The Society for the Health of Women and Children of Victoria

The Tweddle Hospital for Babies and School of Mothercraft



THREE LITTLE AUSTRALIANS (6 weeks' premature)

	Weight at									We	ight				
	Birth								at						
	8/11/46							5/7/47							
Charlotte			4	lbs.	6	ozs.			16	lbs.	6	ozs.			
David		***	4	lbs.	7-1	ozs.			16	lbs.	7	ozs.			
Anne		O 60	3	lbs.	1.1.	ozs.			15	lbs.	1-1.	ozs.			

TWENTY-SEVENTH

Annual Report . . 1946-47

Aims and Objects

- I. To Uphold the Sacredness of the Body and the Duty of Health; to inculcate a lofty view of the responsibilities of maternity and the duty of every mother to fit herself for the perfect fulfilment of the natural calls of motherhood, both before and after childbirth, and especially to advocate and promote the breast-feeding of infants.
- 2. To acquire accurate information and knowledge on matters affecting the Health of Women and Children, and to disseminate such knowledge through the agency of its members, nurses, and others, by means of the natural handing-on from one recipient or beneficiary to another, and the use of such agencies as periodical meetings at members' houses or elsewhere, demonstrations, lectures, correspondence, newspaper articles, pamphlets, books, etc.
- 3. To train specially and to employ qualified Nurses, to be called Plunket Nurses, whose duty it will be to give sour, reliable instruction, advice and assistance, gratis, to any member of the community desiring such services, on matters affecting the health and well-being of women, especially during pregnancy and while nursing infants, and on matters affecting the health and well-being of their children; and also to endeavor to educate and help parents and others in a practical way in domestic hygiene in general—all these things being done with a view to conserving the health and strength of the rising generation, and rendering both mother and offspring hardy, healthy, and resistive to disease.
- 4. To co-operate with any present or future organisations which are working for any of the foregoing or cognate objects.

N.B.—The Society was started as a League for mutual helpfulness and mutual education, with a full recognition of the fact that, so far as motherhood and babyhood are concerned, there was as much need for practical reform and "going to school" on the part of the cultured and well-to-do as there was on the part of the so-called "poor and ignorant."

THE SOCIETY FOR THE HEALTH OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN OF VICTORIA

and

The Tweddle Hospital for Babies and School of Mothercraft
(Truby King System)

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Central Office Address:
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Phone: MU 2964 - 4814.

Hospital Address:

Barkly St., Footscray.

Phone: MW 3425

An Infant Welfare Centre is Maintained at:
Kelvin Hall 55 Collins Place, Melbourne.
(Sister Stirling)

For Visiting Sister Phone Central 4787.

THE SOCIETY FOR THE HEALTH OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN OF VICTORIA AND THE TWEDDLE HOSPITAL FOR BABIES AND SCHOOL OF MOTHERCRAFT (Truby King System)

27th Annual Report

1946-47

This report, our Twenty-seventh, comes before you after a difficult but successful year, the highlights of which were the continued increases in salaries, wages and cost of supplies at the Hospital; shortage of staff both technical and domestic and buoyancy of revenue brought about mainly through the efforts of those most valuable and important bodies, Auxiliaries, who now number five.

We are happy to place on record the forming of a Plunket Welfare Auxiliary consisting of 53 Infant Welfare Sisters, all of whom were trained at the Tweddle Baby Hospital.

They have shown splendid resource in undertaking to pay for the new Coke Cooking Range recently installed at the Hospital at a cost of £400.

An increase of 25 per cent. on last year's costs has occurred in maintaining the Hospital and despite the rise in salaries and wages it has been a very trying year for Matron Graham in ${\bf k}$ eeping the staff up to strength, particularly on the domestic side.

Income is on a par with 1946 and we have to thank the State Government, through the Charities Board, for some additional assistance under this head.

Patients' and Trainees' fees have increased, the former showing the effect of extra charges occasioned by the additional living cost.

We are glad to see the increase in our Building Fund, of £620 during the year and again draw the attention of our supporters to the plan of crediting their donations to individual accounts, so that, when the Hospital is built portions of same may be called after the donors.

It is with great pleasure we announce that Dr. L. Lloyd-Green and Dr. V. L. Collins have joined the Executive and are to act as Honorary Medical Advisers to the Society.

The 26th Annual Meeting was held at the Oriental Hotel, Melbourne, on the 16th September, at which our President, Lady Angliss took the chair. The Report and Accounts for the year ended 30th June, 1946, were adopted and retiring Executive re-elected. The speakers were Dr. Meredith, Miss F. Anderson and Mr. A. S. H. Gifford. Members and guests were entertained with afternoon tea at the conclusion of the Meeting.

Obituary

We place on record the loss of one of the Society's original supporters, the late Mrs. Edgar Dye, a most ardent and sincere worker, who is sadly missed, and we convey to her relatives our sincere condolences.

Kelvin Hall Infant Welfare Centre

This Centre is maintained entirely by the Society at a cost of £500 annually and is in charge of Sister M. Stirling, who is giving good service to mothers and babies. Attendances at this Centre for the year were 2,824 babies and 1,222 telephone calls were made by mothers for advice, 82 letters of advice written and 734 test feedings made. Printed notices framed by Messrs. Conroy & Moffatt have been placed in prominent positions in the rooms and have already had the effect of increasing donations.

Royal Agricultural Show, 1946

The Society's Kiosk was supervised by Sister Stirling during Show Week, where advice was given mothers, the attendance figures being as follows:—

- 110 Consultations, 69 Test Feedings, 29 Artificial Feedings and two Expectant Mothers interviewed.
- Demonstrations on cot making and Baby bathing were also given.

Our thanks are due to the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals for their help in transferring our effects to and from Kelvin Hall and the Show Grounds.

Infant Welfare Centres.

Sister K. Devine and Sister I	
Sister O. Doig, Sister Carr	Footscray.
Sister I. V. Macpherson, Sister Carr	Yarraville and Kingsville.
Sisters K. Hughes, Beveridge and Cannon	Coburg (South and West), Merlynston.
Sister S. M. Cameron	Kyneton and Trentham.
Sisters L. Hancock and A. L. Swalling	Braybrook, Sunshine, Maid- stone, St. Albans, Deerpark, Maribyrnong.
Sister McKellar and Sister I. Brennan	Williamstown.
Sister Rawolle and Siste Brennan =	
Sister N. Lehan	Swan Hill, Nyah, and Ny a h West.
Sister Williams	Dandenong and Springvale.
Sister Rees	Noble Park and Carrum Downs.
Sister N. White	Kilmore and Euroa.
Sister Holland	Preston.
Sister Schrader	Seymour, Tallarook and Avenel.
Sister G. H. Lade	East Malvern and Glenroy.
Sister Sheppard	Werribee and Little River.
Sister Stirling	Infant Welfare Centre, Collins Place.
Sister Binks	Truby King Mothercraft, Buck-
	ley and Nunn, City.

The following are a few extracts taken from the Centre Sisters' Annual Report:—

Sister K. Devine and Sister P. Joyce (Reliever), West Footscray: "Pre-natal talks and demonstrations are given to Mothers and those interested, on the first Tuesday of each month from 11.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. Five student Nurses attended for Centre experience during the year."

Sister L. Hancock and Sister A. L. Swalling (Sunshine and Sub-Centres): "Our Ante-Natal Clinic, which was opened this year has now become well established. All Public Hospital cases of the surrounding district attend on Thursday between 2 and 4 p.m. The Directress of the Sunshine Free Kindergarten periodically brings the Toddlers for an inspection and to be weighed and measured. Owing to attendances increasing at Maidstone, the Clinic was opened on alternate Mondays for infants over 9 months."

Sister Doig (Footscray): "The attendance at the Centre has been satisfactory. Two disappointing factors with our work here is: firstly, the number of artificially fed babies under six months. Large numbers of young mothers anxious to breastfeed but somehow, for some reason, are only able to for a few months. Maybe due to ante-natal care as it is very difficult to get in touch with the expectant mothers. Secondly, the small amount of time we are able to give the pre-school child and feel sure with **more room** and better facilities a lot of good work could be done here."

Sister Macpherson (Yarraville): "There has been a marked improvement in attendance at Centre. It is regrettable that the incidence of natural feeding is not higher."

Sister McKellar (Williamstown): "Centre working satisfactorily. Numbers show an increase on previous year, the birth rate being up 21%. Work is still hampered for lack of space. Council sympathetic but building still not in sight."

Sister Lehan (Swan Hill): "I visit Balranald, N.S.W., every alternate Tuesday. This is a temporary arrangement until a Centre can be established there."

Sister Rawolle (Newport): "The attendances have increased by nearly 1,000 this year. General condition of babies is very good and there have not been any deaths of babies attending Centre. The Williamstown Younger Set presented this Centre

with Toddlers' Scales which are greatly appreciated by the Mothers and I find them most helpful."

Sister Rees (Spring Vale): "Spring Vale is rapidly extending and fast becoming an Industrial suburb.

"Mothercraft Lectures and demonstrations were given to Senior State School Girls and also Senior Girls of the Roman Catholic School. The co-operation of the Head Master and the staff of the State School has been keenly appreciated.

"Mothers' Meetings have been held monthly and visiting speakers chosen to address the meetings.

"The Play-Leader (Miss Helen Gibson) appointed this year to the Spring Vale and Noble Park Play Grounds has already done a wonderful work with the children.

"The Ladies' Committee continues its past good work in keeping both the Centre and the Play Grounds equipped."

Sister Rees (Noble Park): "The number of babies at the Noble Park Centre is rapidly increasing. Many new families have moved into the district. Mothercraft lectures and demonstrations have been given to Senior Girls of the State School.

"A very enthusiastic and energetic committee and an excellent secretary have carried out magnificient work in establishing the work of the Playgroup. The Central Committee continued to raise funds consistently throughout the year, their objective being the building of a Playroom attached to the Centre Building. We believe that there is a great future for Noble Park."

Sister Williams (Dandenong) reports: "A year of active and progressive work. The pre-school Groups are under the able direction of Miss Pegler. Dandenong groups attend every day.

"Visiting by the Sisters is appreciated by mothers who are unable to attend the Centre due either to ill-health or weaklings, or premature babies. 422 new babies were visited during the year.

"Eighty pre-school children were immunised against diphtheria by Dr. Sir Gilbert Boileau. Special afternoons have been arranged for mothers, and speakers of interest have addressed them.

"Due to the efforts of the Voluntary Defence Corps, Lyndhurst, and proceeds of a Ball held by the ladies of that district, a Mobile Library was presented to the Infant Welfare Centre.

"Visitors of note and distinction have visited the Centre from Sydney, New Zealand and Mrs. Irving-Robertson's visit from the Toronto, Canadian Mothercraft Training School, was of special interest."

Sister Gayford (North Balwyn): "From 19th May, 1947, this Centre has been open as a full time Centre and is proving very satisfactory to the mothers. The interest of the mothers who attend is still being maintained and this year's figures show an increase from the previous year. Also the Committee has increased its numbers and are working enthusiastically."

Sister Stirling (Collins Place): "Attendances 178 less than previous year; chiefly in the over 12 months group, but telephone consultations exceeded previous year, also callers considerably so, attributed to the numbers visiting Royal Show for 10 days last September, 1946, where an Infant Welfare Centre was conducted and much appreciated by Country mothers."

Hospital Training

Eighteen Trained Nurses entered during the year as Trainees for the Infant Welfare Course. Eighteen passed the Hospital Examination and gained the Society's certificate. Eighteen Plunket Sisters passed the Infant Welfare State Nurses' Board Examination. The following are the names of the Trainees:—Pauline Frances McAnuff, Marjorie Adelaide Brown, Violet Page, Nellie White, Kathleen Scarth, May Bertha Holmes, Florence Isobelle Buckingham, Eileen Agnes McCormack, Rose Louise Elliott, Margaret Mervyn Griffith, Lillian Rita Douglas, Joyce Harries Weidenhofer, Margaret Elsie Foley, Grace Mackenzie, Edith Louisa Alexander, Audrey Alice Jaffer.

Primrose Nurses

Twelve Primrose Probationers entered for training. The following are the names of those who completed their training in Mothercraft and gained the Hospital Certificate:—

Pauline Irma Leschen, Elizabeth Jean Moore, Kathleen Ruth Merrifield, Mary Beswick Roberts, Ruth Mary Cameron, Dorothy Knight-Gregson, |Louise Knight-Gregson, Margaret Evelyn Turner, Ruth Estelle Ewins, Elizabeth Mary Punshon, Margaret Kathleen Dean, Dorothy J. Brebner.

"Invergowrie" Homecraft Hostel Students

Sister Stirling has again delivered lectures and given demonstrations to an enthusiastic class of students at "Invergowrie"

during the year. Practical examinations were carried out by Sisters Anderson and Ross and Nurse I. P. Leschen, 51 students being examined, and 50 being successful in gaining the Schoolgirls' Mothercraft Certificate.

Miss Goldenberg, the Pre-School Educational Supervisor of the Infant Welfare Department, lectured to the Primrose Nurse Trainees on "The Pre-School Child." Six lectures were given. The students were also taken on conducted tours by Miss Goldenberg to the following Centres:—The Lady Northcote Free Kindergarten, The Lady Foster Kindergarten, and the Lady Huntingfield Kindergarten. The students recorded their observations as practical "onlookers," afterwards each compiling a book containing the outstanding points of the lectures and emphasising the practical features noted at the Centres.

The Executive and Matron Graham wish to thank Miss Goldenberg for her interest and valued instruction to the student nurses.

Staff Changes

During the year the following resignations were regretfully received from Sister Evelyn Ross, and Sister Pauline McAnuff as Sister Tutors.

The Executive and Matron wish to express to Sister Ross their sincere thanks and appreciation for her keen interest in the students, and her splendid work for the hospital generally. To Sister McAnuff we extend our thanks for the high standard of work she also maintained.

Sister Marjorie Brown was appointed Staff Sister in November, 1946, and has given most satisfactory service. Sister Rita Douglas was appointed Sister Tutor in Sister McAnuff's stead.

Mrs. H. Richardson was appointed to the staff in July, 1946, as Clerical Assistant and Domestic Supervisor. We appreciate Mrs. Richardson's excellent work in coping with the difficult domestic problems that have arisen so frequently.

"Tweddle" Hospital for Babies

From the 1st July, 1946, to 30th June, 1947, 196 babies and 153 mothers were admitted, making a total of 349. These, with the addition of 10 babies and 4 mothers carried from the previous year, make a total of 206 babies and 157 mothers, all being resident in hospital, and under treatment for varying periods during the year.

The average length of stay has been 18.7 days for babies and 7.7 for mothers. Of these 196 babies under treatment, four died, the infant mortality rate being 2 per cent.

Hospital Statistics

Adn	nitted.	Discl	harged.	Deaths.	In Residence.				
Babies.	Mothers.	Babies.	Mothers.	Babies.	Babies.	Mothers.			
196	153	192	155	4	10	4			

Analysis of Deaths

Age when Admitted	Weight at Birth	Condition on Admission	Cause of Death	Length of Time in Hospital			
6 months	(Admittance weight 8 lbs. One of triplets. Prematurity (two	Unsatisfactory Nutritionally. Slow to gain Re-admitted to Tweddle Hospital after a period of observa- tion at Children's Hospital.	2.000	7 days			
30 hours	3 lbs (One of twins)	Cyanosed	Prematurity (6 weeks)	28 hours			
47 hours	3 lbs 6½ oz. (One of twins)	Respiration shallow. Cyanosed.	Prematurity (2 months)	46 hours			
11 days	2 lbs. 4 oz.	Temperature subnormal for 48 hours. Wasted.	Prematurity (13 weeks)	4 days			
		Colour grey.	<u>.</u>				

The Executive and Matron wish to express their thanks and appreciation to Dr. Guy Springthorpe for his continued services to the Training School, as lecturer and examiner.

To Dr. J W. Ward and Dr. F. Ross, honorary medical advisers to the hospital, our thanks are due.

The following doctors have lectured to the trainees during the year:—Dr. G. B. Bearham, Dr. H. L. Stoke, Dr. Guy Springthorpe, Dr. Scott, Dr. Nicholson, Dr. Hallows, Dr. H. Sinn, Dr. Boyd Graham. The Executive greatly appreciates these honorary services.

The honorary services of Mr. F. Trainor, as lecturer in public speaking, are greatly valued.

Hospital Lectures and Demonstrations for the Year

Doctors'	Lectures			 	<u>.</u>	45
Doctors'	Clinics at	Women's	Hospital	 		18

Matron's Lectures and Clinics	110
Practical Demonstrations by Sister Tutor to	
Students and Mothers	90
Practical Demonstrations by Trainees	90
Practical Demonstrations Given to Mothers and	
Repeated by Mothers	160

The following donations were received at Christmas, 1946: —Central Auxiliary (per Lady Angliss), £10; Footscray Auxiliary, £10; Mr. A S. H. Gifford, £5/5/-; Mrs. James Wilson, senr., Xmas cake; Mrs. James Wilson, junr., £2/2/-; Mr. G. St. J. Curwen, drinks; Mrs. E. M. Angliss, Xmas puddings, jams and groceries; Mr. J. P. Knight, 1 turkey; Mr. Pryde, Footscray, 4 doz. eggs; Mrs. P. A. Crivelli, 1 bag of sugar.

Other donations received during 1946-1947:—Four stools from Mr. Hopkins, Footscray; 38 flannel jackets, and 42 knitted vests made and given by Miss Brown and students of North Williamstown Girls School; hand-knitted woollies from Mrs. W. A. Coxen; 6 doz. Soap Novelties from the Preservine Co. Pty. Ltd.; fruit and vegetables from Mrs. Ruston; vegetables from Mr. C. A. Parker, Footscray; one case pears, one case of apples, two loins and two legs of lamb from Mr. Gavin Shaw, Digby; kitchen utensils from Mrs. Greenham and Mrs. Paterson, of the Footscray Auxiliary; J. F. Thompson Pty. Ltd., for Coke Bin.

From the Footscray Auxiliary, also, was received the splendid gift of an electric scrubbing and polishing machine, which has lightened our work in the domestic realm considerably. From the same source, too, came a goodly parcel of haber-dashery, to the value of £4/10/-.

The Central Auxiliary have donated china for the Mothers' Cottage.

The Southern Auxiliary have sent us a lawn mower, together with other garden tools.

Donations from patients:—Mrs. Fetherstonhaugh, 10/6; Mrs. Marshall, £1.

We extend our sincere thanks to all those voluntary workers who, by their work and interest, have made the year a successful one, and look forward to another year of co-operation in fulfilling the Society's aims and objects.

BENA ANGLISS, President. STUART DAVIS, Hon. Sec.

Summary of Work Done by Plunket Sisters in Their Several Centres from 1st July, 1946, to 30th June, 1947

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Name of Centre	Number of Birth Notification Received	Total of New Cases Babies	Bab atter Cent Under 12 mths.	nding	Total	Total attendance Bables only	New Cases	Number, of Consulta- tions	Visits to Homes	Babies	Mothers	Babies	Mothers	Tel. Calls Letters Received & Answered			Ser	
Footscray		552	669	701	1370	14858	65	252	1242	153	14	36	10	603	8	-	4	-1
West Footscray	254	308	258	433	691	7834	23	121	882	72	17	16	1	138	10	4	-	-
Kingsville	75	82	70	83	153	1783	4	7	222	9	-	-	23	-	1	177	1	1
Yarraville	490	440	503	409	912	11122	8	23	562	93	14	-	-	62	-	_	4	3
Coburg & Sub-Centres .	.1236	1359	1327	981	2308	21928	24	39	2257	30	5	1	_	652	6	-	-	-
Williamstown		363	360	407	767	11064	78	204	781	163	8	6	2	310	3	- Salari	1	-
Kyneton & Sub-Centres		150	154	177	331	2423	29	81	572	103	_	-	-	19	3	-	-	
Swan Hill & Sub-Centres	347	266	235	200	435	2801	13	19	455	48	22	-		118	4	3	3	2
Braybrook & Sub-Centres	381	303	383	161	544	5518	12	69	1346	120	7	25	6	58	22	2	3	2
Newport		286	310	271	581	8228	1.1	49	450	76	-	8		132	100	-	_	-
Spotswood	. 58	60	49	74	123	1904	7	24	168	15	1.1	2	-	4	-	-	-	-
Dandenong & Sub-Centres		369	390	570	960	7375	34	75	500	35	8		-	42	1	-	-	_
Preston		663	662	453	1115	10683	24	95	371	155	17	10	3	76	6	-	-	-
Kilmore		31	27	45	72	-	12	12	, —	6	-	_	43	-	-	-	-	-
Upper Beaconsfield		1.1	8	28	36	318	7	-	5	4	_	_	1	-	-	1	_	-
Tallarook	11	10	- 8	16	24	173	7	26	17	1	-	_	-	_	2	-	-	-
Seymour		108	98	105	203	2368	7	34	469	6	- 1	-	-	62	1	-	1	-
Avenel		14	14	27	41	486	3	4	1.77	777	-	-		-		77	77.5	-
Noble Park		75	61	90	151	1236	6	33	-	12		1	1000	14		-	-	-
North Balwyn	110	84	69	104	173	2387	8	8	154	7	1.77	2	-	57	3	-	12	_
Glenroy	. 122	17	20	25	45	518	- 3	25	-	2	_	_	-		-	2	-	-
East Malvern	. :=	150	206	170	376	3271	19	78	=	33	1.1	50	-	1085		=	7	-
(Collins Place)		138	143	181	324	2824	52	78	-	47	1	-	7	1222	3	-	-	-
(Buckley & Nunn Ltd		286	302	165	467	4113	-	_		213	17	77.0	-	662	77.0	-	-20	-
Werribee & Sub-Centre	. 287	153	135	112	247	2457	20	46		83	14	2	1	123	77.	-	_	-
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THE SOCIETY FOR THE HEALTH OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN OF VICTORIA Balance Sheet as at 30th June, 1947

LIABILITIES	ASSETS
Bank Overdraft—Maintenance £576 0 9 Sundry Creditors 137 16 9 Building Fund 2,699 1 2 Endowment Fund 1,500 0 0 Hospital Capital 7,335 0 3	Cash on Hand £2 0 Bank Account—Building Fund 1,599 1 Stores on Hand 120 0 Building Fund Investment— 1,100 0 Commonwealth Bonds 1,100 0 Endowment Investment— 1,500 0 Freehold Land 1,500 0 Buildings 4,907 0 Plant and Equipment 1,201 13 Showground Kiosk 64 18 Maintenance Fund—Deficit 253 6
£12,247 18 11	£12,247 18 1
BUILDIN	G FUND
To Balance, 1/7/46	By Balance, 30/6/47 £2,699 1

Examined and found correct—
DIGBY & KELLAM,
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THE SOCIETY FOR THE HEALTH OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN OF VICTORIA MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT

Statement of Income and Expenditure from 1st July, 1946, to 30th June, 1947

EXPENDITURE	INCOME	
Ordinary Expenditure—	By Ordinary Income—	
Provisions	Government Grant	. £1,385 0
Surgery and Dispensary 51 4 2	" Charitable Contributions—	
Domestic	Annual Subscriptions £616 6	0
Salaries and Wages 2,174 7 4	Hospital Surday and Lord	
Kelvin Hall Welfare Centre 453 16 5	Mayor's Fund 225 6	
Miscellaneous and Administration 271 12 11	Donations	0
		-1,23917
Service Cost	"Patients' Fees	1,476 13
Depreciation on Building and Equipment 186 9 4	,, Miscellaneous—	
	Trainees' Fees 591 11	0
Extraordinary Charges— 4,652 7 6	Badges and Pamphlets 20 9	0
Refund of part of last year's charge for	Interest 21 6	0
rehabilitation (Commonwealth Gov-		- 633 6
ernment) 215 6 0		
4.437 1 6		
Surplus for Year 297 15 7		
		04 704 17
£4,734 17 1		£4,734 17

List of Donations and Subscriptions for the Year Ended 30th June, 1947

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A.N.A., Footscray Angliss, Sir Wm. Angliss, Mrs. E. M. Barnes, Mr Bock, Mrs. Bock, Miss, Money Box Central Auxiliary Commercial Bank of A/sia. Commonwealth Fertilisers Connibere Bros Connibere Bros Dunlop Perdriau Rubber Co. Dye, E. M Eagle Star Ins. Co. Footscrav Auxiliary Footscray City Council Headmistress' Association Hector, J Herald & Weekly Times	75 3 2 5 2 5 3 50 5	0 1 0 10 0 3 0 5 0 0 3		Metropolitan Gas Co. McCasker, Mrs	3 0 1 0 0 2 1 1 4 4 0 0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
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MRS. F. W. GREEN. MRS. J. HUME-COOK

MRS. A. T. IRVINE. MISS A. M. KEILLER.

MRS. W. GORDON.

MRS. H. KERR.

MRS. H. E. LITTLE.

MRS. E. LUMSDEN.

MRS. W. F. MERRELL.

MRS. C. McCORMACK.

MRS. E. K. MacKAY.

MRS. H. E. McNAUGHTON

MRS. O. J. NILSEN.

MRS. C. OGILVIE.

MRS. D. RANKIN.

MRS. STRUAN ROBERTSON.

MRS. W. J. SENNITT.

MRS. J. H. SPIERS.

MRS. F. B. SUHR.

MRS. G. S. TAYLOR.

TO OUR MEMBERS

Ladies,—It is with pleasure that we submit the Eighteenth Annual Report for the year ended 30th June, 1947. Members have again given splendid service, and as a result of their help and co-operation we are able to report another satisfactory year.

Our meetings have been very friendly gatherings, the majority of them having been held at the Melbourne Town Hall through the courtesy of the Lord Mayor and the Town Clerk. The final meeting for 1946 was held at "Benbow," the home of Lady Angliss, when members spent a very happy afternoon. The February meeting was held at the home of another member, Mrs. E. M. Angliss, and at a later date, when a room at the Town Hall was not available, the meeting was held at Georges Tea Rooms.

The principal activity for the year was a Card Party, which was held at the Mutual Tea Rooms on 2nd June. Mrs. G. Connor kindly undertook the duties of Honorary Ticket Secretary, and Mrs. S. E. Brunning those of Honorary Ticket Treasurer. The Party was a great success, and it was felt that this was largely due to the efforts of the Honorary Ticket Secretary and Treasurer and the co-operation of all members. As a result the sum of £64/3/- was raised.

The Auxiliary again participated in street appeals. Unfortunately, owing to the transport strike we were unable to take part in the Hospital Appeal. On Wattle Day Mrs. Featonby and Mrs. Dye, assisted by members, again organised a Lucky Envelope Stall. Members also sold buttons and, as a result of the Appeal, the sum of £126/16/- was paid direct to the Society. Members, assisted by Primrose Nurses, also sold tokens on Flower Day to the value of £40/10/-.

Although the amounts raised on these appeal days do not show in the Auxiliary's accounts, it was due to the efforts of the members and their friends that the Society received these sums, which this year totalled £167.

During the year the sum of £75 was paid to the Society, and £10 was sent to Matron for Christmas cheer for the nurses.

We record with deep regret the death of Mrs. G. Anderson, who was a member for many years and always keenly interested in our activities. To her family we extend our loving sympathy.

We were very pleased to welcome Mrs. Gordon as a new member, and she has already displayed her willingness to help in our work.

All our members have shown their interest in the activities of the Auxiliary and of the Society. Apart from their help with our various efforts, several of them have contributed generously to the Auxiliary funds, and a number of them have sent gifts to the Hospital. During Show Week several assisted Sister Stirling at the clinic at the Show Grounds. We have been most grateful for their co-operation and support during the past year and look for their continued help and support in the year ahead.

(Signed) BENA ANGLISS, President.

MAY ANGLISS, Hon. Sec.

TWEDDLE HOSPITAL CENTRAL AUXILIARY

Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for Period Ended 30th June, 1947

RECEIPTS			DISBURSEMENTS			
Subscriptions Donations Bridge Party Balance, 30/6/47	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	0 0	Tweddle Hospital Xmas Cheer Sewing Printing Chair Upholstering Stall Goods Mutual Store (Bridge Party) Sundries	10 2 2 5 4 6	$0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 13 \\ 5 \\ 7 \\ 0 \\ 12$	0 0 0 3 0
	£126 17	8	Balance in Bank, 30/6/47	107 18 £126	17 19 17	-

Audited and found correct-

DAVIS & RAVEN, Chartered Accountants (Aust.). BENA ANGLISS, Hon. Secretary. E. M. DYE, Hon. Treasurer,

PRIMROSE NURSES' AUXILIARY

President: SISTER P. F. McANUFF.

Hon. Secretary: NURSE M. E. RICKETTS

Hon. Treasurer: NURSE G. CHAPMAN

Committee:

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MRS. R. ALLEN. MRS. A. ANDERSON. MRS. N. AXFORD. MISS N. BAKER. MISS J. BARNES. MISS J. BERRY. MISS J. BERRY. MISS L. BIGGER. MISS D. BREBNER. MISS M. BREW. MRS. B. BRUCE. MISS P. RYAN. MISS D. BULL. MISS M. BURNELL. MISS M. BURNELL. MISS M. BURNELL. MISS M. CAMERON. MISS R. CAMERON. MISS R. CAMERON. MISS R. COALE. MISS R. COLE. MISS R. COX. MRS. R. CUTTLE. MISS R. COX. MRS. R. CUTTLE. MISS M. DEAN. MISS M. DOERY. MISS M. DOERY. MISS J. DOUGLAS. MISS J. DOUGLAS. MISS J. DRAKE. MISS M. DRAKE. BROCKMAN MISS M. DRAKE- BROCKMAN MISSES D. & M. DREYER.	MISS P. HENDERSON.
MRS. A. ANDERSON.	MRS. R. HOOK.
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MISS N. BAKER.	MISS A. LACEY.
MISS I. BARNES.	MISS M. LADE.
MISS I. BARRELL.	MISS P. LESCHEN.
MISS I. BERRY.	MISS V. LILLEY.
MISS L. BIGGER.	MISS I. LIVING.
MISS D. BREBNER.	MISS E. LORIMER.
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MISS M. BURNELL.	MISS R. MEEK.
MISS R. CAMERON.	MISS D. MERRIFIELD.
MISS B. CAMPBELL.	MISS R. MERRIFIELD.
MISS P. CANE.	MISS E. MOORE.
MISS L. CHAPMAN.	MRS. I. MOORE.
MISS R. COLE.	MISS M. O'SULLIVAN.
MISS R. COX.	MISS D. PERRINS
MRS. R. CUTTLE.	MISS E. PUNSHON.
MISS P. DAUNT.	MISS M. RICKETTS.
MISS M. DEAN.	MISS M. RUSTON.
MISS M. DOERY.	MISS M. ROBERTS.
MISS J. DOUGLAS.	MISS M. ROCKE.
MISS T. DOUGLAS.	MISS M. SHAW.
MISS B. DOWLING.	MISS J. SCOTT.
MISS J. DRAKE.	MRS. P. SITLINGTON.
MISS M. DRAKE-	MISS L. SLATTERY.
BROCKMAN	MRS. T. SMITH.
MISSES D. & M. DREYER.	MISS M. SPARROW.
MISS R. EWINS.	MRS. SPITTLE.
MISS E. FEARON.	MISS M. STALKER.
MISS I. GALLAUGHER	MISS O. STEWART.
MISS N. GODFREY.	MISS A. R. STEWART.
MRS. I. GRAHAM.	MISS E. SUTHERLAND.
MISS D. GREGSON.	MISS M. TURNER.
MISS L. GREGSON.	MISS C. WALKER.
MISS E. GRINROD.	MISS M. WALLACE.
MISS S. M. HARDING-	MISS E. WALTON.
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MISS D. HEATHCOTE. MISS U. HILL. MISS J. HORNER.	MISS Z. WRIGHT.
MISS U. HILL.	MISS M. YATES.
MISS J. HORNER.	MISS A. YOUNG.

16th ANNIIAI, REPORT

Tonight it is my privilege to present to you the 16th Annual Report of the Primrose Nurses' Auxiliary for the year ended June 30th, 1947.

The work of the Auxiliary has gone on very steadily but surely during the year. There has been continued effort made by the members, thereby maintaining the financial position.

Extra pieces of monometal ware have been purchased, also four very nice cots for the Cottage nurseries.

A set of fire-irons was given to the Mothers' Cottage.

Minor improvements to the Nurses' Home were made, w which, although small all add comfort to those concerned.

Besides this the usual subscriptions to the building fund have been made.

We are very proud of our Library in the Nurses' Home. This is steadily growing, and consists of a fine selection which makes reading a most attractive recreation. Each librarian has shown good taste when choosing a new book each month.

It was decided that the books should be covered, and this is being done by the present members in a most attractive way.

Mr. Kevin Hume-Cook has donated the monthly copies of "Reader's Digest," for which we are grateful.

The members appreciated very much the splendid gift from Nurse Anita Young, a well-equipped Moses Basket, which later brought in the sum of £65/11/-

We are grateful, too, to all who assisted in the Xmas Appeal, when the magnificent sum of £80/15/- was realised.

A special vote of thanks goes to Mr. Gardiner who has once more donated the invitation cards for this meeting.

During the year there have been some interesting meetings, the one in December being especially so, when three visiting nurses from New Zealand and Sydney gave some informative addresses about their respective training schools.

In March, several past Primrose Nurses attended the meeting, when Miss McInnes judged the sets of clothing made by seven who had completed their training. This was a difficult task and Miss McInnes spoke of the high-class work. It is gratifying to see this standard maintained, and in this instance the prize donated by Matron went to Nurse Ruth Merrifield

We all say "Congratulations" to Nurse Merrifield, and to all members who have passed their State and Hospital Examinations and we wish each the very best in her work.

During the year "Goodbye" was said to two Presidents. First, Sister Ross, who had so enthusiastically carried on the work for so long. More recently Sister McAnuff was farewelled. To these two ladies and the members must go the credit for the progress of the Auxiliary during this period, not forgetting past Nurses who so capably carried out the duties of Secretary and Treasurer respectively.

Finally, I should like to thank Matron, who is ever ready to help us, and Nurses, both past and present, for their loyal support and ready co-operation.

We look forward to another year of progress, knowing that the same interest from each will continue.

R. DOUGLAS (President).

TWEDDLE HOSPITAL PRIMROSE NURSES' AUXILIARY Statement of Receipts and Expenditure Year Ended 30th June, 1947

RECEIPTS	EXPENDITURE
Balance in Bank, 30/6/46 £84 0 11 Life Membership Subscription 1 1 0 Library Subscriptions 0 15 0 Hire of Cuffs and Collars 0 7 6 Christmas Appeal 80 15 0 Telephone 29 6 10 Hire of Scales 17 8 6 Sale of "Mothercraft" 21 17 0 Donations 3 10 0 Raffles 77 19 0	Wreath £0 17 0 National Wines and Spirits 0 12 0 Allans & Co. 1 10 0 Goods Annual Meeting 0 18 4 Application Fees 2 2 0 Building Fund 60 0 0 Goods for Hospital— 0 0 0 W. M. White 9 7 6 Whitcombe & Tombs 6 1 6 Whitcombe & Tombs 6 1 6 Hicks Smith & Wright 7 8 6 Hicks Smith & Wright 7 8 6 Forges Ltd 2 18 0 Vict. Hosp. Association 16 0 3 K. G. Luke 5 5 3 McEwans 2 7 0 Hemburrows 9 11 6 Petty Expenses 20 15 0 Telephone 43 5 11 Stamps 2 10 0
	Balance in Bank, 30/6/47 204 19 9 112 1 0
£317 0 9	£317 0 9
	Building Fund—Commonwealth Savings Bank, Credit—£133/15/10.

Audited and found correct-DAVIS & RAVEN,

5th August, 1947.

Chartered Accountants (Aust.)

President: R. DOUGLAS.

Hon. Secretary: M. E. RICKETTS. Hon. Treasurer: D. CHAPMAN,

SOUTHERN AUXILIARY FOR THE TWEDDLE HOSPITAL

President: MRS. G. CURWEN.

Vice-President: MRS. J. GAMBLE.

Secretary: MRS. M. BROWN.

Joint Treasurers: { MRS. A. BURTON. MRS. C. ASHLEY.

Publicity Officer: MISS M. CAMPBELL.

Members:

MISS FLORA ANDERSON.	MRS. A. LOVE.
MISS MAY ANGLISS.	MRS. E. K. MACKAY.
M'RS. C. ASHLEY.	MRS. M. MACKINTOSH.
MRS. J. ASHTON.	MRS. M. MARKS.
MISS M. BARLOW.	MRS. A. NEEDHAM.
MRS. S. BRUNNING.	MRS. J. J. NEWMAN.
MRS. A. BURTON.	MRS. D. OSBORNE.
MISS M. CAMPBELL.	MISS J. PARRETT.
MISS M. CARLSON.	MISS M. PORTUS.
MRS. G. CURWEN.	MRS. H. PRICE.
MISS P. DuCROS.	MRS. H. RAMSAY.
MRS. E. M. DYE. MRS. I. FALK.	MRS. D. RANKIN.
MRS. I. FALK.	MISS M. RUSSELL.
MRS. J. E. GAMBLE.	MRS. R. SENNITT.
MRS. G. GOLDBERG.	MISS M. SHEPHERD.
MRS. S. W. HEDGER.	MISS D. WALSH.
MRS. P. HYAMS.	MRS. N. WILKINS.
MISS P. ISAACS.	MRS. R. WINDEYER.
MRS. E. LAMBERT.	

THIRD ANNUAL REPORT

On behalf of the office-bearers, I have great pleasure in submitting the Third Annual Report of the Southern Auxiliary for the Tweddle Hospital covering the year ended 30th June, 1947.

Our activities for the year did not raise a record sum, but each of the functions held was a success and showed a satisfactory margin of profit. During the three years of its existence the Auxiliary has paid over to the Tweddle Hospital the following amounts:—

1945	 	 	 	£203	4	7
1946	 	 	 	£585	10	0
1947	 	 	 	£264	4	9

These sums total £1,052/19/4, so that I feel, in raising our first thousand pounds, that the Auxiliary has passed a milestone in its history.

The Statement of Receipts and Expenditure shows full details of the functions held and the cost, so that any comment by me on the figures is unnecessary.

The monthly meetings of the Auxiliary have been well attended, and once again, those members who have undertaken special work have risen to each occasion in a very capable manner. On behalf of the office bearers, I thank each one of them, for their part in the year's work.

Our first project for the current year is a Mannequin Parade to be held at the Palms on Thursday, 18th September, and I trust that this will be the first event of a busy and successful year for the Auxiliary.

Once again may I thank all members for their work and their interest during the year in the cause of the Tweddle Hospital, which is so close to all our hearts.

On behalf of the Office Bearers,

ISLA CURWEN, President.

SOUTHERN AUXILIARY FOR TWEDDLE HOSPITAL

Statement of Receipts and Expenditure for Year Ended June 30th, 1947

RECEIPTS	EXPENDITURE
Carried forward from previous year £19 12 2 Annual Subscriptions	Annual Meeting
Cotober 67 9 0 67 4 3 67 4 3 67 9 0 67 4 3 67 9 0 67 4 3 67 9 0	June 8 13 0 Ball—Catering, Orchestra, Hire of Hall, etc. 74 7 6 Dance—Catering, Orchestra, Hire of Hall, etc. 32 12 0 Petty Cash 5 0 0 Deposit on Mannequin Parade 2 2 0 Bank Charges 0 10 0 Payments to Tweddle Hospital 264 4 9 Balance in Hand 28 7 1
£430 17 7	£430 17 7

Certified Correct—

R. SENNITT, Honorary Auditor. Hon. Treasurers.
MARION ASHLEY
BETTY BURTON

FOOTSCRAY AUXILIARY

Patroness: THE MAYORESS OF FOOTSCRAY.

President: MRS. J. GENT.

Hon. Secretary: MRS. H. C. FORGE.

Hon. Treasurer: MRS. C. BOOKER.

Committee:

MRS. C. ANDERSON.	MRS. H. GREENHAM.
MRS. G. ATTWOOD.	MRS. A. HANSEN.
MRS. H. BISSELL.	MRS. NELSON.
MRS. BOURN.	MRS. PATERSON.
MRS. T. BUZZA.	MRS. MORRIS.
MRS. A. CAMPBELL.	MISS J. WARREN.
MRS. J. CLAFFY.	MRS. W. YEOMANS.
MRS. N. DOUGLAS.	MRS. SCHAFER.
MRS. C. FARNBACH.	MRS. G. WILLIAMS.
MRS. K. FORGE.	

In presenting our Report and Balance Sheet for 1946-47 it will be noticed that we have had a fairly successful year considering a special appeal was launched for our new general hospital.

The monthly meetings have been very well attended and two new members have been enrolled. We wish to thank all those who have acted as hostesses and have lent their homes.

Matron Graham has said how they were appreciating the use of the electric polisher which our Auxiliary has paid £56/10/- for. We also appreciate very much the letter of thanks sent to us by the Executive Committee; it gives us encouragement to carry on and we sincerely hope we will have the continued support of all members in the coming year.

W. M. FORGE, Secretary.

Statement of Receipts and Expenditure for Year Ended 30th June, 1947

RECEIPT	'S				EX	PENDITUI	RE		
To Balance State Savings Bank, 1/7/46	£97	11		·		ift to Hospital	£10	0	0
" Donations	$\begin{array}{c} 6 \\ 35 \end{array}$	12 10 13	9	,,	Donation Tweddle Balance	Hospital State	50	0	0
, Interest, State Savings Bank.	2	6	7		Savings $30/6/47$	Bank,	97	14	2
7	£157	14	2				£157	14	2

Audited and found correct- F. WALSHE, A.I.M.A., A.F.I.A.

PLUNKET INFANT WELFARE AUXILIARY

President MISS C WALKER

Vice Presidents:

MISS H McKELLAR

MRS A ANDERSON

Laint Han Secretaries.

MISS W BEVERIDGE

MISS H BINKS

Hon Treasurer MISS S CARN

Social Congrenor: MISS M STIRLING

MISS P. ALLMAN. MISS I. BRENAN. MISS BUCKINGHAM. MISS BROWN. MISS BURNS. MISS BROCK. MISS M. CANNON. MRS. N. CONARD. MISS CONNELLAN.

MISS O. DOIG. MISS K. DEVINE. MISS DUNLOP (Associate) MISS ESTELLE-DAVIES.

MISS A. FORBES. MISS G. F. GRAHAM. MISS E. GAYFORD.

MISS K. HUGHES. MISS L. HANCOCK.

MISS J. HUSTLES. MISS M. HOLMES.

MRS. HILLER. MISS B. JOYCE.

MISS P. JOYCE. MRS. G. MILLER.

MRS. P. MILLER.

MRS. McANUFF.

MRS. M. MANFELL. MRS. E. MARTIN.

MRS. I. McPHERSON. MISS S. McCORMACK.

MRS. M. F. CAMERON. MISS B. McCORMACK.

MRS. OPEY.

MRS. O. HAGON.

MISS S. O'HAIR.

MISS P. O'HAIR. (Associate)

MISS I. PLAICE. MISS H. PHILLIPS. MISS F. STEWART. MISS K. SCARTH.

MISS C. M. WILLIAMS. MRS. Y. WILLIAMS.

MISS E. O. REES.

MRS. C. M. WILLIS.

MISS ROSS.

MISS G. J. JOHNSTON.

MISS P. WALSH.

FIRST ANNUAL REPORT

At an inaugural meeting called by Matron Graham and held at "Tweddle Hospital" on 2nd November, 1946, the above Auxiliary was formed with Miss C. Walker as President. The aims and objects of all being to unite ex-trainees of the Hospital in closer Professional and Social fellowship and to extend to all Plunket Sisters an opportunity to join in with us in

an effort to carry out the teachings of the Plunket System where ever they may go.

Meetings have been held quarterly at which members have attended regularly and have entered into the work with enthusiasm.

Owing to pressure of other engagements and at times transport difficulties it has been difficult to arrange a series of professional lectures from doctors. But we are very grateful to Dr. Guy Springthorpe and Dr. Krieger for their promise of a lecture at each of the next two meetings.

In March, 1947, the Vacuum Oil Company kindly gave a picture night at their theatrette in Market Street at which function £47/19/- was raised. Members then decided that as a new cooking range was urgently needed by the Hospital, they would like to make this their aim and object. After consultation with the Central executive this has been possible and a cheque for £50 has been forwarded as a deposit towards this fund. An Esse Range has been installed. Members have decided to hold functions quarterly to enable progressive payments to be made to this fund. Food parcels are being forwarded once a quarter to "Cromwell House," London.

It is with regret that we record the death of one of our Plunket Sisters in the person of Miss Alice Hall, who was the first Tutor Sister of "Tweddle Hospital" and a returned Army Sister from World War No. 1. Her love and enthusiasm for her work will always be remembered by all who worked with her. To relatives and friends we extend our most sincere sympathy.

We have missed Miss Devine, who has been in hospital for some time, and hope that she will be able to join us once again in the work to which she is so attached.

To all mothers and friends who have assisted us in social and financial efforts we extend our very best thanks.

Especially would we like to thank our Honorary Auditor, Mr. Stuart Davis, for his help and advice at all times so graciously given.

HEATHER BINKS,

Hon. Secretary.

THE PLUNKET INFANT WELFARE AUXILIARY

Statement of Receipts and Disbursements Year Ended 30th June, 1947

RECEIPTS		DISBURSEMENTS
To Members' Subscriptions "Donations: "Nicholas Pty. Ltd. "Miss Primrose "Miss McPherson "Picture Night: "Tickets "Stall	£10 13 0 10 0 0 1 1 0 0 3 0 8 15 0 39 4 9	By Deposit on Coke Cooking Range for Hospital
; , Sale of Goods	12 1 6 4 3 1 0 5 8 £86 7 0	£86 7 0

S. CARN, Hon. Treasurer.

H. BINKS Joint W. BEVERIDGE Hon. Secretaries

WOULD YOU LIKE TO JOIN THIS LIST OF SUBSCRIBERS TO OUR NEW HOSPITAL BUILDING FUND?

	0000	0	0
Angliss & Co. (Canteen Fund)	£200	0	0
Angliss, Sir Wm	25	0	0
Bulley, C. F	10	10	0
Connibere Bros	5	5	0
Cotterell, J	2	2	0
Cheese, A. M	1	1	0
Dye, E. E., late Mrs	2	2	0
Dye, Mrs. E. M	5	0	0
Eagle Star Insurance Co	3	3	0
Fern, H. (Button Day Stall)	100	0	0
Forge, H. C	2	2	0
Hume-Cook, Mrs. J	100	0	0
Harding & Paxton	13	13	0
Jones J. P	1	0	0
Kellam, E. A	1	1	0
Koenig, C. L. M., Estate	46	5	0
	2	2	0
Knight, J. P	30	0	0
Parker, H. G	1	0	0
Sennitt, Mr. L. F	5	0	0
Snow Elliott	20	0	0
Southern Can Co	4	4	0
Truby, William E. E., Estate	300	0	0
Tweddle, J. T., Estate	200	0	0
Victorian State Government	500	0	0
Wilson, Mrs. James	5	5	0
West, A	32	5	0
Williamstown Tounger Set	02	U	U
Truby-King Infant Welfare Centr	es:		
Swan Hill Welfare Centre	£5	0	0
Kelvin Hall Welfare Centre	2	12	3
Dandenong Welfare Centre	5	5	0
Upper Benconsfield Welfare Centre	2	0	0
Tweddle Hospital Auxiliaries:			
Southern Auxiliary	£375	0	0
Footscray Auxiliary	225	0	0
Central Auxiliary	275	0	0
Primrose Nurses' Auxiliary	356	0	0
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