Commission for its assistance and support during the past year.

LIFE GOVERNORS:

Recognition of outstanding service in the interests of the Hospital is vested in the granting of a life Governorship by the Board of Management. At the 1972 Annual Meeting the appointment of the following valued hospital supporters was announced and Certificates presented:-

Miss D.A. Swinton	Warrnambool
Mrs. Peter Luxton	Hawkesdale
Mrs. N.T. Wines	Warrnambool

BOARD OF MANAGEMENT:

The following members retire by effluxion of time and are eligible for re-election:-

Mr. B. Auty
Mr. V.G. Balmer
Mr. D.A. Jenkins
Mr. A.W.R. Lewis
Dr. R.R. Sobey

The death of Dr. Brauer on 19th September, 1972 brought to a close a long and distinguished association with the Hospital in the dual role of Medical Officer and Board member. The late Doctor Brauer joined the staff as Resident Medical Officer in 1927, returned in 1929, was appointed to the Honorary Staff and served in this capacity until his death, a period of 43 years. He had been a member of the Board of Management since 1941. Doctor Longton was appointed to fill the casual vacancy.

CONCLUSION:

As each year passes we find greater demands being made on the Hospital for the expansion and extension of its services. Government Policies and financing encourage and promote extension of domiciliary services particularly to aged persons, in an endeavour to delay as much as possible the need for long term institutional care. In Warrnambool the effect of these policies has been the expansion of the Visiting Nurse Service from one Sister to three during the past twelve months and it is likely that this service will expand further in the future. Demands on the Meals on Wheels service tend to increase year by year and the public demand on Outpatient services grows annually. This activity increases the responsibility of the Board and I particularly thank my fellow Board Members for devoting their valuable time to be in attendance at meetings to fix policies for the conduct of the Hospital.

We appreciate the support and interest of our Civic leaders, His Worship the Mayor Councillor H. I. Stephenson and Shire President Mr. J. Gleeson. Our thanks is also due to the Warrnambool Standard, 3YB radio station, and BTV6 for excellent news coverage.

On behalf of the Board of Management.

R. R. SOBEY,
President.



*New toilet & shower block
Infectious Diseases Ward.*

Matron's Report

The year just concluded has been an active and progressive period. The interest of our Auxiliaries and Contributors in the welfare of our patients and staff has continued and strengthened and has indeed been most encouraging.

GENERAL NURSING TRAINING

During 1972-1973:-

39 students commenced their General Nursing Training.

36 students passed First Professional Examination.
26 students passed the State Final Examination.

The Annual Nurses' Graduation Ceremony was held on 24th November, 1972. The Guest Speaker was Mr. J.R. Ham, Chief Inspector of the Hospitals and Charities Commission. Graduates and all in attendance sincerely appreciated Mr. & Mrs. Ham's presence at this Ceremony and Mr. Ham's address.

Graduates for 1972 were:-

Jennifer Rae Aitken
Mrs. Leonna Catherine Bell (nee Price)
Sandra Leah Brewster
Rhonda Jean Brian
Sharyne Marie Brian
Sandra Joy Carpenter
Cecilia Lian Bee Chia
Barbara Susan Cleminson
Janet Ann Conway
Rhonda Suzanne Dixon
Maree Anne Dyson (Mrs. J. Stonehouse)
Christine Claire Garner
Kathleen Anne Garner
Jennifer Jane Hammond
Kathleen Joy Huf
Carmelita Margaret Lucia Marcoccio
Jennifer Jill Murnane
Janice Marie Newitt
Barbara June O'Connor (Mrs. B. Finn)
Ruth Christine Osborn
Julie Jacenta O'Sullivan
Julie Anne Parkinson
Glenda Mary Stevens
Helen Anne Taylor (Mrs. C. Ryan)
Elizabeth Ann Todd
Gloria Jean Welsh
Christine Joy Wills

Fourth Year Certificates were presented to:-

Mrs. Susanne Margaret Amoore (nee Groves)
Mrs. Mary Frances Brian (nee O'Brien)

Prize winners were:-

First Year Practical -
Miss Alwyn Gail Pearce
First Year Theoretical -
Miss Dianne Robyn MacPherson
Second Year Practical -
Miss Melita Elizabeth Vickers
Second Year Theoretical -
Miss Coleen Faye Vaughan
Third Year Practical -
Miss Carmelita Margaret Lucia Marcoccio
Miss Julie Jacenta O'Sullivan } equal
Third Year Theoretical -
Miss Jennifer Jane Hammond
Gold Medal -
Miss Jennifer Jane Hammond

Students who gained Distinctions at State Final Examinations were Miss S.M. Brian and Miss J.J. Hammond.

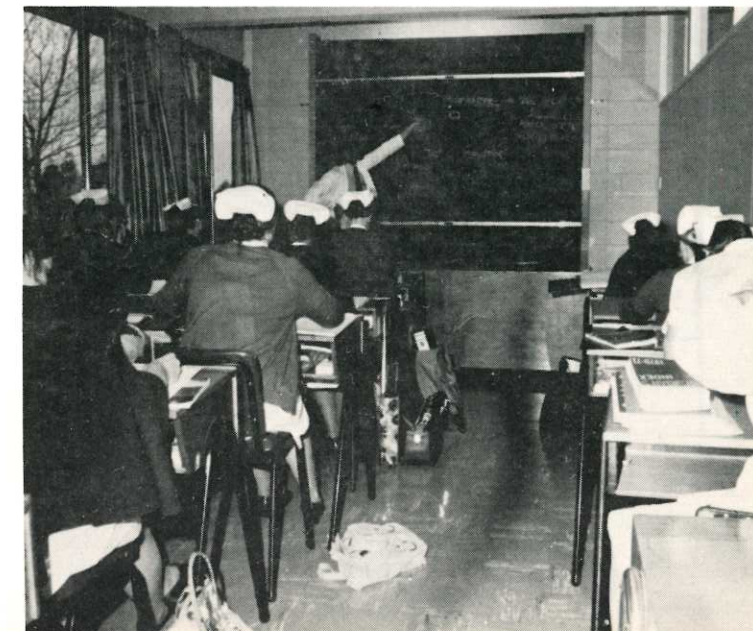
Graduates and students in training are indeed grateful to Miss W. Rogan, Principal Nurse Teacher, and her staff for their School of Nursing programme and guidance. Miss A.M. McKenzie has successfully completed her Diploma of Nursing Education at the College of Nursing, Australia, and joined the staff of the School of Nursing in January, 1973.

NURSING AIDE TRAINING

In the past 12 months the following young ladies have successfully passed their State Nursing Aide Examination:-

Camperdown Hospital

Lesley Gerardine Bant
Helen Elizabeth Bell
Gale Ann Knight
Patricia Mary Lucy McKenna
Heather Joy Scott



School of Nursing.

Hamilton Base Hospital

Mrs. Ilse Marie Becker
Mrs. Edith Margaret Dean
Janette Holmes
Lynette Maree Johnson
Jillien Gay Kearns
Catherine Isabelle Meulendyks

Port Fairy Hospital

Kathleen Veronica Kelly
Heather Ann Malone

Portland Hospital

Janette Mary Carter
Jennifer May Geier
Heather Joyce Hiscock
Beverly Joyce Humphries
Nina Joy Spall
Bernice Lorraine Taylor

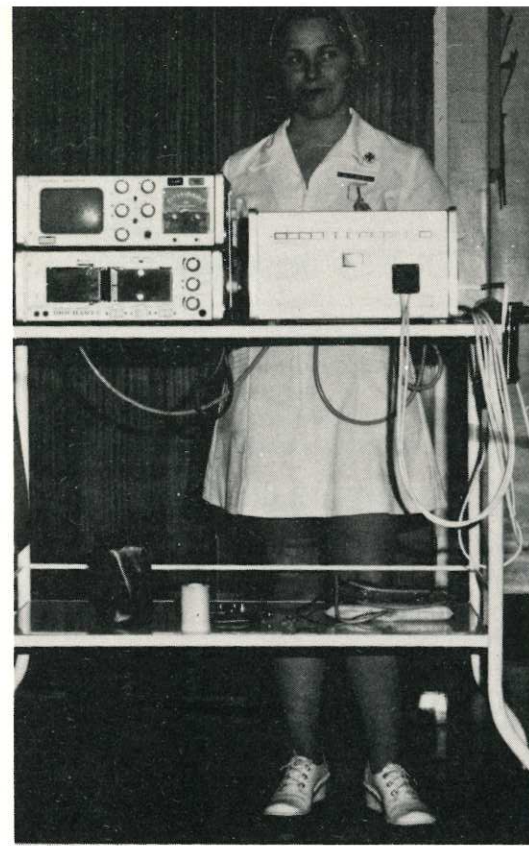
Warrnambool and District Base Hospital

Mrs. Shirley Janice Boyle
Mrs. Elsie Joan Cairns - Distinction
Colleen Ann Carey
Mrs. Loreto Frances Carter
Irene Mary Healy - Distinction
Janice Margaret Hill
Kathleen Joyce Maloney
Helen Christine Mann
Anne Rosemary Mikus
Linda Joan Milne
Judith Anne Mogg
Mrs. Grace McConnell
Patricia Anne Pekin
Carolyn Ruth Peters
Mrs. Lorraine Mary Pye
Cheryl Yvonne Thomas
Marilyn Clarissa Trigg - Distinction
Jacoba Johanna van Kalken
Hilary Mavis Williamson

Students of the Corangamite Nursing Aide School have been most appreciative of the teaching and service standards of their School and Associated Hospitals.

NURSING SERVICE

During the past year the Nursing Staff establishment has remained within estimated requirements but many areas of the nursing service have noted rapid expansion, namely Visiting Nursing Service and Outpatients and Casualty Department. There have only been modified increases in the demands within other areas of nursing service. Interest in



Crash Trolley for Ward Emergency.

nursing as a career continues and applications exceed vacancies. It is pleasing to note that the wastage rate has never been lower at student level.

APPRECIATION

Again our Auxiliaries have supported the many requests made to them. Their interest in all aspects of patient care and service continues to be fore-sighted and truly supportative.

To all members of the Medical Staff may I extend our sincere thanks for their guidance, teaching and co-operation over the past 12 months. With the continued advice of Dr. J. Reid, together with his understanding of the nursing service, my staff have been ably encouraged and assisted with a high standard of patient care. Likewise the Nursing Staff have been indebted to the Board of Management and Mr. A. Matthews, together with all departmental personnel and their staff.

Finally, may I add my personal thanks to the Nursing Staff for their advice and assistance and I trust that this year ahead will bring further progress within our Hospital and areas of service to the public.

JUNE H. STEWART.
Matron.

Medical Superintendent's Report

The hospital has been busy as usual and the staff have been fully occupied. Medical knowledge and expertise have increased rapidly and it is to the credit of the hospital that all members of the medical, nursing, and paramedical departments have endeavoured to keep up to date by attending post graduate courses of lectures and demonstrations. The standard of patient care has been maintained at a high level. Much money has been spent on equipment and library books. Warrnambool Hospital is well known for the excellence of its equipment.

Many more patients are attending the out-patient department and the Resident Medical Staff have difficulty in coping with the numbers. It is proposed to increase the staff so that waiting time will be reduced. Special clinics in surgery, orthopaedics, medicine and obstetrics have been instituted so that the resident doctors can refer patients for specialist opinion and treatment. The specialist clinics in ophthalmology, Ear nose and throat, Orthodontist, and psychiatry functioned as usual.

It is not easy to recruit qualified staff in the country and Warrnambool has always tried to be self sufficient by local training and by the provision of bursaries. There are seven trainee technicians in the pathology department and one in radiology. Bursaries are offered in speech therapy, physiotherapy occupational therapy, medical record librarianship, nursing administration etc. This policy has paid dividends and has helped to maintain the standard of medical and nursing care.

Psychiatric problems are common in modern society and account for 5% of admissions. It is proposed that there will be a closer liaison between the Mental Hygiene Authority and the Base Hospital in the supervision and treatment of these patients.

Staff -

The death of Dr. A. Brauer was a great loss to the hospital. He served the hospital for many years as surgeon and all round clinician. In his latter years he took a special interest in arthritis and has many grateful patients to testify to the efficacy of his treatment. Dr. Brauer was a gentleman of the old school whose influence will be missed.

Mr. John Fisher was given leave of absence to go to Java where he has played an important part in organising post graduate training in surgery which is carried out by the Provincial Surgeons Association. His activities have brought Warrnambool to the notice of people in high places.

Mr. Adam Fligelman acted as surgeon in Mr. Fishers absence and he has now been appointed to the staff as Specialist Surgeon.

Dr. Sharah, Deputy Superintendent at Brierly Mental Hospital, was appointed Psychiatrist, and Dr. M. Page, who is one of our past RMOs was appointed Assistant Physician.

All members of the honorary Medical Staff have given unstinted service in spite of the fact that they were overworked in their consulting rooms. The free attention that they have given to nonpaying patients is not always fully appreciated.

The volume and intensity of the work has so increased that the RMOs have difficulty in coping with it. They have all worked well. It is proposed to increase the staff by one Junior and possibly one Senior who will be a trainee physician on rotation from Prince Henrys Hospital, Melbourne.

Specialists from the Prince Henrys Hospital have visited the hospital at quarterly intervals and spent the whole day discussing patients and giving post graduate lectures. It is hoped that an even closer liaison will develop. This will be of mutual benefit.

Medical Records - Good medical records are recognised as essential for the management of the patient as well as for epidemiology and hospital planning. The Records Department under the supervision of Miss Margaret Merricks has worked well. Statistics are obtained from the Monash Computer and should prove of value in the years to come. Medical record libraries have been set up in all the hospitals in the Corangamite Region and are under the supervision of Miss O'Keefe who is directly responsible to each individual hospital. With the co-operation of all the hospitals it will be possible to assess the medical status of the whole Region.

(Appendix gives a very abbreviated summary of 1971 statistics.)

Paramedical Departments - The Departments of Pathology, Radiology, Physiotherapy, Speech therapy are experiencing an ever increasing work load. This has been done efficiently but unless more room becomes available there will be a limit to the expansion.

Mr. C. Waring retired from the Pharmacy after 20 years of faithful service. He did two mens work and was always available for advice on the latest drugs. We hope that he enjoys his retirement. Mr. Whiddett was appointed Pharmacist in his place.

Nursing Staff - The Nursing Staff under the supervision of Miss Stewart, Matron, maintained the high standard that we have come to expect, and perhaps take too much for granted. The School of Nursing must be one of the best in the State.

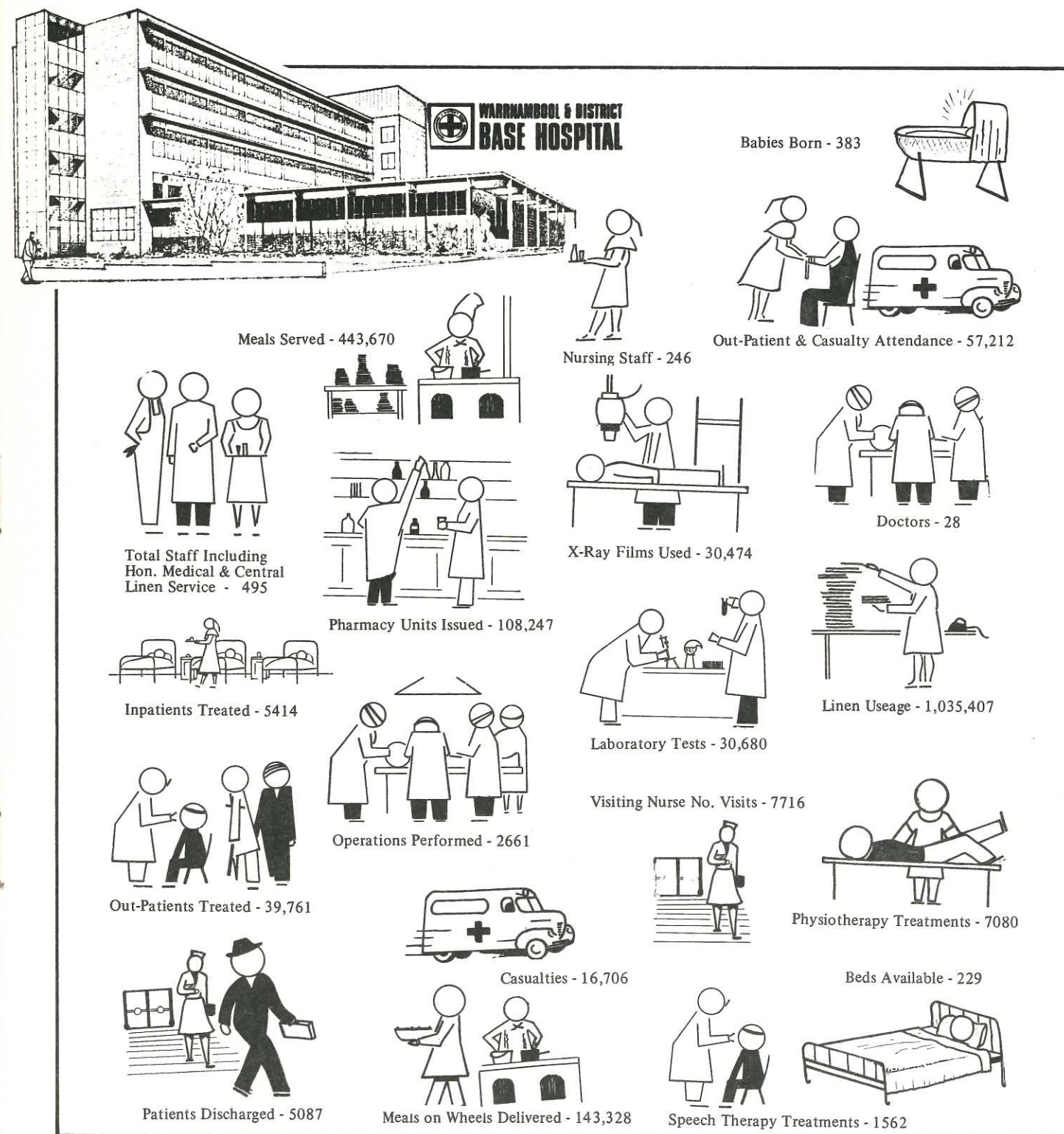
Warrnambool Base Hospital continues to be a happy hospital with close co-operation between Administration, Nursing, and Medical Staffs. This probably explains why it is always progressing to the benefit of the patients and the community.

John D. Reid.

Appendix TO MEDICAL SUPERINTENDENTS REPORT

IN PATIENT - DATA ANALYSIS FOR PERIOD 1/1/71 - 31/12/71

Diagnosis grouping	male	female	total	days	aver. stay	under 14y.	over 64y.	operation	deaths
Infections	314	273	587	5628	9.9	367	55	308	32
Malignant tumours	45	50	95	4171	43.8	1	51	67	32
Benign tumours	13	72	85	523	6.1	7	14	83	1
Nutritional, endocrine metabolic	38	48	86	2166	25.1	31	21	43	5
Mental disease	102	150	252	5066	20.1	25	20	122	6
non infect. eye ear	34	36	70	426	6.0	29	23	69	0
Rheumatic, other heart disease	15	13	28	209	7.4	1	10	11	3
Ischaemic heart disease	84	60	144	3419	22.2	0	76	55	33
Hypertensive heart disease	6	24	30	305	10.1	0	13	16	3
Cerebrovascular disease	26	45	71	2234	37.4	1	55	26	26
Disease blood vessel	36	56	92	1790	19.5	0	30	71	9
non-infectr. respiratory disease	170	121	300	2183	7.2	141	43	221	3
Disease teeth	170	246	416	437	1.0	253	3	415	0
Disease upper digestive tract	37	22	59	662	11.2	9	13	35	2
Hernia, intestinal obstruction	50	13	63	627	9.9	12	21	60	2
Appendix, intest.perit.	83	100	185	1332	7.2	42	21	152	-
Liver, gall bladder, pancreas	17	48	65	983	15	-	19	51	2
Kidney, urinary system	33	48	81	783	9.6	10	21	51	5
Male genital system	34	-	34	508	14.9	4	19	31	1
Breast, female genitals	-	230	230	1367	5.9	1	10	217	-
Complications pregnancy	-	316	316	2550	8.0	-	-	250	1
Skin, muscle, bone	104	128	232	4890	19.8	17	52	160	3
Diseases of blood	31	27	58	2872	4.9	27	19	33	4
Congenital disease	14	21	35	215	6.1	22	1	31	-
Foetal and neonatal disease	14	10	24	478	19.9	24	-	9	3
Investigations, procedures	118	156	274	3764	13.7	73	16	171	3
Fractures & dislocations	156	110	266	2322	8.6	65	51	237	14
Injuries nerve & CNS	37	19	56	1243	22.3	21	-	24	1
Contusion, wounds	116	51	167	2205	13.1	58	10	130	2
Burns	23	9	32	525	16.4	17	1	21	1
Effect of medicines	9	35	44	169	3.3	13	6	18	-
Complications of surgery	9	7	16	76	4.7	8	-	11	-
Toxic & other adverse effects	9	7	16	71	4.4	13	-	5	-
Normal delivery	-	216	216	2235	10.3	-	-	192	-
TOTAL	1957	2767	4724	58434	12.3	1292	694	3396	172



Warrnambool & District Base Hospital

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30th. JUNE, 1973

1972		1973		1972		1973	
\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
LIABILITIES				ASSETS			
MAINTENANCE FUND				MAINTENANCE FUND			
Bank Overdraft	210876	222023		Cash at Bank	4062	4788	
Creditors	53822	43678		Cash in Hand	211	211	
Accrued Expenses	42310	52139		Patients' Fees Outstanding:-			
Advance Income		458		Motor Car, Workers' Comp.	52282	46006	
Other Creditors	420	33991		Repatriation			
Prov. Long Service Leave	103434	103487		Public Qualified	20079	21906	
Accumulated Surplus		5246		Non Public Qualified	155810	154350	
				Outpatients	47889	86713	
					276061	308975	
				Accrued Income	54155	74387	
				Stores	58260	59623	
				Debtors (Others)	9975	13038	
				Prepaid Expenses	938		
				Accumulated Deficit	7200		
	410862	461022			410862	461022	
ENDOWMENT FUND				ENDOWMENT FUND			
Balance	19000	19000		Investments	19000	19000	
SPECIFIC PURPOSE FUND				SPECIFIC PURPOSE FUND			
Reserve		800		Cash at Bank	228225	323721	
Patients Trust	25739	34943		Investments	38900	40606	
Special Purpose (Medical)	120755	180890		Debtors Special Purpose			
Building Fund	110956	134489		(Medical)	10445	8632	
Joseph Archibald Trust	214	219					
Regional Expenses	6	12					
Other	19900	21606					
	277570	372959			277570	372959	
CAPITAL FUND				CAPITAL FUND			
Balance	3166451	3254942		Cash at Bank	17230	23111	
				Land and Buildings	2600284	2642580	
				Plant and Equipment	548937	589251	
	3166451	3254942			3166451	3254942	
TOTAL	3873883	4107923		TOTAL	3873883	4107923	

AUDITORS' REPORT

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MACK, PURCELL & PROWSE
Auditors.

CENTRAL LINEN SERVICE

The Central Linen Service completed another most satisfactory year, processing a total of 2,100,977 (937.94 tons) of Linen at an average cost of 9.57 cents.

The thirty-nine staff members employed in the Central Linen Service, process, repair and deliver the linen requirements to Hospital beds in the Corangamite Region.

1972		1973		1972		1973	
\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
LIABILITIES				ASSETS			
RESERVE FUND				RESERVE FUND			
Provision for				Cash at Bank	11853	21522	
Depreciation	598	15228		Investments	23000	23000	
Maintenance and							
Repairs	12877						
Prov. for Sick and							
Holiday Pay & Long							
Service Leave	9083	15283					
Interest on							
Investments	12295	14011					
	34853	44522			34853	44522	
CURRENT LIABILITIES				CURRENT ASSETS			
Accrued Expenses	4			Cash at Bank	9400	12448	
				Sundry Debtors	9361	14576	
				Stock on Hand:			
				Linen in Use	100476	101088	
				Bulk Linen	38686	39962	
				Misc. Stores	5386	8329	149379
					163309	176403	
CAPITAL ACCOUNT				FIXED ASSETS			
Capital Account	286091	433244		Land & Buildings	102194	256028	
Accumulated Surplus	132679	142378		Laundry Plant	144736	147613	
Balance 1-7-72				Linen Service Plant	2146	2146	
Less Rebates to				Mending & Manufact-			
Participating Hosp-	5905			uring Plant	1395	1395	
itals	126774			Motor Vehicles and			
Surplus for Year				Transport Equip.	14693	16350	
Ended 30-6-73	15604	24314					
Balance 30-6-73	142378	166692			265164	423533	
	428469	599936		TOTAL	463326	644458	
TOTAL	463326	644458					

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WARRNAMBOOL & DISTRICT BASE HOSPITAL

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE 1/7/72 to 30/6/73

MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT

EXPENDITURE	\$	INCOME	\$
Salaries and Wages	1646406	Government Grants & Payments	1025917
Administrative	127943	Patients' Fees	1043753
Dietary	98397	Income from Investments	973
Housekeeping	14190	Income from Sundry Sources	12862
Linen, Laundry and Sewing	123088	Special Purposes Medical	136107
Power, Lighting and Heating	24874	Charitable Contributions	13000
Maintenance	47101		
Medical and Surgical	185325		
	<u>2267324</u>		
Less Board and Lodging	48150		
	<u>2219174</u>	Total Operating Income	<u>2232612</u>
Total Operating Expenditure	2219174	Non Operating Income	2024
Non Operating Salaries and Wages	33529		<u>2234636</u>
Non Operating General Expenses	7141	Deficit for Period	25208
	<u>2259844</u>		<u>2259844</u>

Income and Expenditure expressed as portions of one dollar.

EXPENDITURE		INCOME	
Salaries & Wages (Less Board and Lodging)	70.7c.	Govt. Grants and Payments	45.4c.
Medical and Surgical	8.2c.	Patients' Fees	46.2c.
Administrative	5.7c.	Special Purposes Medical	6.0c.
Linen, Laundry and Sewing	5.4c.	Income from Sundry Sources	0.6c.
Dietary	4.4c.	Charitable Contributions	0.6c.
Maintenance	2.1c.	Non Operating Income	0.1c.
Non Operating Expenses	1.8c.	Deficit	1.1c.
Power, Lighting and Heating	1.1c.		
Housekeeping	0.6c.		
	<u>\$1.00</u>		<u>\$1.00</u>

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT FOR PAST FIVE YEARS

	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
INCOME	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Government Grants and Payments	531962	557154	758195	796805	1025917
Patients' Fees (Including Special Purposes Medical)	645012	716309	792175	1085137	1179860
Charitable Contributions	13000	13000	13000		13000
Income from Investments	960	978	973	973	973
Other	7622	7527	8395	13838	12862
Non Operating Income	1648	1998	1991	2223	2024
Deficiency		2730			25208
TOTAL	<u>1200204</u>	<u>1299696</u>	<u>1574729</u>	<u>1898976</u>	<u>2259844</u>
EXPENDITURE					
Salaries and Wages (Less Board and Lodging)	755411	837080	1056603	1329317	1598256
Administrative	64188	70244	85733	88795	127943
Dietary	82235	87007	90579	95766	98397
Housekeeping	10077	14565	12691	16637	14190
Linen, Laundry and Sewing	76820	89415	84859	99002	123088
Power, Lighting and Heating	32631	31551	31485	27618	24874
Maintenance	36437	29104	30477	37446	47101
Medical and Surgical	99212	122421	158183	172772	185325
Non Operating Expense	16463	18309	23821	31254	40670
Surplus	26730		298	369	
TOTAL	<u>1200204</u>	<u>1299696</u>	<u>1574729</u>	<u>1898976</u>	<u>2259844</u>
Number of Inpatients treated	4923	4846	4961	5175	5414
Daily Average Inpatients	161.2	170.6	169.4	170.1	171.7
Daily Average Stay in Hospital	12.0	12.8	12.5	12.0	11.6
Average Daily Bed Cost Inpatient	\$17.15	\$17.89	\$21.43	\$25.82	\$30.65
Average Cost per Inpatient treated	\$204.94	\$229.86	\$267.05	\$310.76	\$354.85
Number of Outpatients treated	21485	24428	31714	35526	39761
Number of Outpatient Consultations or Treatments	30423	38251	49028	53402	57212
Average Cost per Outpatient Consultation or Treatment	\$4.87	\$4.38	\$4.60	\$4.85	\$5.03

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30th. JUNE, 1973

LIABILITIES			ASSETS		
	1972	1973		1972	1973
	\$	\$		\$	\$
MAINTENANCE FUND			MAINTENANCE FUND		
Bank Overdraft	3060	13812	Cash in Hand	10	10
Creditors	119	498	Patients' Fees Outstanding	1404	952
Accrued Expenses	3303	4006	Accrued Income	4911	16362
Provision for Long Service Leave	7530	6145	Debtors (Others)		106
	<u>15012</u>	<u>24461</u>	Accumulated Deficit	8687	7031
				<u>15012</u>	<u>24461</u>
CAPITAL FUND			CAPITAL FUND		
Balance	61786	63999	Cash at Bank	4879	4579
			Land and Buildings	44577	44578
			Plant & Equipment	12330	14842
	<u>61786</u>	<u>63999</u>		<u>61786</u>	<u>63999</u>
TOTAL	76798	88460	TOTAL	76798	88460

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STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE 1-7-72 TO 30-6-73

MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT

EXPENDITURE		INCOME	
	\$		\$
Salaries and Wages	116333	Government Grants and Payments	34700
Administrative	6126	Patients' Fees	33551
Dietary	7036	Nursing Home Benefits	75561
Housekeeping	426	Charitable Contributions	200
Linen, Laundry and Sewing	8905	Income from Sundry Sources	497
Power, Lighting and Heating	2149		
Maintenance	1043		
Medical and Surgical	835		
	<u>142853</u>		
Surplus for Period	1656		
	<u>144509</u>		<u>144509</u>

Income and Expenditure expressed as portions of one dollar.

EXPENDITURE		INCOME	
Salaries and Wages	89.5c.	Govt. Grants and Payments	24.0c.
Dietary, Linen, Laundry and Sewing	6.2c.	Nursing Home Benefits	52.3c.
Dietary	4.9c.	Patients' Fees	23.2c.
Administrative	4.2c.	Charitable Contribution and Sundry	
Power, Lighting and Heating	1.5c.	Income	0.5c.
Maintenance	0.7c.		
Medical and Surgical	0.5c.		
Housekeeping	0.3c.		
Surplus	1.2c.		
	<u>\$1.00</u>		<u>\$1.00</u>

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COMPARATIVE STATEMENT FOR PAST FIVE YEARS

INCOME	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Government Grants	33600	25000	40900	44300	34700
Patients' Fees (Including Nursing Home Benefits)	51544	63124	57573	72454	109112
Charitable Contributions	200	215	200	200	200
Other	96	100	149	282	497
Deficiency		1489	2672		
TOTAL	<u>85440</u>	<u>89928</u>	<u>101494</u>	<u>117236</u>	<u>144509</u>
EXPENDITURE					
Salaries and Wages (Less Board and Lodging)	65499	71158	82999	93615	116333
Administrative	2394	2662	2680	5104	6126
Dietary	6195	5844	5884	6588	7036
Housekeeping	326	423	326	400	426
Linen, Laundry and Sewing	5344	5286	5014	6125	8905
Power, Lighting and Heating	2295	2026	2175	1975	2149
Maintenance	893	1852	1788	1714	1043
Medical and Surgical	586	677	628	562	835
Surplus	1908			1183	1656
TOTAL	<u>85440</u>	<u>89928</u>	<u>101494</u>	<u>117236</u>	<u>144509</u>
STATISTICAL					
Number of Patients Accommodated	57	46	54	42	40
Daily Average Accommodated	32.7	32.9	32.69	32.91	32.92
Average Daily Bed Cost	\$7.00	\$7.49	\$8.50	\$9.63	\$11.89
Average Cost per Patient Accommodated	\$1465.47	\$1954.96	\$1879.52	\$2763.17	\$3571.33

Corio HOME FOR THE AGED

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30th. JUNE, 1973

LIABILITIES			ASSETS		
MAINTENANCE FUND			MAINTENANCE FUND		
	1972	1973		1972	1973
	\$	\$		\$	\$
Bank Overdraft	4986	24113	Cash in Hand	10	10
Creditors	1280	733	Patients' Fees Outstanding	3461	4116
Accrued Expenses	2201	3296	Accrued Income	6486	24307
Provision for Long Service Leave	10952	14144	Accumulated Deficit	9462	13774
			Debtors (Others)	79	
	19419			19419	42286
		42286			
CAPITAL FUND			CAPITAL FUND		
Bank Overdraft (House Account)	2820	1800	Cash at Bank	3190	2246
Sinking Fund (House Account)	7832	8852	Land and Buildings	64928	64928
Balance	70946	74219	Plant and Equipment	13480	17697
	81598	84871		81598	84871
TOTAL	<u>101017</u>	<u>127157</u>	TOTAL	<u>101017</u>	<u>127157</u>

AUDITORS' REPORT

In our opinion the above Balance Sheet and Statement of Income and Expenditure are properly drawn up so as to give a true and fair view of the Institutions financial affairs at 30th June, 1973, and of the results of its financial operations respectively for the year ended on that date.

The accounting and other records examined by us are, in our opinion, properly maintained.

MACK, PURCELL & PROWSE
Auditors.

CORIO

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE 1/7/73 TO 30/6/73
MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT

EXPENDITURE	\$	INCOME	\$
Salaries and Wages	139475	Government Grants and Payments	13024
Administrative	7384	Patients' Fees	34318
Dietary	9855	Nursing Home Benefits	126088
Housekeeping	651	Charitable Contributions	200
Linen, Laundry and Sewing	15713	Income from Sundry Sources	58
Power, Lighting and Heating	2881	Deficiency for Period	4312
Maintenance	574		
Medical and Surgical	1467		
	<u>178000</u>		<u>178000</u>

Income and Expenditure expressed as portions of one dollar.

EXPENDITURE		INCOME	
Salaries and Wages	78.4c.	Nursing Home Benefits	70.9c.
Linen, Laundry and Sewing	8.8c.	Patients' Fees	19.3c.
Dietary	5.5c.	Govt. Grants and Payments	7.3c.
Administrative	4.2c.	Charitable Contributions and	
Power, Lighting and Heating	1.6c.	Sundry Income	0.1c.
Medical and Surgical	0.8c.	Deficiency	2.4c.
Housekeeping	0.4c.		
Maintenance	0.3c.		
	<u>\$1.00</u>		<u>\$1.00</u>

CORIO

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT FOR PAST FIVE YEARS

INCOME	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Government Grants	24000	12000	27700	21700	13024
Patients' Fees (Including Nursing Home Benefits)	77462	99309	95915	115835	160406
Charitable Contributions	200	200	200	200	200
Other	116	93	53	43	58
Deficiency			478	6672	4312
TOTAL	<u>101778</u>	<u>111602</u>	<u>124346</u>	<u>144450</u>	<u>178000</u>

EXPENDITURE	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Salaries and Wages (Less Board and Lodging)	68827	78585	96316	109206	139475
Administrative	2607	2895	3215	5702	7384
Dietary	9510	8936	9067	9576	9855
Housekeeping	949	633	590	761	651
Linen, Laundry and Sewing	8779	9359	10317	12078	15713
Power, Lighting and Heating	2466	2297	2402	2501	2881
Maintenance	1741	3156	1166	3070	574
Medical and Surgical	1768	1157	1273	1556	1467
Surplus	5131	4584			
TOTAL	<u>101778</u>	<u>111602</u>	<u>124346</u>	<u>144450</u>	<u>178000</u>

STATISTICAL

Number of Patients Accommodated	72	74	72	79	68
Daily Average Accommodated	46.7	46.6	46.66	46.61	46.80
Average Daily Bed Cost	\$5.66	\$6.29	\$7.30	\$8.47	\$10.42
Average Cost per Patient Accommodated	\$1342.32	\$1446.19	\$1727.02	\$1828.48	\$2617.65

Life Governors

as at
30th JUNE, 1972.

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Mr. W.H. Bligh, W'bool.
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Mr. N. Bradley, Adelaide.
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Mrs. I.M. Bruce, 277 Lava St., W'bool.
Mrs. L. Burleigh, Nullawarre.
Dr. Irving Buzzard, Melbourne.
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Miss Agnes Campbell, Framlingham.
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Mr. S. Davidson, Woolsthorpe.
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Mr. W. Fleming, W'bool.
Dr. J.K. Gardner, Melbourne.
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Mrs. Margaret Good, "Halfpenny Green", Woolsthorpe.
Mr. J.C. Grauer, Allansford.
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Mr. L. Howard, Dennington.
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Mrs. V. Hyland, Woodford.

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Miss Edna J. Jones, "Union", Woolsthorpe.
Mr. Fletcher Jones, Mickle St., W'bool.
Miss Gwen Anne Jones, "Union", Woolsthorpe.
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Miss Sarah Latta, Woolsthorpe.
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Mr. Kenneth Lloyd, 431 Sailor's Bay Rd., Northbridge, Sydney
Dr. K.W. Longton, 294 Timor St., W'bool.
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Mrs. A.G. Lumsden, 83 Drummond St., Dennington.
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Miss L.A. Mack, 11 Henna St., W'bool.
Mrs. H.G. Marfell, Geelong.
Mrs. J.I. Mathieson, Nullawarre.
Mr. G. Mathieson, 340 Timor St., W'bool.
Mr. Bruce Morris, Howard St., W'bool.
Mrs. M. McDonald, "Siberia", Purnim.
Mrs. W. McEwan, W'bool.
Mr. Ernie McKenna, Purnim.
Mr. A.R. McLachlan, 7 Hider St., W'bool.
Mrs. H. McLaren, 30 Armstrong St., Colac.
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Mr. G. Nicoll, Melbourne.
Mrs. Margaret T.M. Officer, Kyneton.
Cr. P. O'Sullivan, Allansford Rd., W'bool.
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Mr. P.T. Parker, 108 Skene St., W'bool.
Mrs. T. J. Parker, 32 Garden Grve, Carrara, Qld.
Mrs. M.E. Paterson, Ocean Grove.
Mrs. R.E. Pattison, 90 Skene St., W'bool.
Mr. K. Robinson, Purnim.
Mr. Harvey Rogalsky, 2 Cramer St., W'bool.
Mr. J.C. Rule, Ferguson St., W'bool.
Mr. P.V. King, 1 Howard St., W'bool.
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Mrs. R.J. Russell, Banyan St., W'bool.
Mr. A.E. Scott, Southern Cross.
Mr. L. Sedgley, Purnim.
Mr. D. Shilson, W'bool.
Mrs. A.B. Smart, 8 Mickle St., W'bool.
Cr. H.I. Stephenson, 58 Hickford Pde., W'bool.
Mrs. W.C. Surridge, 80 Jamieson St., W'bool.
Mrs. V. Surkitt, Caramut.
Miss D.A. Swinton, 276 Timor St., W'bool.
Mr. D.N. Symons, 201 Liebig St., W'bool.
Mrs. D. Taylor, Nelson St., W'bool.
Mrs. A. Thorpe, 4 Cyma St., W'bool.
Mrs. A. Warren, W'bool.
Mrs. J.C. Whitehead, "Goodwood", Hawkesdale.
Mrs. Kenneth Whitehead, "Spring Creek", Minhamite.
Mrs. Una Wilson, "Tulliallan", Pte. Bag, W'bool.
Mrs. N.T. Wines, 342 Timor St., W'bool.
Mr. Claude Witton, Winslow.
Mrs. R.V. Whitehead, "Wuroit" P.B. W'bool.



SCHOOLS

ALLANSFORD State School	20.00
ALLANS FOREST State School	3.45
CARAMUT ROAD Technical Coll.	13.17
COORAMOOK State School	2.50
CUDGEE State School	9.53
DENNINGTON State School	4.54
ELLERSLIE State School	12.01
FRAMLINGHAM EAST State School	3.00
GRASMERE State School	7.18
HAWKESDALE State School	21.50
JAMIESON STREET State School	60.00
KIRKSTALL State School	2.05
LAANG State School	3.00
LIONS HOPKINS Kindergarten	1.90
MAILORS FLAT State School	2.70
NARINGAL State School	7.40
NIRRANDA State School	5.68
NULLAWARRE State School	5.00
NULLAWARRE NORTH State School	1.55
OUR LADY HELP OF CHRISTIANS	6.07
PANMURE State School	9.25
PURNIM Primary School	3.15
ST. ANN'S College	3.95
ST. JOSEPH'S School	26.46
ST. PIUS Catholic School	20.00
W'BOOL CENTRAL Kindergarten	14.37
EAST W'BOOL Kindergarten	2.80
W'BOOL EAST State School	29.69
W'BOOL High School	13.10
W'BOOL NORTH Technical School	7.00
W'BOOL SOUTH Kindergarten	15.02
W'BOOL SOUTH State School	6.80
W'BOOL WEST Kindergarten	.43
W'BOOL WEST Primary School	45.71
WARRONG State School	2.30
WINSLOW State School	2.15
WOOLESTHORPE State School	10.00
WOORNDOO State School	4.44

AUXILIARIES

ALVESTON DARBY & JOAN	367.50
CARAMUT Auxiliary	240.00
CORIO DARBY & JOAN	900.00
HAWKESDALE Auxiliary	470.00
JUNIOR LADIES Auxiliary	650.00
NARINGAL Auxiliary	220.00
NULLAWARRE, MEPUNGA, NIRRANDA Auxiliaries (Including District Collections 271.60)	608.00
PAST TRAINEES Association	497.00
PURNIM, FRAMLINGHAM, GRASMERE Auxiliaries	150.00
SENIOR LADIES Auxiliary	300.00
STAFF AUXILIARY BASE	
HOSPITAL DARBY & JOAN	5543.61
WOOLESTHORPE Auxiliary	563.00

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Shire of Mortlake	50.00
Shire of Minhamite	25.00
Shire of Warrnambool	400.00

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CHURCH OF CHRIST	1.40
GRASMERE PRESBYTERIAN	8.00
SALVATION ARMY CORPS.	11.00
ST. JOHN'S PRESBYTERIAN	59.24
SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST	13.68
WANGOOM PRESBYTERIAN	36.00
WARRNAMBOOL BAPTIST	40.00

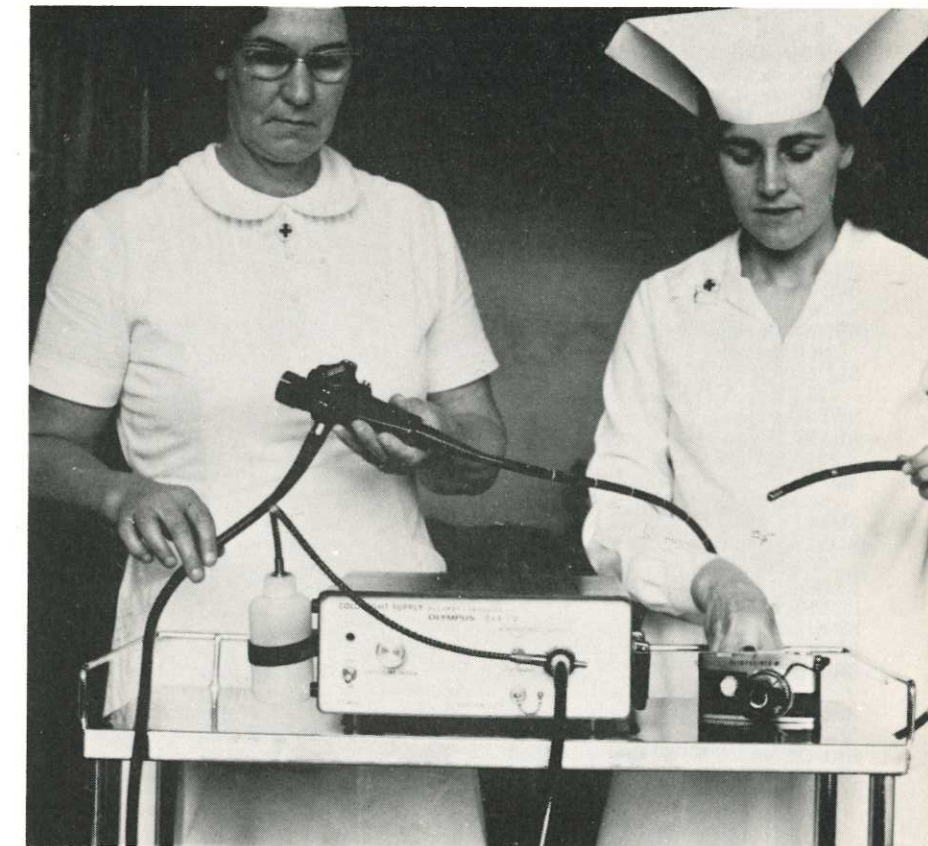
LORD MAYOR FUND

McPhersons Ltd.	10.00
National Bank of Australasia Ltd.	10.00
Johns & Waygood	5.00
C.B.C. of Sydney	10.00
C.I.G.	10.00
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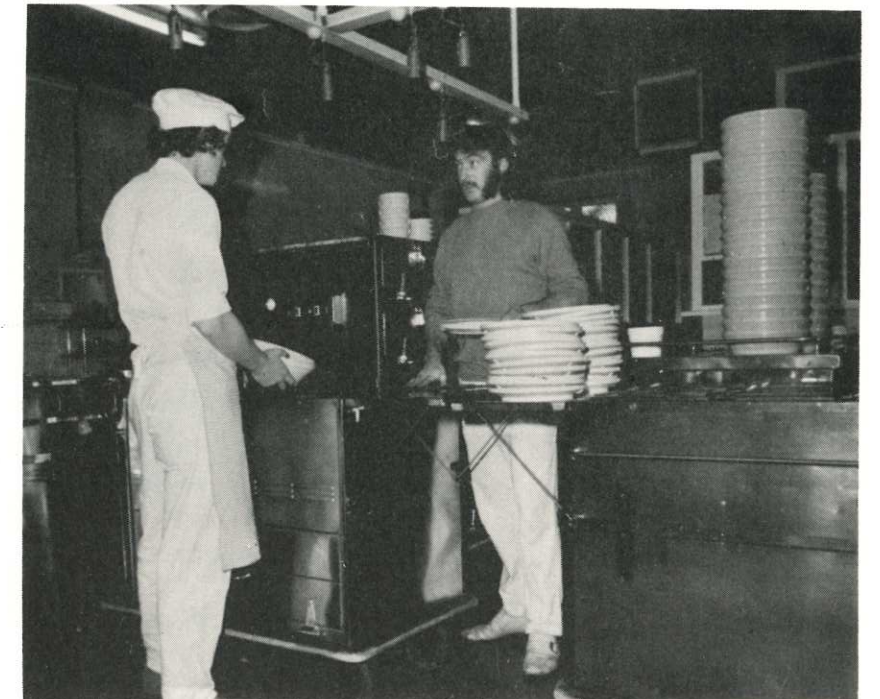
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ANDERSON, Mr. Les, Nullawarre	4.00		
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		GRANT, Don & Jan, Cudgee	5.00
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		JOHNSON, Mr. R., Woolesthorpe	2.00
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		JONES, Misses G. & E., Union, Woolesthorpe	50.00
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		KELLY, Mr. F., Breton St., W'bool.	10.00
		KELSON, D., 115 Drummond St., Dennington	2.00
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		KRAFT FOODS LTD., Allansford	100.00
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		LAWRENCE & HANSON, Box 227, South Melbourne	5.00
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		LEE, A., Wangoom	2.00
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