

"Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these, ye have done it unto Me."

A NARRATIVE OF FACTS
RELATIVE TO WORK DONE FOR CHRIST,
IN CONNECTION WITH THE
ORPHAN HOMES OF SCOTLAND,
FOR
FORTY-FOURTH YEAR, ENDING 31st OCTOBER, 1915.
ALSO
CONSUMPTION SANATORIA OF SCOTLAND,
AND COLONY OF MERCY FOR EPILEPTICS,
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CITY RECEIVING HOME
AND
WORKING BOYS' HOME,
13 JAMES MORRISON ST.,
GLASGOW.

1915.

"Whatsoever thy hand findeth to do, do it with thy might."—Ecc. ix. 10.

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ORPHAN HOMES OF SCOTLAND,
CONSUMPTION SANATORIA AND COLONY OF MERCY
GLASGOW AND BRIDGE-OF-WEIR.

NARRATIVE OF FACTS.
1915.

THEY shall abundantly utter the memory of Thy great goodness," is an ancient song of praise in which we desire to take our full share. Every day in the forty-four years of the history of the Orphan Homes of Scotland has been a testimony to the great goodness of the Father of the fatherless, in whose name, and by whose grace the work was started and has gone on through all these years. The year just closed was unique in many respects, but in no way different from all its predecessors in its testimony regarding the absolute faithfulness of and wonderful provision made in answer to prayer—through His stewards—by our prayer-answering God. The family at Bridge-of-Weir is larger than it has ever been before; the prices of all daily necessities are higher than at any past time; the conditions of work are in many ways more difficult than ever, and yet not one need has been left unsupplied, and the year comes to an end with a full-hearted note of praise.

We well remember how at one period Mr. Quarrier's desire was to provide for one needy one each day in the year; and at a later period his ambition reached one and a half per day; but in the past year it has been our privilege to welcome at Bridge-of-Weir 730 necessitous cases, making exactly two for every day of the O.H.S. year.

Death has been busy amongst our wide circle of friends, and also three of our own old workers have been removed from our midst. The death of Mr. A. P. Forrester-Paton of Alloa, who was one of the Trustees and one of our most valued friends, leaves a large blank. The memory of his gracious sympathy will always be an uplift to those of us who were privileged to know him. We are thankful that his eldest son has kindly agreed to take his father's place on the Trustees' Board.

Our year opened with 1,336 Orphan Children, 140 Consumptive Patients, and 97 Epileptics to provide for. During its course we have welcomed 383 children, 316 patients, and 31 colonists, and on the last day of the year (31st October) the large family numbered 1,675. For the feeding, clothing, nursing, and caring for of all these we have received the following amounts, including payments:—

I.	For the Orphan Homes, ...	...	£28,344	16	3
II.	For the Consumption Sanatoria, ...	...	10,812	5	5
III.	For the Colony for Epileptics, ...	...	2,493	0	5
IV.	For Home and Foreign Missions, ...	...	1,331	2	5
			£42,981	4	6

For the sake of friends who have not seen previous reports of the Orphan Homes, the following states the basis upon which the work is carried on:—

In the year 1864, Mr. Quarrier began his public work among the street boys of Glasgow by the organisation of shoeblack and newsboys' brigades. Out of these developed the Orphan Homes, which to-day provide a home and Christian training for 1,500 fatherless and orphan boys and girls of all ages. In the years between 1871, when the first Home was opened, and now, 15,477 children have passed through the Homes, 6,342 of whom were sent to Canada. Something like £1,066,655 has been received and expended; £302,000 of that sum on buildings, land, etc., and £764,655 on the maintenance of the Homes and Sanatoria and Colony, and Home and Foreign Missions. The work is carried on in dependence upon God for daily supplies. No one is called on personally, nor do we send out collectors. The needs are committed to God in prayer, and we look to Him to move the hearts of His people to send all that is required. The aim of the Homes is to witness to God's faithfulness, and to provide for the fatherless children of Scotland. No payment is necessary to secure their admission. Any child in any part of Scotland, if fatherless and destitute, is eligible, and friends knowing of such should apply to us at once, and thus help to save the little ones from want and misery.

In the following pages we have noted some of the gifts and letters which have reached us during the year, and reference is also made to special events in the village life. We trust all who read the record will be helped and led to trust more fully in Him whose unfailing faithfulness has made the work possible.

NOVEMBER, 1914.—“Not one thing hath failed of all the good things which the Lord spake,” was the testimony which closed the record of the Lord's dealings with His work here during the year that has just closed. Dealing tenderly with us to encourage our weak faith, He has given a bountiful start for the new year on which we are entering. So, with a backward glance at God's marvellous providence during the first three months of war panic and high prices, we are enabled to look forward into another year with confidence, recalling the words of the Psalmist, “Wait thou only upon God; for my expectation is from Him.”

Wait thou on God, and doubt not that He heareth
The cry of faith, though faith may tested be;
Though flesh be weak—and e'en the spirit feareth—
Wait yet on God, He worketh still for thee.

May the Holy Spirit so direct our thoughts that, in every gift mentioned and each extract made from the letters of helpers or helped, the Master may find an instrument to stimulate the faith of some reader of this new chapter in the Narrative.

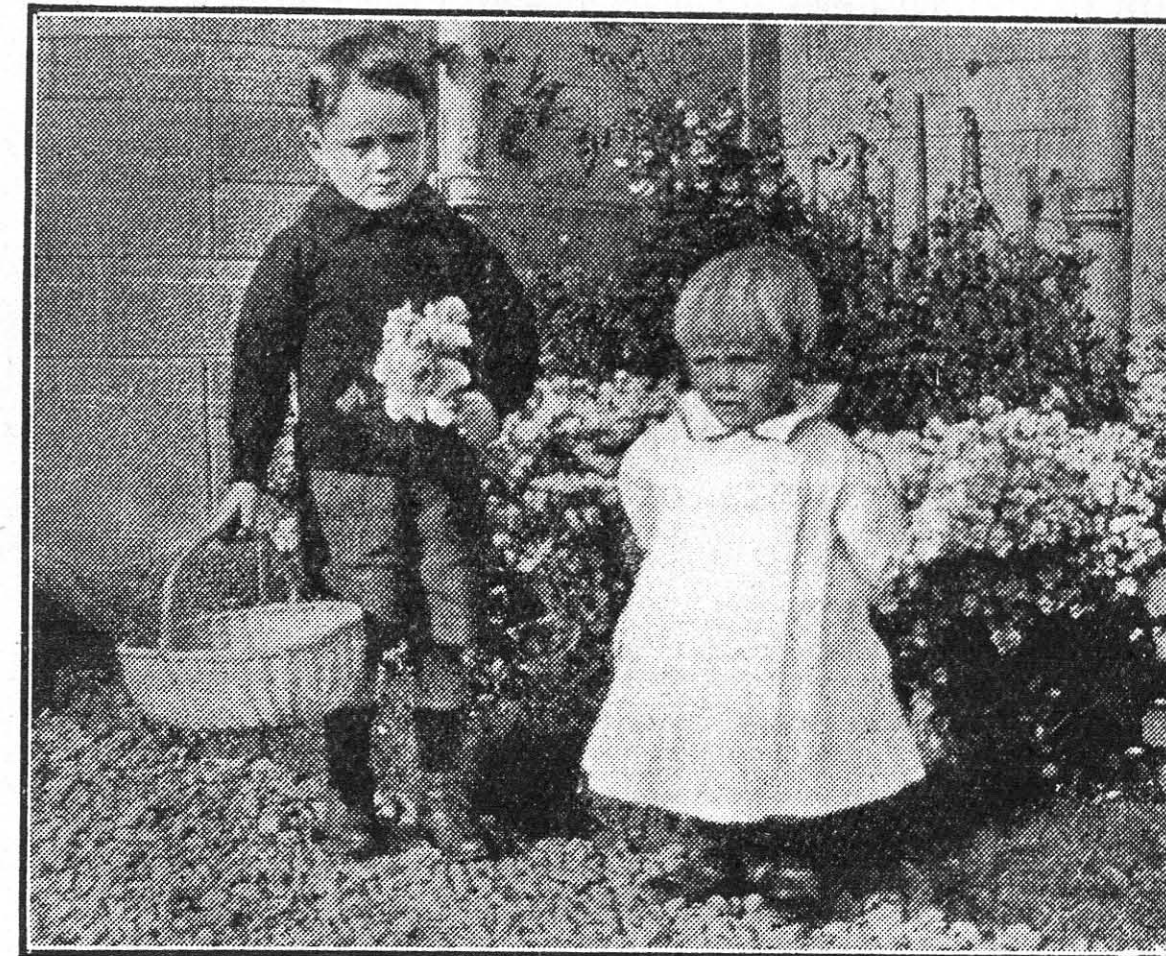
In a letter from an old friend in Orkney are the encouraging words, “Your faith will be greatly tried at such a time as this, but hold on to God. Is anything too hard for the Lord? My God shall supply all your need.” A father and son, sending £25 from New Zealand, write, “This must be a very trying time to you, but our Heavenly Father knows.” “Alice, Willie, and Jessie” are continuing their fortnightly donation

of £1 to help the orphans, and a shilling has come “for your Homes with love and prayer” from one who often helps. Five shillings is “a thank-offering for the Lord's goodness”; 10s., another thank-offering from Natal; £5 from a Branch of the Young Abstainers' Union; £1 from Worthing; £10 from Gretna Green; £1 10s. for the Homes, with £1 for Sanatoria, from Spain; £3 from a father and mother and their daughter in Durban; £1 to help with the upkeep of one of the older boys; £10, half of which is to be devoted to Christmas cheer, from two Edinburgh ladies; 5s. from a worker; other 5s. from a children's afternoon meeting near Peterhead; and £5 “for His sake” from Queensland.

A friend in a Southern county writes, “I am sending it now instead of at Christmas. I know it will be acceptable any time, and maybe the war is crippling your funds a little.” Many have been thoughtful of our needs amid so many collections for other extraordinary but very worthy causes, and one whom the King has honoured says, “As I fear in such a time as this you may find your funds low owing to the repeated calls on the liberality of your friends, I send you a cheque for £20 that may help your praiseworthy institution.” The sender of a gift of clothing from a branch of the B.W.T.A. says, “We thought it a pity to keep them until our usual time, knowing that, in these days of stress, your resources are likely to be taxed to their utmost.”

Another parcel of clothing has come from “the mothers and other friends in our Highland glen”; and 30 articles of clothing from friends in Tobermory; whilst a city grocer, who usually sends £1 about this time, has forwarded instead a 2-cwt. bag of rice worth about £2; and another grocer in an Ayrshire town, 34 packets of flaked rice, at the suggestion of his wife, who has been an invalid for eighteen years, during four years of which she has been confined to bed. With her donation an old friend sends an expression of her own experience and ours, “My faith is oftentimes low, but no change Jehovah knows.” When everything seems awry, and the cries of sorrowing hearts are echoing from end to end of the world, we do well constantly to remind ourselves that the Lord reigneth still, directing the minutest details of our lives, and keeping in equilibrium the forces of good and evil in His own world.

Five guineas are to hand as a memorial gift; £2 in memory of a father; £8 to help support a girl in the Homes, in memory of the donor's sister; and £100 “in memory, 15th October.” Another £100 is the gift of a friend in Paisley; £10 10s. of a lady who also sends five guineas to



TWO OF OUR LITTLE ONES—THE YOUNGER A
SOLDIER'S BABY.

provide Bibles for girl emigrants; 5s. of a branch of the Y.W.C.A. in Fife; £30 of Kilmacolm friends; and 2s. 6d. "to help to knit some socks for Tommy or Jack." Ten pounds is the annual donation of another old friend, with thirty shillings which she has gathered from her friends and neighbours, being one penny for every pound of their earnings.

A number of women workers have sent £1 after "a pleasant day we spent at the Homes"; and three missionaries £1 each on the day of their departure to their sphere of labour for the Master in Africa. One of them writes, "It was a great blessing to see the Homes, and the lessons learned there will never be forgotten." Four legacies have added £217 10s. to the funds of the Homes, and there has been one bequest amounting to £80 2s. 7d. for the Sanatoria. One of the most precious of the month's donations is two shillings from one of our girls in a situation in this country, who says, "It is just a little, but will help with some thing." Here is part of her letter:—

I am very sorry indeed for not answering your nice letter sooner. Before I was quite a month here my mistress and her sister went into town, and both of them gave me a present. Wasn't that very kind of them? They just make it like home for me. I often see —, and she keeps on saying I must go up and spend an evening with her. It is so nice to be near someone who has been in the Homes and knows them well.

The first Monday of the month was observed as a school holiday to give the children their Hallowe'en treat. On the following evening in the church there was a splendid exhibition of cinematograph films and lantern slides, depicting military and naval manœuvres, scenes from the seat of war, and portraits of kings, generals and commanders, all of which were greatly enjoyed by the children, who displayed a great deal of patriotic feeling.

The third Saturday of November was Red Cross Flag Day, when £17 17s. 7½d. was realised, and, added to the following day's church collections, made a very creditable total of £30 3s. 1½d., which everybody enjoyed contributing to this most worthy fund. For the sake of those unable to be present at the annual public meeting in Glasgow on 30th inst., we reprint as follows from the *Scotsman* of 1st December:—

Reports of a satisfactory year's working were submitted at the annual meeting in Glasgow yesterday of subscribers to the Orphan Homes, Consumption Sanatoria, and Colony of Mercy, founded at Bridge-of-Weir by the late Wm. Quarrier. Colonel J. M. Denny presided, and among the platform company were Miss Quarrier, Mrs. A. Quarrier Burges, Sir Samuel Chisholm, Sir J. P. Maclay, and Sir John Wilson. Pastor D. J. Findlay, in submitting the report, stated that the income for the Orphan Homes, with the balance from last year of £13,974, amounted to £52,810. The expenditure was £27,191, and they were left to enter a winter of great trials and unthought-of possibilities, with a balance on hand of £25,619. A considerable proportion of this balance was earmarked for specific works, which had yet to be carried out. The cost of maintaining the children in the Homes had risen in recent years from £12 to £15, but increasing sums were being sent in, as the increased cost of living seemed to demand these. For the Consumption Sanatoria the total income was £12,268 and there was a credit balance of £3,724. The cost was something like £60 per head per annum. In the case of the Colony for Epileptics, they began with a balance of £4,242, and the income amounted to £2,567. On an average population of one hundred, there was an expenditure of £2,057, leaving a balance on hand of £4,752. For home and foreign missions the amount collected was £1,326.

The chairman, in moving approval of the report, said that 15,200 children had passed through the Homes, and of these, 6,300 had gone to Canada. There had been given for the Homes the sum of £1,023,000 since they were founded in 1871, of which

£723,000 had been for upkeep. One hundred of the old boys were now at the front. He asked if there was any other instance of an institution receiving so much money without even a collector. Sir Samuel Chisholm seconded, and the report was adopted.

Dr. W. L. Reid, in moving approval of the medical reports, emphasised the necessity of patients making use of the sanatoria at an early stage of the disease, and remaining there for a sufficiently long period. The idea was that the national insurance should be continued until the medical officer was able to say that the patient had a fair chance of being able to go back to work and continue at work.

DECEMBER, 1914.—More than any other, this is the month of the year when letters and gifts reach us from members of our great family, now grown up and scattered far and wide throughout the world. One pound comes from a girl in a situation in Kent; 5s. from another nearer home; £1 from one who has just been accepted for training as a nurse in one of the best training centres in the country; £2 from a former City Home boy; and £1 from a lad who left the village more recently and writes:—

I am delighted to be writing to you as it is some time since I did so. I am still with the same people. I read your nice letter all through, and it made me think very deeply of the happy days I spent there. I love to look into those beautiful pictures in your letter. I am much delighted to be able to enclose one pound, which is very small, but hope to be able to give more. Well, I am still doing well and liking my work. With all my heart I wish every one in that beautiful village a very happy and bright and prosperous New Year. If I had been at — I would have been very pleased to come to the lovely gathering in the church on New Year's day.

One of the girls, expressing the feelings of very many others, says, "I never forget the big family at home. I am always thinking about you at this time of the year." She also informs us that her brother was the first Scotsman to receive the Victoria Cross. A member of the 1912 girls' party has sent three dollars; one who went to Canada many years ago, and is now resident in United States, 25 dollars, saying, "I only wish we could do away with giving gifts to one another this year and use the money to help give the poor little orphans something to brighten their Christmas." The husband of another of the girls, enclosing £1, writes from Western Canada, "We have both had a very good year as far as health is concerned, and have been blessed with about our usual prosperity. We do trust that the same has been your lot. We hope you are all well, and await with interest your usual Christmas letter."

One pound has been sent by a lady from her son, a sailor on a troopship; 5s. from New Zealand; 10s. from a friend in Shetland who is seriously ill and unable to write herself; £10 by a young Christian officer on active service; 10s., "part of the first fruits of our increase, from Prov. iii. 9"; £25 "for clothing and food," by an old friend and faithful helper in Harrogate; 7s. 6d. anonymously by two friends in Aberfeldy; 5s., with 5s. "to buy wool for Girls' Guildry to knit socks for soldiers or sailors," by other two friends; £20 by a Glasgow gentleman, who says, "In the midst of so many calls we must not forget our own orphans"; 5s. by a friend in Wales; £2 10s. by another in South Africa; 2s. 6d. by a boy in Edinburgh; and 10s. by "one who knew your father." An echo of the early days of the work is to be found in a letter from a donor who has been resident in England for a number of years. He says, "My mother was with Mrs. Dunn when she took in the first two children for the late Mr. Quarrier in a house in Renfield Street in Glasgow. In 1881 I had a look over the Homes at Bridge-of-Weir and saw Mr. and Mrs. Halliwell, old friends of my mother." What changes have taken place

since the first Girls' Home was opened in a rented house in Renfield Street, and what a revelation it would be to our friend could he look upon the village, where now there are nearly eighty buildings instead of only eight that stood completed at the time of his last visit. His mother's old friends have long since gone to their reward, but he could still see Mr. Halliwell's Bible, which is doing service on the reading desk at our weekly staff prayer meeting. During these intervening thirty-four years the beloved Founders and many of their fellow-workers have been borne hence. Again this month another old worker has been laid to rest in the cemetery beside the church, in the person of Mr. Thomas Paterson, who for nearly thirty-five years took charge of the stables. He and his wife, who died five years ago, cared for successive families of boys in Broadfield Home, and many who are now doing useful service in other parts of the world received their training and their first spiritual impressions from our old friends.

A donor in Edinburgh says, "I often think of you and of the Orphan Homes, though it is now thirty-one years since I saw them." One pound forwarded from Dunblane is from "an aged widow now eighty-three years of age, who has for long followed with prayerful interest the gracious work of the Homes." Some of the other gifts that make up the total for the month are, sixpence "for boys and girls from a boy"; 10s. from a donor in Dundee in memory of his wife; £2 from a Lerwick Sunday school; 5s. from two friends in Durham; £5 from South Russia; £1 "from a young Scotsman in Canada"; £2 "of Thine own"; £5 from Spain; £1 from two workers; £1 from another; £2 from two others; £1 each from two former workers; 15s. from another, with 5s. from her daughter; 30s. from the children of another; £50 from two friends in Windermere; £2 8s. 4d. from a few wareroom girls in a Border town; 2 dollars from Vancouver; £1 0s. 6d., "contents of our box for the year," from Detroit; 3s. anonymously, under cover bearing Aberdeen postmark; 2s. 6d. "from a poor friend"; 3s. from an Argyllshire Sunday school; £5 for the Colony of Mercy from employees of a mill; 2 guineas for the Homes from a number of apprentices; 2s. from one of the girls; £1 from the Scotch matron of a Kentucky hospital; £5 from a dentist, with £3 12s., the amount of his Sunday fees, which have gone to swell the emigration fund; and 5s. from an old friend telling of a recent visit she has had from one of our boys of the first Canadian contingent. One of the Canadian family of whom we had lost track for some time writes:—

I thought I would write to you just to let you know that I am thinking of the folks at home. I have been out in this country for ten years, and for two Christmases have not received a letter, but I wish you could spare one for me this year as I would like to know how the work is going on. I am married and have a good husband. Now that she has given us her address she will, like everyone whose whereabouts are known, receive regularly a copy of the New Year Letter. One of the girls who emigrated in 1911, and has the good fortune to have both her brothers living in the same home and a sister only three or four miles away, says in her letter:—

I suppose you are very busy just now getting ready for Christmas and New Year. I would so like to go and spend Christmas once more with you. I'm sure I would have a very pleasant time. I am not going to school now. I passed the entrance to High School last summer, and so have not been going since then. F—— goes to school every day and is getting on fine. W—— is still working here, but perhaps



SOME OF OUR BOYS IN THE CANADIAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

he will go to college after New Year. I think M—— will be down to see us on Christmas night, and that will be the first time in nine years that we have all been together on Christmas. Isn't this a terrible war? Quite a few from here have gone. W—— volunteered to go but was not accepted on account of his eyes.

The grateful mother of two others of the Canadian family writes, "I can never forget what your father did for my boys"; and a friend forwarding the donation of a helper in California says, "He met one of your boys over there and has been interested in your work ever since." Ten shillings is "to assist in providing New Year's breakfast"; one dozen eggs "to help the Christmas pudding for some sailors' orphan boys"; 2s. 6d. "to get a copy of Princess Mary's Gift Book for one of the girls for New Year"; 6 pairs of stockings, the work of an aged helper of ninety-three years in Belfast; 5 cases of oranges, the gift of a former "father" in the Homes; and 55 dozen currant loaves to help out at the Christmas tea, that of a Glasgow bakery. A donation of 5s. has brought good news of two former children, and the cheering message from Ezekiel xxxvi. 11, "I will do better unto you than at your beginnings: and ye shall know that I am the Lord." Another friend's donation is larger than usual, because "I have doubled it, as I know your needs are constantly increasing." Two hundred pounds was handed in at the City Home "for general maintenance and education"; and the month's largest gift, exclusive of an instalment of a legacy amounting to £1,000, has been allocated by the donor's wish, £225 for the Homes, £150 for the Sanatoria, and £25 for the Colony.

Special gifts in money, and a great assortment "in kind," have enabled us to carry out almost normal Christmas treats for the children, and also to send something comforting for "inside and outside" to our soldier and sailor boys at the front, upon the sea, or in training. Already some have been able to acknowledge receipt of their parcels, bearing loving greetings from the old Homes. A drummer writes, "The scarf and mittens are just the things I require this cold weather, and the eatables my comrades and I enjoyed very much." A Cameron Highlander says:—

I received your parcel safely, and I must thank you for your kindness, as the chums with whom I shared it said it was delicious. I myself must thank you for the socks and scarf which I was very much in need of owing to the extra cold weather up here at present. As all leave has been cancelled, I cannot get into the town to get the proper greeting card, so I wish you a merry Christmas.

One of the Naval Division writing on behalf of his brother as well as himself, says, "Many a time I think of the happy time we had on the old Brig together. My brother and I are looking forward to New Year, when we will be able to thank you more cordially than we can at present." In another letter of thanks from one of a Commercial battalion are these sentences, "When I looked over the report, it made me think of the many happy days I spent in the Orphan Homes, and I thank God for the day I was taken in to be cared for and helped in the struggles of life. As an old boy I know what God has done for the Orphan Homes and those who have trusted Him, and may He ever watch and guide those of us who have left the Homes and are trying to do our little bit for liberty and righteousness." Such is our constant prayer for all our brave boys who have surrendered their lives to serve the Empire in its hour of need, and may every one be led to yield himself to a still nobler allegiance as a soldier of the Cross.

As formerly, the last hour of the old year was spent with our fellow-workers in prayer, and praise, and meditation on God's Holy Word, in the little prayer room at the church, where we commended each other and all the sleeping little ones around us, as well as those no longer within our gates, to the care of our ever merciful Father, who, through all this year, so freighted with sorrow, has given us abundant cause for thanksgiving. Every step of the sometimes rugged way through 1914 He has led us, so that our experience may well be voiced in the words of a favourite hymn—

All the way my Saviour leads me,
What have I to ask beside?
Can I doubt His tender mercy,
Who through life has been my Guide?



THREE OF OUR CANADIAN GIRLS.

JANUARY, 1915.—That it was wet and cold by no means interfered with the children's enjoyment of New Year's Day, so full of special treats. He who has spread their table during the three hundred and sixty-five days of 1914 has furnished it with a lavish hand on the first day of 1915, as if an "earnest" of the days to come.

I know not what the future hath
Of marvel or surprise,
Assured alone that life and death
His mercy underlies.

There was no alteration from the menu of former years, namely, tea, bread, and ham and eggs for breakfast; turkey, roast beef, steak pie, potatoes, and plum pudding for dinner; and, tea, bread and butter, cakes, buns, and shortbread for supper. At dinner and tea the children were joined by the lads from the City Home, as well as a number of old boys and girls,

including some of our soldiers and sailors who had obtained a furlough that they might be present at our annual family gathering. Uneclipsed as the chief attraction of the day, still remains the dismantling of the great trees which the kindness of many friends has enabled us to load with gifts for the young folks, whose happy faces and merry chatter express a very intelligible "thank you" to everyone who has in any way contributed to this the greatest delight of New Year's Day. At the evening entertainment in the church, flags of Britain and her allies decorating the platform, national and patriotic songs and recitations, and the glint of an occasional naval or military uniform formed the outstanding feature, and served as a vivid reminder of the many dear to us who are with the colours and claim a special interest in our prayers as, around the Throne of Grace, we call in by faith the absent members of our great family.

A large number have written this month acknowledging receipt of the New Year's Letter. One of the Canadian contingent, who recently spent a week-end in the village and left a donation of four pounds, writes from Salisbury Plains:—

I arrived safe and sound at camp, feeling proud of the visit to the old home again. Well, do you know I felt when I left that I had taken my last look at the dear old place, but hope not. I know this that I can rest assured that your prayers will go up for me in this terrible conflict. That visit will go with me while I live. I must thank you for the parcel you sent me. It was very nice. It was here when I got back, and I also received the New Year's letter. I must thank you all for the care when I was there. I have not seen any of our boys yet, but will try and see some of them before long. I will remember you all to them. It gives me great pleasure to be able to say I am an old Homes boy, and especially after my last visit, and when in the midst of battle I will be thinking of you all.

Five shillings has come from one of the girls in a situation in this country; 10s. from her sister; other 10s. from one who has just completed her training as a nurse; 5 dollars from one of the boys in Saskatchewan; 2 dollars from a girl in Eastern Ontario; £1 from a boy now residing in London; a cheque for 5 dollars from a girl in Montreal; and 5s. from one much nearer the old home. She says in her letter:—

Please accept this little gift as a small thankoffering for the Lord's goodness to me during the past year. Truly I can say, He has been mindful of me. I often say it is not while we are in the Homes that we appreciate what is being done for us, but after we are out in the world, with all its temptations and all its battles to fight. It is then that we look back and marvel at what was done for us. Now I will close, wishing you and yours a happy and very prosperous New Year, and hope that in the coming days you may have much to gladden and encourage you in the great and noble work which you are doing for the Master.

For many years, either by the last mail of the old year or the first of the new, a Glasgow firm have sent their annual donation of five guineas, which has just come to hand again. The continuance of their interest is like a connecting link with the old days, as is also a letter from another donor who tells us that "I was much about the Dovehill Refuge in its closing days and was converted in 'Fiddler Joss's' meeting in 1874. Your father knew me well in those days, and I cherish a happy memory of his kindly ways and words." The grateful mother of a boy in Canada has sent £1, "a thankoffering for many blessings"; an old lady of seventy-five years in Dumfries, 6s; three small boys in Aberdeen, 5s.; a little girl, 4s., "from my three sisters, brother and self, aged thirteen

years to eighteen months"; a little fellow who writes in full text, £1 "from a little boy and girl in Africa to help to give some boys and girls a happy Christmas and New Year"; and a mother, "2s. 6d. from my eldest lad, the first of his wages as a journeyman grocer. My own dear mother always taught us to give of the first something to God." What a blessing it would be if there were more such mothers. Already her teaching and example are bearing fruit in the second generation, and who can set a limit to their influence?

Our thoughtful and generous friend "Anon" writes, "In this time of national stress and worry there may be some kind friends who, however willing, feel they are unable to contribute as much as formerly. With this idea before me I have decided so far to assist in filling up the gap, and instead of making my cheque for £200 have made it £300." Other two friends in London have increased their usual gift by a third, "as we fear that there must be great need of extra funds owing to the war." Thus our Heavenly Father knows all about the peculiar financial position of some of our helpers and the high cost of commodities necessary for the support of His own orphan children, and sees to it that they lack for no good thing. Well may we exclaim, "I will be glad and rejoice in Thy mercy: for Thou hast considered my trouble."

A friend has sent a case of oranges, and another £3 to buy an orange for each child under our care; one firm of seedsmen has helped out in the garden with 7 parcels of bulbs, and another with 26 parcels and 700 loose bulbs; a Border work party have contributed 201 articles of clothing to the drapery department, and a quantity of provisions to the grocery department of the stores; another friend, 40 pheasants; and a helper in Fife, 8 articles of clothing, including four children's semmits, which "my dear mother commenced but was not able to finish before she died in August last, at the age of eighty-three years." £1 is the precious offering of a poor old widow, a "sympathiser"; 10s. of a local friend; £12 10s. from St. Boswells for support of a child; £1 per the Union Bank from a Pretoria gentleman; £2 from a lady in Wales; 10 dollars from a Montreal mission; 5 dollars from a husband and wife in Philadelphia; £1 "for the Master's use from the Master's purse" in South Africa; £1 for the Homes with 6s. for the Colony from Northumberland; £25 from a lady interested in an epileptic patient; two guineas from the son of a very old friend from Calcutta; £4 from Darjeeling; sixpence from four children; 15s. in memory of a dearly loved little girl; £1 "for the little sick ones," from a mother in memory of a baby boy on his birthday; £2 13s. 7d. from San Francisco from the brother of one of the boys; £1 each for the Homes and the Sanatoria, with 10s. for the Colony, from Mull; 10s. from our old friend "Inasmuch"; £1 from a missionary in Formosa; £1 from another in Morocco; and 10s., "a portion of a gift made me," from another missionary in North Africa who passes on the testimony



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of a young converted Jew to whom he lent a copy of last year's Narrative. "The reading of it," he said, "made a great impression on me." A mother who was a patient in the Sanatoria sends 5s., and says, "It is two years and three months since I came back from Bridge-of-Weir, and yet every night my wee boy finishes his prayer by saying 'thank God for making mammy better.'"

In a note from one of our boys in the trenches somewhere in France is the following:—

Thank you for the parcel you so kindly sent me, and I am sure it will interest you to know that it came as we were marching off to the trenches. In fact, I had not time to open the biscuit tins so I just put them on the top of my pack, and we enjoyed them in the trenches with the bullets whizzing over our heads, and while on sentry duty that night I had great cause to thank you for the scarf, as it was then I felt the benefit. They say that "a friend in need is a friend indeed," and you proved to be a friend indeed then as in the past. God has greatly blessed me and been very near to me while here. No more now, but would deem it a great favour to hear from you.

There is need to make room for fresh admissions by the emigration of a selected party of those who ought now to be taking advantage of the splendid opportunities which our vast Dominion across the Atlantic offers. So our thoughts, which during recent months have been mostly with our boys in uniform, are turned in another direction, and we have provisionally arranged for the reservation of berths on the S.S. *Pretorian* billed to sail on 6th March.

Again the hand of death has been in our midst, removing one who for many years was a member of the staff and formerly an inmate of the Homes. After a brief illness Mr. John Armstrong was called home on 23rd inst. There were no relatives to follow the cortège to the grave, but many of his wide circle of friends and acquaintances were there, and his well-known figure will be missed for many days.

FEBRUARY, 1915.—The tenth day of this month carries our minds back once more in wonder and praise to one thirty-eight years ago, when the first stone of the Orphan Homes of Scotland was laid, but this year February has another red-letter day, for on 20th inst. a cheque for £2,000 came to hand to pay for a new Home, No. 43. It is the donor's wish that this house be used to accommodate children whose fathers may be killed in the war, and since the need is likely to be very soon an urgent one, the contracts have been placed and the work is going forward with all possible speed on a site adjacent to the Murray-Brown Home, which was the last erected. Sometimes we are asked when we mean to stop extending our accommodation, to which we can only reply that when the Lord ceases to send money specifically for that purpose a limit will be set to our operations. In these days when war is making so great an army of orphan and fatherless children, is this gift not a remarkable proof of the faithfulness of God, "with whom is no variableness," and to whom peace and war are alike in so far as they influence His ability to redeem His promises to provide for the widow and orphan?

Among gifts "in kind" are 150 articles of clothing along with £8 5s. in money from a church sewing society; half a chest of tea from an anonymous friend; 142 rabbits, which will effect a considerable saving when the price of meat has risen so high; 5 cases of oranges; a cheese

from Dalry; 400 articles of clothing, hats, books, cake, and sweets from a branch of the Scotch Girls' Friendly Society; and 60 copies of the much blessed "Traveller's Guide," imprinted in gilt letters on the cover, "1915, my sailing date," for the 1915 emigrants. Friends need only turn to the list at the end of this Narrative to get some idea of the multitude of gifts "in kind"—food, clothing, and sundry articles—that come to our stores from week to week. Our thanks are due to all the kind donors who will readily understand that very few things come amiss in so large a family. Consequent on the extraordinary demand for warm garments for the troops, many friends either have been unable to undertake to make anything for our children, or have been compelled to reduce the amount of work on their behalf, but some, realising that our needs are none the less, and careful for our general fund, have sent donations in money instead.

The following extracts from a letter addressed to our Canadian superintendent by one of the 1896 Boys' Party, who has "made good" and is pioneering in the forest, will be interesting:—

Many thanks for the New Year Letter and the back numbers you so kindly sent me. I can assure you it gave me great pleasure to read and look back at the good old days I spent at Bridge-of-Weir. I am cooking for a small crew of lumbermen, 24 altogether. After I am through here I am going back to my place to do a little improvement. I bought a nice place of 154½ acres, with a beautiful spring lake on it. Of course, it's mostly all timber, and will take a lot of hard work before I will have it in shape for farming. It sure is the country for anyone that wants to make a home. Although I am a baker by trade, which I learned since I came to Canada, I can see more chances of making a nice home in the beautiful country of Northern Ontario.

One of the girls who went to Canada twenty-eight years ago, and has been married for twelve years, tells us that she has two "fine boys," and that her husband is a contractor and doing well, owning several houses and living in a modern "flat" which they have just built. Another, who has been married for fourteen years, says she has a son twelve years old, "a good Christian boy," whom "I have brought up as I thought was right." It is good to learn that the family are "all members of the Methodist Church." Her sister, whom she has been visiting in Toronto, is also married and has a little boy of five.

On the donation list we find £5 for the Homes, with £2 for the Sanatoria and £3 for the Colony, from Wishaw; 10s. from missionaries in Cardiff; 10s. from an African missionary; £5 from teachers and scholars of a Sunday school; 2s. 6d. from Caithness; 2s. 9d. in postage stamps from Orkney; £6 to keep a child for six months; 7s. 6d. in memory of a little boy; 2s. 6d. from a new helper in Omagh, Co. Tyrone, who says, "I know hardly anything of these Homes. I only heard of them"; £1 for the Colony from a Motherwell friend; £10 from a personal friend of long standing; 10 dollars from a Canadian Sunday school; £1 with the words, "The eternal God is thy refuge"; £3 from an Australian doctor; 10s. from the children of missionaries; £1 from Belgian Congo; £2 from a good Christian brother who points us again to that inexhaustible storehouse, Phil. iv. 19, "My God shall supply every need of yours"; and £2 for the Colony of Mercy from a Renfrew Sunday school.

A gift of four shillings made to a little baby, whom God lent to its parents for only three weeks, has been handed to us. As He had need of the little one for service up yonder, the mother felt that this money too

should be the Lord's. A daughter, forwarding a few things which her mother intended sending before her death, says, "No matter how often she read the report she always found something new and interesting. She took a great interest in your Homes. My father died when we were very young, so she knew what it meant." A lady sending £20, with £1 from her niece, writes, "The calls are so many that I sometimes have a fear that our old established institutions may suffer, but I should not fear, for we know He careth for you and will give all that is needed."

"George and his sisters" have sent three guineas to support their orphan for three months; a helper in Kilmarnock, a cheque for £50; an anonymous friend, 2s.; an assembly of the Lord's people in the Transvaal, £4; a friend in Isle of Wight, £10; another in New Jersey, four guineas, "collected from Scotch friends"; one of our grown-up girls, 5s.; two friends in Kirkwall, 12s 6d.; a Peer of the Realm, £100; an Indian missionary on furlough, 10s.; a number of missionaries in West Africa, £4; and friends in the North, £12 to maintain their adopted orphan. One whom these friends supported formerly found a home some years ago with an earnest Christian family in Ontario, who have been instrumental in her conversion, and from whose home, we hear, she is shortly to be married.

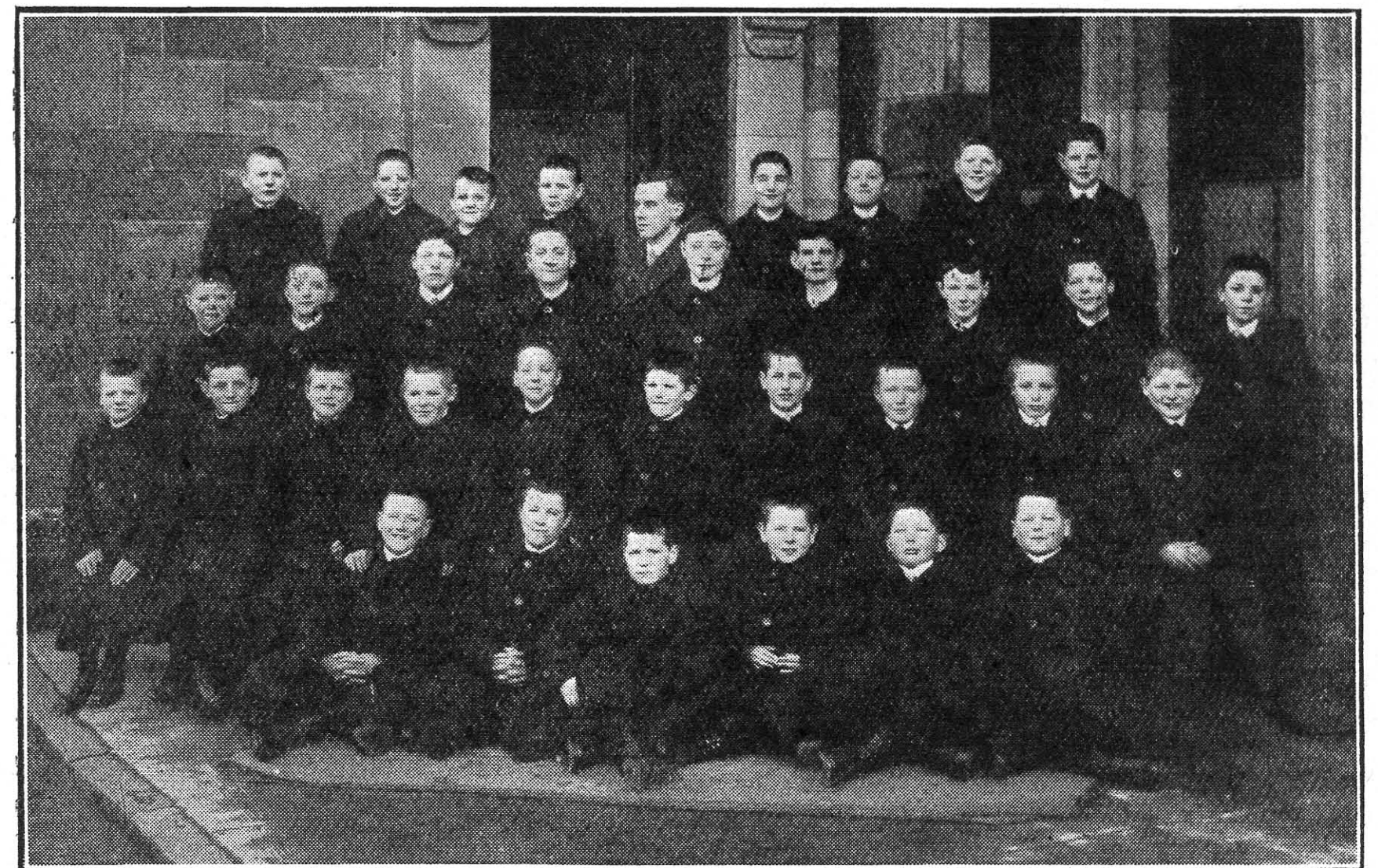
MARCH, 1915.—Several outstanding days on this month's calendar require special reference. The annual prize giving and demonstration of school work took place on 3rd inst., when every class room in connection with the Day and Continuation schools was open for inspection by friends interested in the children's education. Exhibitions of drill and gymnastics were given both in the school hall and at the evening meeting in the church, where the principal item on a good programme was the presentation of prizes made on behalf of the managers by Lady Bilsland. Most envied but most heartily applauded among the successful scholars, the dux boy and the dux girl of the school were each recipients of a watch, suitably inscribed.

Admiralty restrictions have made the choice of a steamer for the conveyance of our emigrants a somewhat difficult matter, and at the last moment it has been necessary to make an entire change in the arrangements. We have accepted the offer of familiar accommodation on the *Hesperian*, sailing from Liverpool. Two nights after the school function we met again in the church to bid God-speed to the small party of thirty-three boys and Mr. W. Douglas, who goes to conduct them to their new homes and spend some months in visiting those presently under our supervision in Canada. The uncertainty of the exact time of departure, together with the new dangers menacing ocean travel, combined to deepen the wonted solemnity of the occasion, which, there is no doubt, will be indelibly impressed upon each lad's memory, and, we trust, will lead those not yet surrendered to Christ to enlist under His banner ere, for themselves, they commence the real battle of life. That a guide book may be constantly with them, a good friend gave each boy a pocket Testament similar to those that have been scattered broadcast among the troops with such blessed results.

It was not till Tuesday evening, 9th inst., that the 1915 Boys' Emigrant Party left for Glasgow, where we bade good-bye to them on the

night train for Liverpool, whence, on the following afternoon, they sailed on the good ship *Hesperian*, which has since become a victim of the submarine warfare. We bore them constantly upon our hearts in prayer till a cabled message announced their safe arrival at Fairknowe on Sunday, 21st inst., after an expeditious and uneventful trip. That night as they travelled to Liverpool a ship was torpedoed off the Mersey Bar. Two nights later two others met the same fate in the Channel, and letters tell us that, as they traversed the danger zone on that first night at sea, warning of the presence of three different submarines was given. How very great cause we have to thank God for journeying mercies and protecting care vouchsafed to them.

None of the party was under twelve years of age, which was a factor in reducing its numbers. The eldest lad was not quite seventeen years old, making the average age almost fourteen years, whilst the duration



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of their residence in the Homes worked out at nearly four and a half years. One boy, who was only three years of age on admission and had been with us exactly eleven and a half years at the time of his departure, is going to live in the same up-to-date farm near Ottawa with the younger of two brothers who emigrated in 1907. Another who has spent eleven years and four months with us has two brothers and a sister already in Canada. A third has lived nine years and nine months at the Orphan Homes. ("Could not get a better boy," is his master's report of this boy to our visitor at the end of his first six months in Canada). A fourth member of the party, who is not yet twelve and a half years old, and has been in the village for eight years and ten months, is looking forward to being near his two sisters, the younger of whom has a comfortable home with an old Orphan Homes girl, now a farmer's wife and, strangely enough, living in the county of Renfrew, Ontario. The boy with the shortest residence, namely, fourteen months, was nearly fourteen years of age,

so friends can see that we are in a very good position to judge of each boy's prospects and of the advisability of emigrating him.

One of the 1884 Boys' Party encloses five dollars in the following letter :

It is so long since I heard anything about the Homes. I am getting hungry for news concerning the work. I left the Homes in 1885, if my memory is correct, and was placed with Mr. — at K—. I lived there eight months, then he moved to E—, the place I now live in. He and his wife are still alive, although they are getting old and feeble. I visit them occasionally. I am married and have five of a family, three boys and two girls. Our oldest boy is 15, and the youngest is 6 years. I have a brother in the United States. I visit him quite often. We are only 40 miles apart, and that is a short distance on the electric railway. No doubt you would think as I have not written home all those years, that I would forget about the Homes, but such is not the case, as I often think about them; and why should I not, for what education I have I got there, and what I know about the Bible I learnt there. I have Wm. Quarrier's picture on the table as I write, and in fancy I can see that "grand old man" just as he was when I was a small boy in Cottage No. 5. I often think of the good times he gave us. I can truthfully say those were the happiest days of my life. I have had my ups and downs in life, had a good deal of sickness, and one or two accidents, and it has always seemed if I made a dollar there were two places waiting for it. However, I made up my mind, God sparing me, I would make an effort to do a little for the ones who did so much for me, and while the amount is small, I have resolved, if God in His kindness spares me, to send a token each year the rest of my life.

The good couple who cared for him in the "Ebenezer" Home, and the beloved Founder who sowed the good seed, are gone, but unto us is given the joy of the harvest. What a practical proof of the exhortation in Ecc. xi. 1, "Cast thy bread upon the waters: for thou shalt find it after many days."

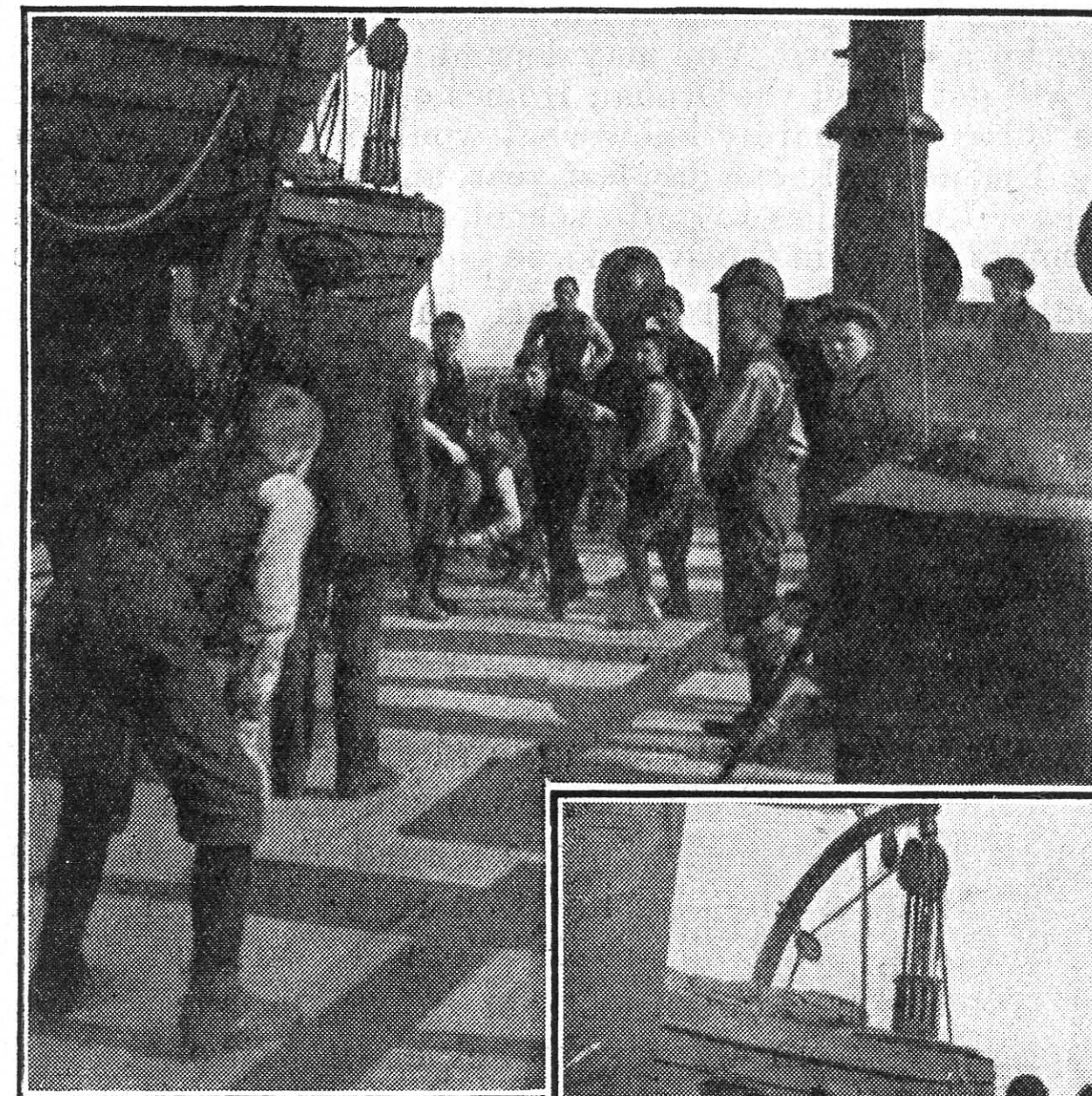
Among the month's donations are. one dollar from California; 5s. from a missionary in British East Africa; 10s. from Natal; 10 dollars from an old boy in Saskatchewan; £30 from an Ayrshire farmer; 3s. from two boys in the Transvaal; 5s. from a missionary who labours for the Lord in Damascus; £2, "in memory of my son"; £7 from a Women's Foreign Missionary Association; £3 from New Zealand; £1 from an old girl, visiting; 10s. from New Jersey; one guinea and ten garments from Blackheath; £5 from Tientsin; 10s. for the Sanatoria, "in loving memory"; £1, part proceeds of a Y.W.C.A. sale of work; £3 from a former orphan; £1, with £1 for emigration expenses, from a friend inquiring about a boy; a guinea, a memorial gift, from Hampshire; 13 pairs infants' slippers, 9 pairs kid shoes, and 6 pairs boots from Aberystwyth; 100 garments from another friend; £15 from Leith friends to support their little girl; £15 from Strathblane and other friends towards the emigration fund; 17s. from a Cumberland Sunday school; a case of oranges; and 99 boxes of kippered herring, a splendid gift in these days when fish is so expensive.

A branch of Queen Mary's Work for Women Guild has contributed a box of children's garments; two friends in Motherwell, £10, with the text, "Let us not be weary in well doing: for in due season we shall reap, if we faint not"; another friend, £10, as "I am clearing up things preparatory to training up for active service"; and someone unknown, per the sender at a war signal station, £1. Not only our boys, but many of our helpers are on active service for King and Empire. God grant them all a deep sense of His sustaining presence and a safe return.

Collections in the church on the first Sunday of the month for the Belgian Relief Fund amounted to twelve pounds.

APRIL, 1915.—There are so many interesting and inspiring letters from members of our scattered family, that it is difficult to select what the space at our disposal will permit us to pass on to those whose gifts have made it possible to give them a start in life. One, so touching that it seems almost sacred to us, comes from a rest camp at Boulogne. The writer, one of the Royal Scots, whose first engagement was at Mons, and who has been at it ever since, speaking of his chum, who was killed by his side, says:—

I lost a good chum when I lost him, for he was a bright lad. But it was his turn, and all I could do was offer up a little prayer for the loved ones he had left behind and then I said, "Thy will be done, O Lord," and then we sang, "When the roll is called up yonder, I'll be there." We have another lad in our regiment that came out of the Homes. He is on our transport. You will see by the paper that



I am using that we have the Y.M.C.A. out here, and it is doing a lot of good work. Now while I am out here I would like you to pray for me and my safe return. I remember when I was a wee boy in the Homes, and our soldiers were fighting in the Boer War, they were never forgotten on Sundays and Wednesdays in our church, and I know it will be the same now.



A GAME OF FOOTBALL AND LIGHT LUNCH ON BOARD "HESPERIAN."

The day of the Great Roll-call alone will reveal what good seed has ripened to a glorious harvest on the battlefield from the memory of some word spoken in season, or of the Christian example and teaching of some of God's servants here during the impressionable days of childhood. Here is a letter from a girl in Canada, whose brother, one of the first Canadian contingent, has already been killed. Nearly eight years ago

as a little one of only nine she was placed with a good farmer's wife, who has been more than a mother to her, seeing to it that no obstacles of distance or weather, or bad roads, prevented her regular attendance at school, so that, having been successful in the examination referred to, she now holds her first permit to teach:—

You will hardly remember me, but perhaps some of the girls in Mizpah Cottage will remember Nellie R—. I am living with Mr. P—, and will be here eight years in July. I could not have been placed in a better home, nor with kinder people. I am now known as Helen P—, and have good reason to be proud of that name. I am still going to school, and fully expect to receive a second class certificate next summer. Then I will go to the Normal School in Ottawa for a year, and then I will be through for a teacher. You may depend upon it when I begin to earn money for myself, I will not forget the Orphan Homes of Scotland, for if it had not been for Mr. William Quarrier, I hardly know what would have become of me. School opens to-morrow. I missed only one day last year, and averaged 87 per cent on my examinations. I have three miles to go to school, but Mr. P— drives me there every morning and comes for me in the evening, so you see I am well cared for.

The following is part of a letter from a girl in a situation in this country:—

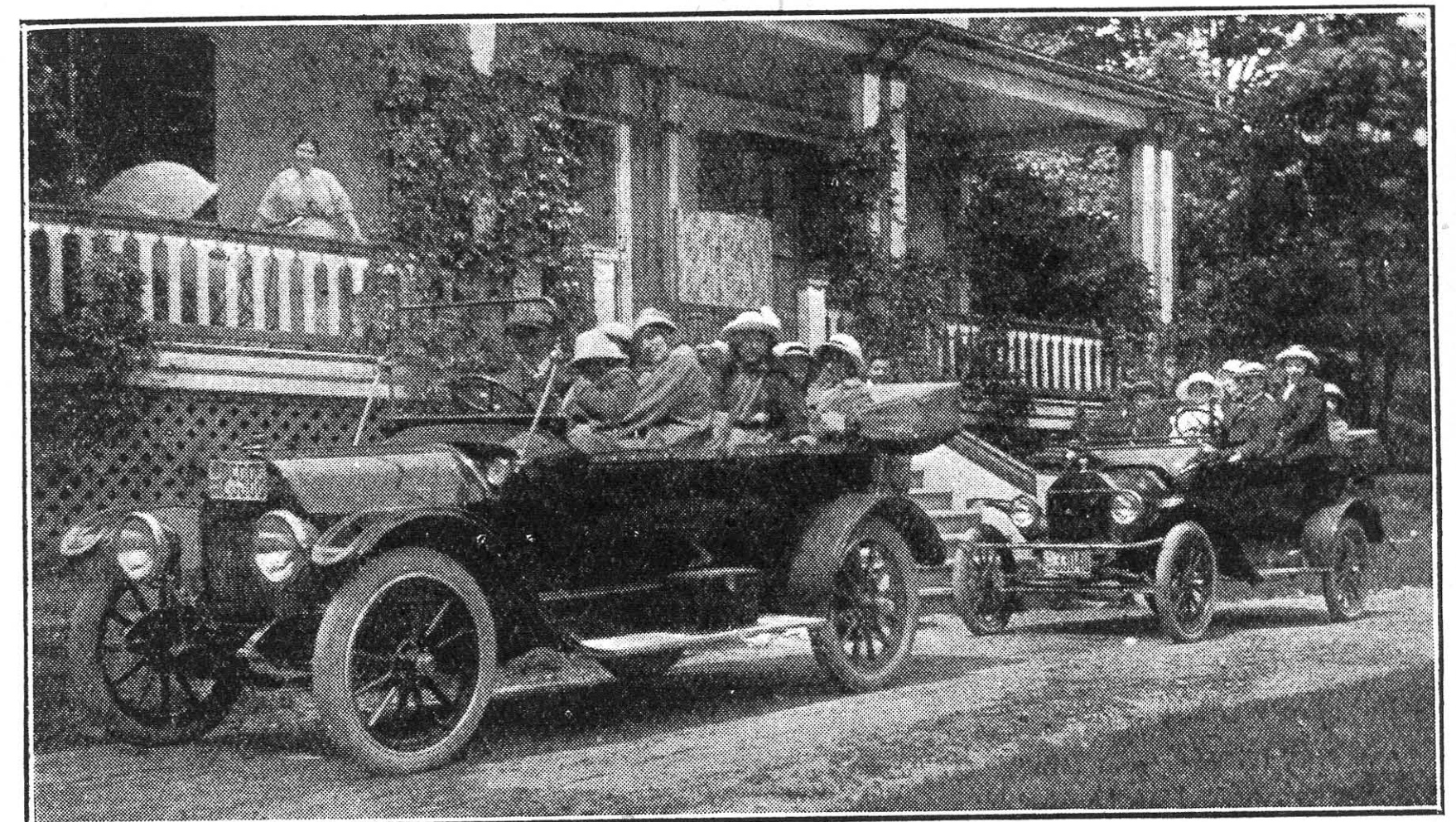
It is a long time since I have written, but still I am always thinking of home, where I was taught so many useful things, which have proved a great help to me, for when I look at the misery of some girls, I feel so thankful to all the friends at the Homes for the good bringing-up I had. I am in a very nice place just now, with a minister and his wife and one little girl, and am feeling very happy and comfortable, and trusting in Jesus day by day. I go to the church every Sunday, and also to the Bible Class, and I have great pleasure in telling you I am joining the church next communion.

To keep the meal in our barrel from wasting, and the cruse of oil from failing in these days of famine prices, the Lord has sent £1 from a small company of Christians in Fife; 2s. 6d. from an aged helper on the "borrowed years"; £30 from a city business man; 10s. "in loving memory"; £5 from Victoria, Australia; £1 from a Dublin Sunday school; £6 9s., being collections from a church in which the beloved Founder often worshipped; £1 from a frequent helper in Arbroath; £20 from a lady in Dundee; 2s. 6d. from one in Greenock, whose initials have become familiar on the little piece of paper that usually accompanies his frequent gifts; £2 from Natal; and 5s., also from Natal, from a Norwegian lady missionary who herself is living by faith, and as the dear friend who sends her donation tells us, "has wonderful things to tell of how God has led her."

A pound has come for emigration expenses; £9 for the Homes, and £3 for the Sanatoria, from Milngavie; 10s., the sender of which is desired to say, "It is an old Shetland widow's mite, and may He bless it to them" (the children); 5s. for the Colony of Mercy from members of a Bible class for deaf and dumb; £1 from a member of Strathbungo Parish Church; £20 from an anonymous donor; £25 handed in at the City Home; £75 from a Glasgow gentleman; and 5s., a thankoffering from a working man on the seventeenth birthday of his daughter, who died sometime ago and whose brother, the only son, went into hospital in France on the day she was buried. "But thank God," the father writes, "he has got home safe." Ten shillings is from one of our girls in a situation in the Highlands; £150 from the Thomas Porter Equipment Fund to help pay for the outfits of boys and girls who may get a start in life during the next six months; and £5,000, the legacy of a dear friend who took a

lifelong interest in orphan children, and, indeed, in every scheme for the uplifting of humanity and the extension of Christ's Kingdom. No restrictions have been placed on this large sum, thus permitting its use for immediate maintenance, which is most opportune, since the month's expenditure is far in excess of the ordinary income

MAY, 1915.—From various Sunday schools who have entrusted their contributions to his care, the secretary of the Scottish National Sabbath School Union has forwarded 18s. 3d. for the Colony of Mercy, 10s. for the Sanatoria, and £27 8s. 1d. for the Homes. This last sum has been added to money already on hand, amounting to about £600, towards erecting the "S.S.Home" for girls. £29 18s. 6d. has been collected by friends in Campbeltown; £2 7s. by a friend in Natal; 5s. by a Christian Endeavour Society; and £5 by friends in Biggar; eight pounds from Belfast are the donor's gifts for 1912, '13, '14, '15; 10s. and £1 are from Wick; £1 from



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two missionaries in China; 1 dollar from a helper in United States; 10s. from South Africa; £5 from Queensland; 10 dollars from a small lumbering town in Eastern Ontario; £1 from the Transvaal, with the words, "He alone is unchanged"; and £1 from New Zealand from the aunt of a girl whom we sent to her some time ago. She says, "J— is getting on well here. She has grown since she came here, a fine strong girl, and a bright, good girl. We trust the little boys are well. We are ever grateful to you for the care and education of them, and trust they will be able in the future to repay by helping to help others." From the other side of the ocean one of the 1912 Canadian girls writes:—

I thought I would write you a few lines. I hope you are keeping well. Mother is keeping fairly well. She has not been out to church since December. I have got a lovely home, and I don't think there is a boy or girl got a better home than me. School will soon be starting. Two of our home boys are living around here. One just lives across the bush from me. I was in his class before I left Bridge-of-Weir. He is very Scotch. I can't speak much Scotch now. We got our exams. at Easter,

and I was at the head of the class. Well, I forgot to tell you about all my gifts. For my birthday I got a tartan dress from father and mother, and the mother of my cottage sent me her picture, and I was glad to get it. At Christmas, in my stocking I got a lovely gold locket and chain and candies, and from mother's sister I got a string of beads. I call her aunt Maggie. She is awfully good to me. We have sold our farm. We don't expect to be away from here till June. I suppose there are a lot of children I don't know in the Homes now. I just love to hear from Scotland.

Alice has been fortunate indeed in her new home as have the two boys she speaks of who went out with this year's party. The report, since to hand, from the master of one of them is to the effect that he is very trustworthy and as nearly perfect as any boy could be. The youngest of a family of three, emigrated two years ago, whose good mistress has no fault to find with her, sends the following letter:—

It is with joy that I write this letter to you. I hope you are all well. I am enjoying myself fine. I am in a real good home, where I go to school every day and also to Sunday school and church. How I do miss the dear home where I was brought up. There is hardly a day passes but I have some of you friends in my mind. I always love to receive the New Year's Letter from Mr. Findlay, to see how the Homes are getting along. There is a lot of Homes boys around here. I had a lovely time on New Year and Christmas. I got twelve presents this year. I am living on a farm but I don't have much to do. The teacher is lovely. I like her fine. The other day she gave me an examination to see if I could go into the fourth book, which is the sixth standard in the Old Country. The highest marks were five hundred, and I got four hundred and ninety-eight marks. M— is in a place where she gets ten dollars a month. She is getting along fine. I have not seen her for nearly a year now, but she writes to me all the time.

Nearly six hundred articles of new and a large quantity of used clothing have come from friends in every part of the country from Thurso to Melrose and Langholm, and from St. Andrews to Campbeltown. Amongst these are 12 bed jackets for the girls in Elise Hospital, and 11 pairs of stockings, with £3 in money, from our old friends "Duet." A firm of grocers has contributed a welcome gift of 3½ boxes of dried fruit, and several bakers, very acceptable donations of bread, cakes, etc. A Glasgow firm, whose usual donation amounts to £20, have made out their cheque for £30, "as there may be falling off, owing to other calls this year." A dear friend, sending £1, tells us that she remembers our needs before the Lord three times every day; and another £1 from Dundee brings assurance of another friend's prayerful interest, for he says, "I continue to remember you at the throne of grace." A new helper in Fife, enclosing 10s., writes, "This is my first donation, and I pray it won't be last. A friend sent book to me, 'A Narrative of Facts.' After having read same, I thought I should like to become helper together in the Lord's work." £2 is from another new helper in Australia. The sender says, "She was here a few years ago, seemed interested in the Homes when my brother and I were sending a small donation and joined us. I am so pleased she has remembered the orphans."

Other items on the donation list are 5s. from a little girl of seven years, who was adopted some time ago; 2s. 6d. in postage stamps from Aberdeen; £5 in memory of a little boy taken from his parents many years ago; 10s. from a very old friend for the holiday fund; and £1 for the same purpose; £30 from a lady in Ayr; £25 from a friend of the early days; other £25 from Fort William; 10s. "on my mother's birthday, a little thankoffering for all she was to me"; £16 from friends in North Berwick; and £2 from one who writes, "I have a son in the naval division at the Dar-

danelles, and crave an interest in your prayers on his behalf." Nor will this one be forgotten, as we intercede for every man, unknown or dear to us personally, who is engaged in that desperate struggle. The following is part of a letter from one of our own boys in the First Canadian Contingent:—

Just a few lines to let you know that I received your letter and parcel, and I am very sorry for not writing sooner, and hope you will excuse me. We were just moving into action, so I had not much time to write. I thank you very much for the parcel you sent me. Well, the Canadian Division has been in a very stiff battle, and has shown its mettle and made a name for Canada, although the casualties were very heavy. It was a terrible sight. The noise of so many guns growling was awful, and to look at the destruction of the beautiful buildings and the lives that have been lost. One night when we were coming back from the trenches the Germans were close to the road. So they threw up some starlights, and then there was a hail of bullets whistling in all directions, and one driver got his horse shot from under him. I don't know how we got through it. I will never forget it. Our nerves were all broken up, but now we are getting a rest. For a week we would lie anywhere for a sleep, we were so tired. I haven't told you much about the country. It is getting very warm, just like summer to us, and it's a great farming country. The women and girls work very hard. I think I have given you all the news I can, so will now draw to a close, hoping to hear from you soon.

JUNE, 1915.—An anonymous donor has sent £1 "to help to feed the bairns," and with the same end in view, 100 bags of potatoes have come to hand from Edinburgh. Such a gift will prove most useful in a community that consumes from ten to twelve tons, or about 150 bags of potatoes per month. Supplementing the ordinary income last month, we received three legacies, totalling £1,013 7s. 8d., and during these four weeks, four others ranging from 6s. 6d. to £1,000. The grateful grandmother of three children in the Homes, sending a donation of five shillings, says, "I wish it had been more, but God can indeed bless the widow's mite. I am so glad to hear that my grandchildren are well and happy. Thank you for all your loving care over them. May God's richest blessing rest on all your labours for all these little ones, and may many of them go forth to tell others of the precious love of Jesus, which has been shed abroad in their hearts by the holy influence that has surrounded them in your Homes."

Two friends, the memory of whose helpful sojourn in our midst is still with us, have sent £20 in celebration of their daughter's birthday; a mother 15s. "in memory of our darling boy"; someone in Worcester, 4s.; Sympathisers in Largs, £10; "One interested," £2 anonymously; a helper in London, 10s.; another in Kent, £5; another in Shanghai, other £5; one engaged in ambulance work "on active service," 5s.; friends in Moffat, 7 guineas; a Glasgow firm, £50 each for the Homes and the Sanatoria, and £20 for the Colony; "A friend," £100; and a sailor who has been on a troopship sailing between Australia and the Dardanelles, £1, to which his mother has added 12s., and he other 10s., being part of his bonus. Earlier in the



ONE OF OUR CANADIAN BOYS.

Narrative reference was made to a gift of five shillings from a missionary, depending by faith on God for her own support. Now the friend who forwarded the money writes the following story of the sequel :—

On her way home after she gave me the 5s. to send, the Devil said : “ Why did you give that 5s. ? Perhaps you may get no more from — as the war is hindering letters, and you will have no food.” Next day she got a letter from —, and in it £7, so she told the Devil : “ See, I have got more pounds than I gave shillings.” So enclosed is one pound as a thankoffering to God for His goodness in keeping her home from war. This lady who sent the money never sent money before, so to God be all the glory and honour.

A new donor in New Zealand explains that she became interested in the work here through a home missionary making reference to Mr. Quarrier's work in Glasgow in the course of his first sermon. According to the wish of the donor of “ Oswald ” Home, though he has long since gone to his reward, £150 has come for the half-year's expenses of that house ; and £180 is also to hand for the support of a boy's Home, the donors of which have sent in addition £10 for the Sanatoria. From Gretna we have £20 ; from Crieff, £75 ; from two of our grown-up girls, 20s., “ sent in love, remembering you all in prayer, that God's blessing may still abide with you and His reward ” ; and 10 dollars from a former orphan boy in Canada. Another of our grown-up Canadian family, who left the village as a little chap of only five in 1893, hungering for knowledge of his own kith and kin, writes for information regarding his relatives. He says, “ I am now a student in theology in the Anglican Church.” What a miracle of God's grace, and what an argument for a good environment in the face of a terrible heredity, as we think of the page in our history book which reveals his deplorable plight when admitted to the Homes. In the same book is the story of another, one of three sisters, who emigrated in 1891, and after a long silence sends such a letter as richly repays us for years of patient effort, and sets our hearts aglow with gratitude to God for the life and influence of our dear father.

I write to you as one of your lost girls. You will not remember me, but I believe if your dear father were alive he would remember me. Although I have not written to the Homes for many years, it is not because I had forgotten our old Home where I was sheltered when I was but a little baby. My heart often goes back to those days of my childhood and to that dear old home. I could go back to the cottage and to the little crib where I slept for years, that is, should it still be there. I could go all through the cottage and tell you all about it. My memory is clear. I could go back to the dear church and the school, and could take my seat in the church where I used to sit. I was but a baby two years old when first I came to the Homes, and was six years when I came across to Canada. I also had two sisters in the Homes at the same time as I was, but sailed to Canada one year before me. They, as well as myself, are married and are in homes of their own. M— has four little ones, K— one little girl, and I have three, two girls aged nine and seven, and a little boy three. I am ten years married, and have a good husband, the best the country could possibly give me, and we are very happy in our little home. I met Rev. — out here. He is working for temperance, and trying to drive the drink out of the country, for which I am much in favour. Imagine my surprise to learn he was from my dear old home. We had a great talk, and I was sorry when he had to go. I showed him two letters your father had written me, one in his own handwriting, also my Band of Hope pledge, all of which I treasure and will always keep. I also have my old Bible that was given me by your dear father, also written on in his own handwriting. I have often looked back over the past. I can see your father preaching and hear his sweet voice. No one could go out of your father's presence without feeling like being a Christian. It was his kind teaching which brought me to see the light and into the fold of God. When I have felt like going astray I could see that dear pleading face of your father

which would make me stop and think. Your father to me was the loveliest, grandest, and best Christian man that could ever have lived. He was like a father to me, and God alone can ever reward him. I can never forget him. I want to go back and make a visit to our old home. It would be nice to see it again. I am glad to hear that things are prospering with you, and hope it will continue, and that God will bless you and all that are with you, and make you a blessing.

Directly owing to the war a new resort has had to be found for the children's holidays. The Homes at Ascog having been filled with children from the city hospitals, to make room for wounded soldiers, that door was closed to us, but simultaneously another was opened, for the Y.M.C.A. Camp was not required since so many young men have joined the colours. We have arranged to rent their premises, where there will be accommodation for 400 instead of 200, and have resolved to let the children have the benefit of two weeks' instead of one week's holiday. The change of place, and the responsibility for managing the camp, has added greatly to the labour involved, but everything has been got ready, so that on Friday morning, 25th inst., the first contingent set out with great expectations for a fine fortnight at Ardgoil.



THE CAMP GROUND AT LOCHGOILHEAD.

JULY, 1915.—Excepting the interval 1897-1904, when emigration work was suspended, this is the first year since 1872 that no girls have been sent to Canada, but here are short letters from two of the boys who left us in March. A bright boy of thirteen years writes from his new home in Glengarry, where he is surrounded by people of Scotch descent, some of whom still speak Gaelic :—

I was very pleased with your letter. It took thirteen days to cross. We have all got very good places, and I think that some of us could not get a better place, for I know what I have. Hoping that you are all well, I am well enough myself. I am getting to know something about the country because I have been here three months on Monday, and I am going to school every day. We will be getting our holidays next week after we pass our examination. Then we get two months to play. Please would you send me word how many boys went to the front to fight and some of their names. I would like to know if there are any boys out of our cottage. In the school there are only four classes, and I am in the third. There are only forty-eight in the whole school.

He signs himself "Your loving nephew," and seems to have found just the right niche for a quaint, old-fashioned nature such as his. The other one, living in a district remote from the last, where he has a large number of Bridge-of-Weir boys and girls around him, says:—

I am very thankful that I have come out to Canada this year so early. The farmers had not started to put in their crops in the field, so we were all in time to help. The Canadian people said it was not a very cold winter, but I think it was cold enough when I came. After 12th July I will be helping to bring in the hay. In the Fall I will be ploughing for my first time, but I hope I will do it right. I milk three or four cows every night and morning. This is all at present. Write back soon.

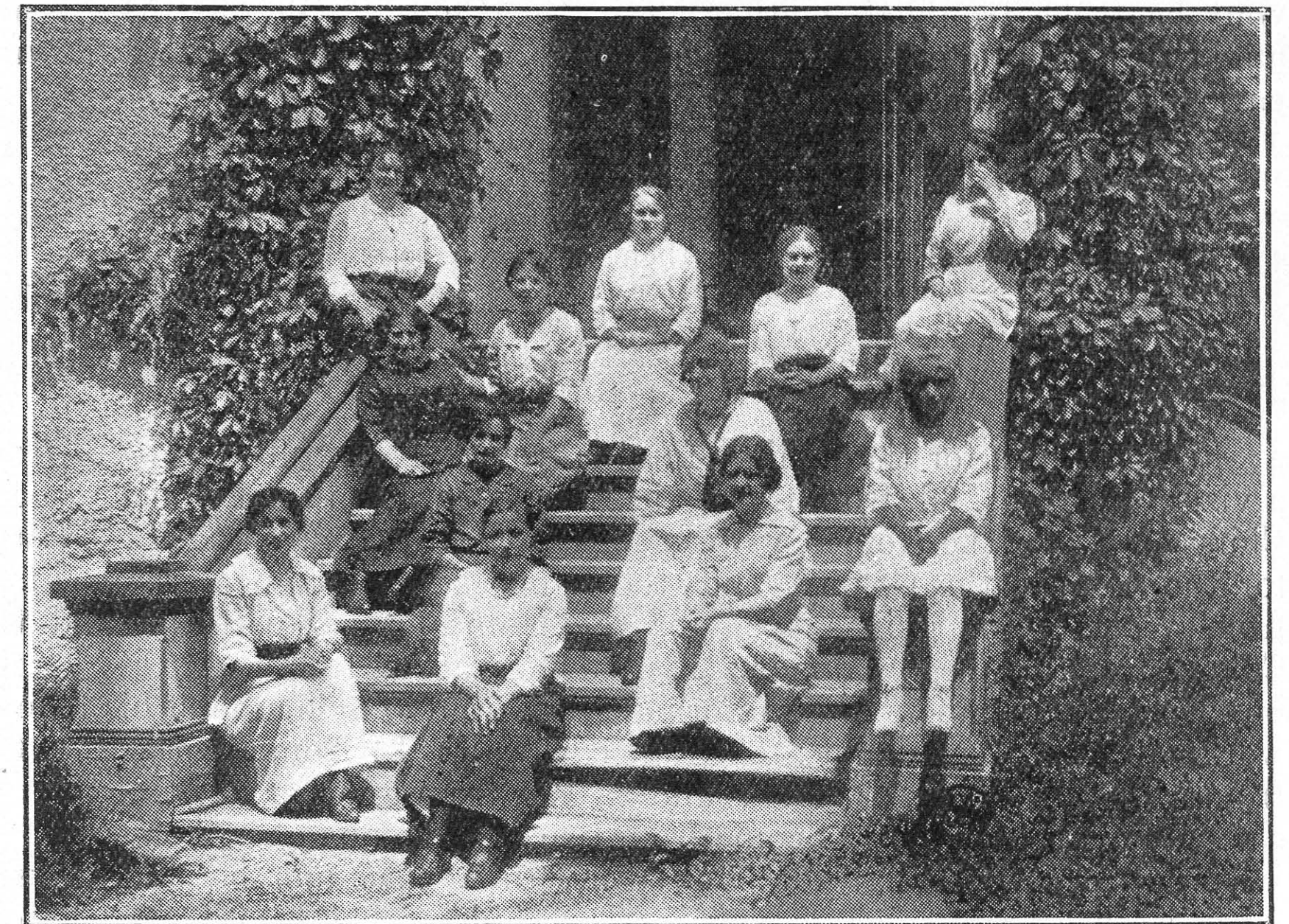
The elder of two sisters who returned to their mother last month says, "When my mother saw me she could not do anything but tell the neighbours how good you were to me. I thank you for all the education I got when I lived there." The next letter we quote is from the younger of two sisters who went to Canada two years ago. She has found an excellent home with a Anglican clergyman and his wife, and is highly spoken of by her master and mistress.

I have not forgotten you although I have never written before. I am living in a village and get along nicely. Mr. and Mrs. — treat me just like their own two little girls. I get all I can eat and drink of everything good, and lots of good clothes to wear. The people I am with are very nice people. They are known to be nice all over the neighbourhood. There are three Scotch Home girls near me. I have left school now, and I am taking music lessons. Dear friends, I thank you with all my heart for all the care and training I got when I was in the Homes at Bridge-of-Weir. I hope some day I will be able to pay back some of the kindness shown to me, but I will never be able to pay back all. I am always very glad when the New Year's Letter comes around. I wish one would come every day. I weigh 114 lbs., and am about 5 feet in height, so you see I am not very small for a girl of fourteen. If ever I go back to the old country I will visit the Homes. I would like to see them again. I hope you are still prospering in that great and wonderful work you have undertaken. I pray for you all every night. May God's blessing be ever upon you and your Christian work.

Five dollars have come to hand from an old boy who has regularly sent donations to help some other boy during the ten years since he went to Canada. "Almost a year has passed by," he says, "since I wrote you before, and what a change it has brought with it. No doubt you are feeling the effect of this awful war over there far more than we do here. But in the face of it all how blessed to know, 'I am the Lord, I change not.' " We have also received £1 12s. 2½d. from a few wareroom girls; 15s. from Islay; £10 with £5 each for the Sanatoria and the Colony from a lady in Killin; £1 "in loving memory"; 7s. 6d. anonymously; 10s. also anonymously from "Forres from a friend"; £4 from New Zealand; £5 10s., "God's tenth for the last year"; £1 from a frequent helper in Crieff; £15 from another in Darlington; 10s. 6d. with a parcel of clothing from an Orkney branch of the Y.W.C.A.; 2s. 6d. from a former orphan in domestic service; 10s. from another; other 10s. for the Colony of Mercy; £7 11s. from friends in Largs, Fairlie, and Manchester; 2 dollars from a helper in California who sent a dollar in May; 5s. from London, in memory of a little one; 4s. 6d. from two friends visiting the Homes; 10s. from a number of Boy Scouts who visited the village recently; £15 from an old friend specially interested in emigration work; 6s. "first fruits of war bonus"; £1 10s. 9d. from two friends in Calgary, with the

words, "He knows, He rules, He cares"; 1s. anonymously, with Kilmacolm postmark; 5s. with the Motherwell postmark; and £1 with the West Kilbride postmark.

A dear old wellwisher, eighty-two years of age, and the mother of twelve children, has sent 5s. After a long life of arduous toil her testimony to God's goodness might be spoken in the Psalmist's words, "I have been young, and now am old; yet have I not seen the righteous forsaken, nor his seed begging bread." Another friend says, "I am sure the time will only give fresh proof of the unchangeable promise, 'I will never leave thee nor forsake thee.' " The sender of a combined Bible class and Sunday school donation from Portsoy writes, "We have an increased interest in your work now seeing you have now a family from this locality."



ON THE STEPS AT FAIRKNOWE.

The friend who thought of our special circumstances in view of the very great rise in prices about a year ago, has again sent £75, pointing to 1 Chron. xxix. 14, "Who am I, and what is my people that we should be able to offer so willingly after this sort? For all things come of Thee, and of Thine own have we given Thee."

Several gifts in money and in kind have reached us for the holiday expenses, but the largest, a cheque for £250, came on 3rd inst., from our good friend "Anon.," who has for years taken a special interest in the young folks' summer outing. On 9th inst. the first party of boys returned home and were succeeded at Ardgoil by a second party of boys, who remained till 23rd inst., when they gave place to about 450 girls and their "mothers." Instead of camping by themselves on the East Coast the lads from the City Home joined the second party of boys at Lochgoilhead

A large motor launch, chartered for the six weeks, enabled every child to have a splendid water trip for a whole hour. There was a much patronised confectionery and aerated water store, and the camp ground afforded ample opportunity for all sorts of games, whilst the neighbouring hills and glens furnished attractive resorts for walks and picnics. The weather being generally very good, nothing was wanting to make the holidays a very enjoyable and beneficial time.

AUGUST, 1915.—Reviewing the events of the past twelve months since this awful war began, our minds involuntarily turn to the forty-sixth Psalm—"God is our refuge and strength, therefore will we not fear. He maketh wars to cease." To Him alone can we look in these days of unrest and disquietude. "My peace I give unto you," said Christ. "Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid." Oh, that His peace might so possess our souls, that, faithfully working, we might await with patience the accomplishment of His will.

Be still and know He doeth all things well,
Working the purpose of His Holy Will,
And if His high designs He do not tell,
Till He accomplish them—do thou be still.
Why shouldst thou strive, and fret, and fear, and doubt,
As if His way, being dark, must bode thee ill?
If thine own way be clearly pointed out,
Leave Him to clear up His, and be thou still.

Five shillings for the holiday fund is from "Thankful"; 2s. 6d. from a visitor; £15 8s. 6d. from friends in Largs; 5s. from a missionary to the Chinese; £3 for the Homes, with £2 for the Colony, from Lanark; £5 each for the Homes, the Colony, and the Home and Foreign Missions Fund from Wales; one guinea each for the Homes, the Sanatoria, and the Colony from a Glasgow donor; 13s. 6d. forwarded by an old City Home boy from the members of an informal Bible study circle among his fellow-workmen at the car depot; £1 from Kirkwall; £4 from Bootle; 7s. 6d. from a Beaulieu Sunday school; and £2 10s. from another in Dunedin. A cheque for five pounds has come from two friends, one of whom says, "I have not forgotten what you showed my Bible class members and myself when we were at Bridge-of-Weir." Ten shillings has been received from other two friends who tell us that "Last October we celebrated our silver wedding, and it was in the first year of our married life that we heard your father speak in Edinburgh; and time has not effaced the impression then made as we heard the wonderful story from his own lips; and we have followed the record of your doings year by year."

Instead of a money gift a city firm have sent a quantity of jerseys, socks, stockings and caps, which would retail at about £10; a donor in Perth, 2 pairs of stockings and 2s. 6d. in money; a farmer in Ayrshire, a cheese weighing 62 lbs.; a friend who says, "I have pleasure in forwarding a few dresses," 151 dresses, 32 coats, and 14 hoods; and a lady, 12 pairs of good black stockings, knitted by her mother who is now eighty-six years of age. A memorial gift of 10s. for the Sanatoria marks the tenth anniversary of a mother's death. £10 is from a donor in Irvine. £100 for the Homes is accompanied by £250 for the Sanatoria. £1 is "in memory of my dear son"; £50 from a Glasgow gentleman; £88 11s. 3d.,

the donor's half-yearly provision for a boys' Home; and £1 from the aunt of two boys, one of whom is still in the village. The other, who went to Canada in March, has found a good home where his master and he cannot speak too highly of each other. The good news that his brother and he have recently been baptized and admitted to membership of the Canadian Baptist Church comes from another of our boys who also says, "I would be in the firing line now if I were big enough. They are taking men 5 ft. 3 ins., and I am 5 ft. 1½ ins., which is too small, and I have to stay at home." One of last year's boys writes:—

This is the first time I have written to you, and I am sorry for not writing before. I was one of the boys who came out last year. I enjoyed my journey across, but I am afraid I wouldn't enjoy it this year because of these Germans. This winter was not too bad. I went to school all winter, but now I am working at home. I liked going to school in a way, because it did me a lot of good in learning Canadian ways.



ON HOLIDAY AT ARDGOIL.

I am not lonesome here, because there is quite a lot of Homes boys and girls about here. I like the place pretty well, for the people are very kind to me. I heard that Mr. Findlay and Mr. Winters are coming to see us, and we are very proud when they do come. I go to Sunday school and church nearly every Sunday, and the minister's sermon is very interesting to hear, because he is an English Home boy, and he tells us of what he did in his orphanhood days here. I think this is all for now, so write soon.

Lest they should become selfish amid the abundant provision our Heavenly Father has made for them, whilst so many boys and girls are suffering from the terrible ravages of war in other countries, we have given our children opportunity to contribute from their own bank accounts to various relief funds. The one chosen for this month was that in aid of the Suffering Jews, to which we sent one Sunday's Church collections,

amounting to £13 16s. 0d. Not the least of all the blessings for which we give God thanks is the safe return of all our children from their holidays at the seaside. None of them has been the worse, but all are looking the better for the change. The last party reached home on 6th inst., and school re-opened for another session four days later.

SEPTEMBER, 1915.—With one pound comes the explanation, "I have not been able to send you any money for a long time, but having received a small sum unexpectedly I now send you a share." From a friend in Ireland 5s., "is the most unexpected money I ever got, for showing a landlord's man over a farm." Eighteen pounds is from a Lanarkshire donor who says, "I am very pleased to be able to send five pounds more than my usual donation this year. It will help to meet your increased expenses owing to the war." We have also received £1 from London; 5s. from West Kilbride with the promise, "Verily thou shalt be fed"; £5, a memorial gift; other £5 from Chelsea; £2 10s. from "Illuminations" to help with the children of soldiers and sailors; £5 0s. 3d., the contents of a box in a Glasgow warehouse; £5 in a registered envelope bearing Peterhead postmark; £2 from New Zealand; 10s. from Penrith, "in memory of our visit to the Orphan Homes two years ago"; £3 from a Calabar missionary; 5s. from two workers; £3 for the Colony of Mercy from two friends; £2 from other two friends after their visit; £1 from Orkney; 3s. 6d. from Worcester; £5 from a Women's Guild in Killearn for the "Killearn" Home; £5 18s. from an association of young people in Dundee; and 2s. 6d. in postage stamps from children in a Westmorland Sunday school "who have given up their prizes this year," the sender tells us, "to help the war relief funds, so we decided to send you a share."

Three hundred and sixty pounds has been paid as part of the legacy of an old Harrogate friend who was much interested in the work of the Homes. Though the old friends are carried hence by the onward rush of time, our exchequer is not allowed to suffer. A donor, whose permanent address is in Canada, writes, "I am a new friend to your institution and have pleasure in enclosing a subscription of one guinea." This last gift came to hand on the anniversary of our first Thanksgiving Day, 17th September, 1878, when the Orphan Homes were formally opened. We hope to hold the Biennial Thanksgiving Day which falls due next year as usual. Intimation of the exact date and the programme for the day's proceedings will be made in due course. This month's Canadian mails have contained twenty-five dollars from one of the older boys in Western Canada who is looking forward to spending New Year's Day at Fairknowe after an absence of many years; 15 dollars from a helper in British Columbia; and the following letter from one of our older girls now married and comfortably settled about sixty miles from Brockville:—

I received your interesting letter and enjoyed reading it very much. I read the book on the life of Mr. Quarrier, and there has certainly been wonderful progress made since I left twenty-five years ago. I am sure that God has been with you all through, and if anyone is ever in doubt in regard to faith in Him, and also faith in prayer, they need only look at or read about the Bridge-of-Weir Homes. What a wonderful place it is, and what a great work they are doing. Take myself for example.

I was living with an aunt in Scotland who was addicted to liquor, and if I had had to remain under her influence I might have become like herself, but I thank God from the bottom of my heart that He led me to the Orphan Homes of Scotland. I would be delighted to have the privilege of walking through Bridge-of-Weir again. I profess Christ and try daily to serve Him. I try, too, with His help to bring my children up in the fear of God. My husband is not a professing Christian, but he attends church when his work permits. Being a railroad man he is not at liberty to go as often as he would like. We are buying our home, and if all goes well it will be ours next year. We will have paid considerably over 1,000 dollars for it by the time we are through. We just started to buy it seven years ago this spring. We have had two children born since we lived here, and one died, and we have three hearty children to maintain. I was seriously ill three years ago, and it cost me quite a sum of money, but owing to God's goodness I am getting my health back again. If I am ever able to give, be it ever so little, I will not forget the Homes that first gave me my start in life, for I assure you I never regret having come to this country. I have worked hard, but I never was in want. What education I have and other good helpful things I know I learned at Bridge-of-Weir. I am sending you a slip cut from the paper to show you that my boy Garfield passed the entrance into High School. You will see that he made the highest marks during the year in his class in the Public School. He was first boy in a class of forty-one pupils. We intend to send him to High School because we know that a good education is worth a good deal. We may have to pinch a little in order to send him, because we have always made it a practice never to go in debt. What we can't pay for we go without. I trust I have not tired you with this long letter, wishing you all success in your noble work.

In spite of its length this letter has been of the utmost interest to us, as we feel sure it will be to readers of the Narrative. Sarah is justly proud of her boy's scholastic attainments, as we are of both mother and son. May she be blessed of God in winning her husband and children to the Lord, so that the home, their thrift and enterprise have built, may become a really Christian one. Writing on the day following his nineteenth birthday from somewhere in France, one of the Canadian Expeditionary Force says, "I have never been dry to-day. It just poured all day and is raining yet, but I am not downhearted. I am the only Quarrier Home boy here and I am proud of it." How that little note, scribbled on a piece of dirty paper, would have cheered the great heart of the beloved Founder, on whose birthday it reached us. Several memorial gifts from friends and workers, past and present, who were privileged to know and love him, constitute the principal feature of the day's donation list.

OCTOBER, 1915.—To meet our needs this last month of another year, some one has contributed 4s. 6d. "from her penny-a-week box"; another helper, 12 penny stamps; one in Somerset, "praying daily for the Lord's blessing on your work," 5s. in postage stamps; yet another, 1s. in postage stamps, "being my first week of my yearly rise, which I always seek to give to the Lord's work in gratitude for His wondrous grace"; a lady sojourning in Wales, £10; two friends in China, £2; one in Barrow-in-Furness, £2 5s.; a farmer near by, £1; a



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helper in Bradford, £2; and one of our Canadian family, 3 dollars, the only gift from the Dominion this month. He is one of a family of three emigrated some years ago, and says in his letter:—

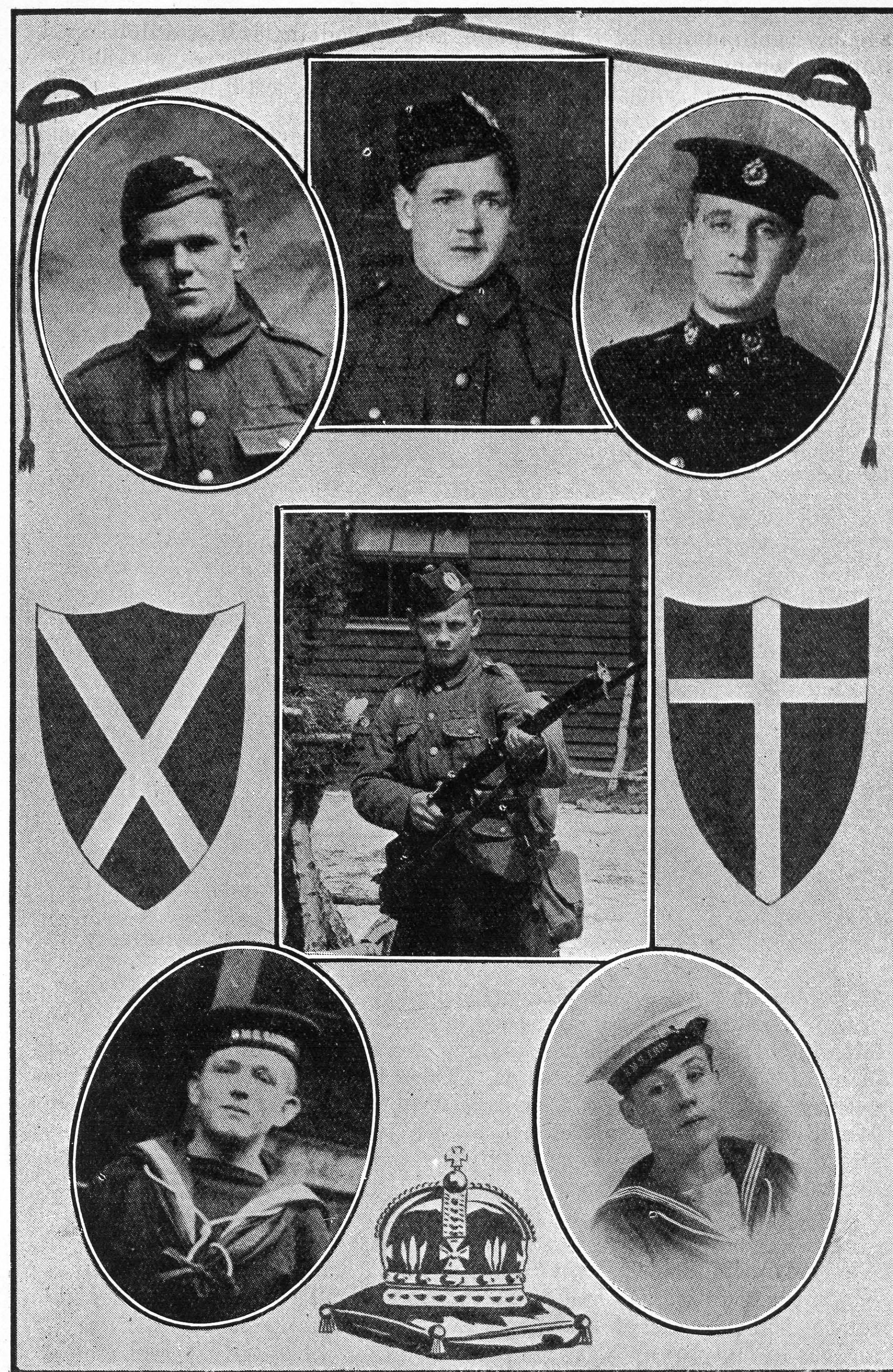
It is a long time since I have written you. I am wondering how you are doing in these trying times, and yet I needn't wonder at all, for God always takes care of His children. My brother recently went to Bermuda with the 38th Battalion, which went there to relieve another battalion which went to the front. My sister was married on the 14th September, in Ottawa, to the son of the lady with whom she was staying. They have gone out to Edmonton to live, as her husband has been in the Post Office Department there for some time. I will miss her very much, as I have been up at Ottawa three times to see her since coming here, and on my last visit gave her away at the wedding. I am enclosing a money order, which you can use for whatever is most pressing. I thought to send it as a contribution to the "Canada" Home, but no doubt you need it more for the general work.

An old lady of eighty-two years in Forres has sent 10s. for general expenses and 10s. for the sick children, and another in Derbyshire, 10s. to buy mufflers. The sender of her gift says, "For many, many years she knitted them for your children. Now as she is 82 she cannot do it, but she does not forget." Two guineas from Aberdeen is "my annual subscription, and a guinea instead of sending garments at Christmas"; 74 frocks, the gift of a friend who also sends £20 in money, being £5 more than his usual donation, saying, "I was glad to hear of your increase of family and for your testimony to the bountiful provision of our God"; a number of garments from Thurso, including 15 jackets and coats, which our matron describes as "just what we were needing for school wear"; 2½ bags of hazel nuts from a Glasgow firm and 6 lbs. of the same gathered by two former girls to help out with the Hallowe'en parties; 6 articles of clothing from friends who have voluntarily taken the place of a deceased friend "who loved to do something for the little ones"; and a bag of oatmeal from a farmer who writes, "In the providence of God it is my privilege again to send you the first fruits of season 1915."

Five pounds, part proceeds of a sale of work in Largs, have been given "for the benefit of two Largs boys in the Homes"; £3 11s. "for our orphan and £10 a small birthday gift," by "George and his sisters," the former of whom is presently fighting in Serbia and the latter nursing in a Red Cross hospital in England; £12 by two friends, one of whom is doing ambulance work for the French Government; and 10s. from one interested in two girls, the younger of whom is still in the Homes and the elder in Canada. The latter is reported to be doing very well in her Ontario home and to have joined the church recently. A little twelve-year-old girl of the 1913 party says in her letter:—

I like my home. I am getting along fine at Sunday School. I am the only one in my class that has been going every Sunday. I am in the junior fourth book at school. I am ever trying to love and trust the Saviour. I will ever remember the Home people because you have done so much for me. We should all love the Home because they loved us and took care of us. We would not have been where we are now if it was not for you. Some day I will come back and visit my old home again if I live.

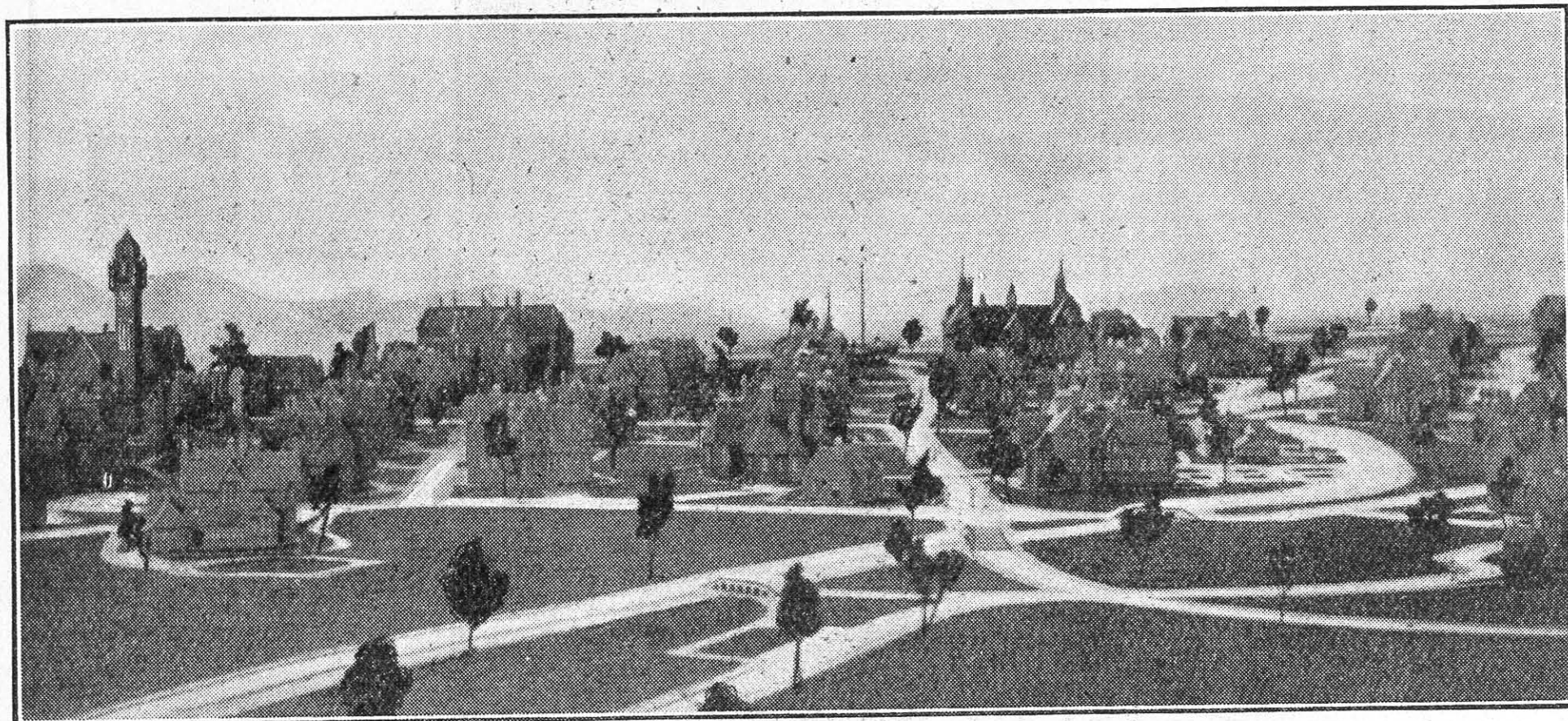
The next extract is from the letter of a boy who has been extremely fortunate in his Canadian home. From being quite a wee chap three years



SOME OF OUR SOLDIER AND SAILOR BOYS.

ago he has grown to be a big, stout, healthy-looking lad, and developed into a thorough Canadian :—

It has been a long time since I wrote to you. Sorry I didn't write before. Well, things are going as usual, weather is getting colder and frosty. I have just returned from camping with my master's daughter and family, and had a fine time fishing, swimming, and rowing. I had a visit from Mr. Douglas. I suppose things are quite changed since I left, boys coming in and old boys leaving the Homes and new fathers and mothers and teachers. I still go to Public School and Church and Sunday School. I expect to get through next year. I milk a cow, drive the horse, and feed the hens, also many other things. Well, our school is going to hold a fair, and I am one of the directors. In the spring there comes a man around to the schools and gives us a list, and we have a choice of anything, like vegetables, eggs and seeds. We take these and grow them, and take them to the fair to exhibit, and get prizes for them. I also look after our school—that is, I am janitor. Have had the job since Easter, and I get twenty dollars a year. Everybody says if I ever leave my home I lose more than money, and that's what I think myself. I have lost all my Scotch ways. If I ever come over to see you they wouldn't know me, for I have grown large, broad, and heavy. Remember me to Mr. and Mrs. — and everybody else that knows me. Tell them I'll come back before long to see them all, as it does one good to hear from them or see them.



Some time ago a Missionary friend in China suggested that a model of the Orphan Homes would be an object-lesson to the Chinese of what faith in God has accomplished, and we were able to send on photos and plans of the village and grounds. These the clever Chinese have reproduced in a wonderful way, as will be seen from the picture above. Our friend writes that the model has been a tremendous attraction, and has already preached many sermons to the thousands who have visited the museum where it is placed.

Six legacies, ranging from £10 to over £500 have been paid this month. A friend in London has sent £50 each for the Homes and the Sanatoria; one in the county, £50, half of which has been allocated to the emigration fund; the trustees of the Thomas Porter Equipment Fund, £150; a mother in Holytown, 10s., "in memory of our little girl"; and another mother in Newcastle-on-Tyne, £1 in memory of a baby's birthday. The

grateful mother of two girls who were recently returned to her writes, "Words fail me when I try to write my poor thanks for all you have done for my girls and myself through them. The girls feel they have never thanked you as they ought to have done."

In the last Narrative we stated that nearly 100 Orphan Homes boys were known to be with the colours. Now the number on the Roll of Honour is about 350, to which additions are constantly being made. Some have been wounded, made prisoners, or reported as missing, and several have been killed. The photograph of one of these is reproduced on page 31. Many, but particularly the Canadians, have spent the



whole or part of their furlough in the village where they received a right hearty welcome. Only the other day we had a visit from one who, having gone through the South African campaign with General Botha, has come over to help on the Continent. He was a small boy when he went from us a few years ago, but as he strode into the village, on a recent Sunday morning, clad in the uniform of the South African Scottish, a smart, clean-looking young man, we were all proud of him. Just the day before his arrival, by the sale of flags, we collected over £25 for the Scottish Red Cross Society. Our brave boys are never absent from our prayers. Most of them have fewer friends than the average soldier, so we confidently commend them to the prayerful interest of our helpers.

Forty-four years have gone by since, depending on nothing but the bare Word of God, William Quarrier launched out upon the enterprise which to-day has grown to such dimensions. It is now twelve years since the beloved Founder was called to his reward, and during that time God's providence has been even more bountiful than in his life-time. Our hearts are very full as we close the record of another year, not so much of work we have tried to do for Him, but rather of what He has done through many and varied channels for His children entrusted to our care. As the vista of the years lengthens, His never-failing loving-kindness seems more wonderful. "How excellent is Thy loving-kindness, O God, therefore the children of men put their trust under the shadow of Thy wings. We have thought of Thy loving kindness. According to Thy name, O God, so is Thy praise." To all who have been our co-workers by gift or word or work, we pass on Miss Havergal's beautiful words of encouragement :—

Another year of patient toil,
A few sheaves won from rocky soil
May not seem much to thee;
But all thy work is with the Lord
And thine exceeding great reward
Thy God Himself shall be.

In Memoriam.

Mrs. Paterson, Inverkip.
Miss A. Martin, Neilston.
The Earl of Stair.
Mr. John M'Neil, Colintrave.
Miss Macintyre, Oldham.
Miss Whittet, Perth.
Mrs. Ford, Edinburgh.
Mr. J. Smith, Kelso.
Miss Boston, Melrose.
Miss Gordon, Edinburgh.
Miss Angus, Bellshill.
Mr. T. B. Watson, Milliken.
Mr. J. M'Callum, Campbeltown.
Mrs. Conchar, Glasgow.
Mrs. Turner, Largs.
Mr. Drummond, Stirling.
Mrs. Watson, Largs.
Mr. M'Ewen, Newton Stewart.
Mr. D. Bird, Glasgow.
Mr. D. Chisholm, Glasgow.
Mrs. M'Connell, Rothesay.
Mr. Nicholson, Annan.
Miss M'Farlane, Govan.
Miss Wardlaw, Glasgow.
Miss Hewetson, Penpont.
Mrs. Martin, Edinburgh.
Mr. Seivwright, Cullen.
Mr. M. Dunlop, Fenwick.
Miss M. H. Shaw, Helensburgh.
Mr. J. P. Tulloch, Lerwick.
Miss J. Stewart, Comrie.
Mr. F. Hutchinson, Wrexham.
Mr. Paterson, Orphan Homes.
Mrs. Burgess, Whalsay.
Mr. C. B. Aikman, Cove.
Mrs. Mann, Giffnock.
Mr. J. C. Smith, Newport on Tay.
Mr. Hugh Lamberton, Glasgow.
Mrs. Dobbie, London.
Miss Anderson, Edinburgh.
Mr. Macintyre, Alexandria.
Miss Anderson, Tighnabruaich.
Miss Slessor, Calabar.
Mr. Andrews, Wishaw.
Mr. John Armstrong, Orphan Homes.
Mrs. Ure, Helensburgh.
Mr. A. P. Forrester-Paton, Alloa.
Capt. John Smith, Glasgow.

Mr. D. J. Macfie, Heriot.
Mr. Robt. Muir, Broxburn.
Miss A. Fleming, Gourrock.
Mrs. Green, Aberdeen.
Miss Leslie, Cults.
Mr. A. Laird, Lochwinnoch.
Miss M'Farlane, Ardrishaig.
Mrs. Baxter, Coupar Angus.
Miss Weir, Greenock.
Miss Fletcher, Rosneath.
Mrs. Pollock, Uddingston.
Mr. A. M'Intyre, Harrogate.
Mr. J. B. Gillies, Edinburgh.
Mr. Thos. Steele, Ayr.
Mrs. Taylor, Forbes.
Miss Stark, Forfar.
Mrs. Blair, Torrance.
Mrs. Graham, Rothesay.
Mr. C. Nicol, Glasgow.
Mrs. Wright, Limerick.
Mrs. Ross, Stromness.
Mr. A. Laird, Glasgow.
Miss M. Turnbull, Greenock.
Mrs. Sinclair, Glasgow.
Miss Wark, Greenock.
Mrs. Stevenson, Melrose.
Miss N. J. Knight, Gareloch.
Mrs. M'Innes, Old Kilpatrick.
Mrs. D. Scott, Edinburgh.
Mr. Chas. Brewer, Leominster.
Rev. A. C. Alexander, Rothesay.
Mrs. James Corbett, Glasgow.
Rev. John Paterson, Airdrie.
Mrs. Birt, Liverpool.
Mr. Wm. Beckett, Glasgow.
Mr. T. Bost, Glasgow.
Rev. D. Macgregor, Kirn.
Mr. Alex. Murray, Glasgow.
Mr. Robt. Lang, Johnstone.
Miss Cochrane, Galashiels.
Mrs. Scott, Orphan Homes.
Miss Janet Cunningham, Edinburgh.
Mrs. M'Laren, Moffat.
Mr. Jas. Sanderson, Galashiels.
Dr. Jas. Wardrop, Glasgow.
Mr. G. Wilson, Tighnabruaich.
Sir Robert Laidlaw, London.
Prof. Buchanan, Glasgow.

EMIGRATION WORK.

LIKE almost every department of life and work throughout the Empire, our emigration work has been seriously affected by the great war; indeed, the war has reversed the tides of emigration so that far more of our boys have recrossed the ocean eastwards in the past year than usually sail for Canada in normal times. Some of these have poured out their life's blood on the red plains of France and Belgium; others have been wounded, and the survivors are eagerly seeking to do their bit in the great world conflict.

Our only "unit" for the West consisted of a small party of thirty-three boys, who crossed the ocean in March, under the charge of Mr. William Douglas, and on board of our favourite steamer the *Hesperian*, which has, alas! since found a grave in the ocean's bed. It was thought well in the existing conditions to send no Girls' Party over this year, but Mr. and Mrs. Findlay made a hurried trip to Canada in July and August in order to attend to various matters calling for attention.

Mr. W. Douglas spent six months in the important work of visiting our children, and has only recently returned home full of thanksgiving for all he saw and heard during his extensive journeyings on behalf of our large family across the sea. His visits are greatly appreciated, and are eagerly looked forward to by the children. Mr. Findlay was also able to see some three hundred of the boys and girls during his short stay in Canada.

A few extracts from the report of our Canadian Superintendent—Mr. C. A. Winters—will be read with interest:—

"On the whole our children have continued their good record and will stand comparison with any class of Canadian children. Our work is not all under the sunshine; what we, and those who take the children must remember is that they are human. Unfortunately, as with children everywhere, we have some who bring discredit upon themselves by their wilfulness. Our time is often taken up in dealing with the dissatisfaction of employer, and child, while it is seldom that the employer takes time to tell us his satisfaction. I may say that the children are far more thoughtful in this respect, and often write telling what a fine home they have, and, at the same time, we know that the employer has the best of the bargain. It is just here that we are thankful that we have had the experience of several years of visiting the children, by which it is impressed upon us that the great majority give good satisfaction, and that it is the few with whom we have trouble. Besides, we are continually hearing of older boys and girls, who at one time gave trouble, but now are reported to be doing well.

"To date this year there have been recorded 19 marriages, and as in one of these an old boy married an old girl, 20 of our number have entered into this new relationship. In this connection one cannot but thank God for the many happy and prosperous marriages that have been consummated in the past, and we have every reason to believe that most of those recorded this year have been very suitable union.

"We cannot find words to express our gratitude to the Home's old friend—Dr. W. Fred. Jackson—who in the worst storms of last winter

made, without a murmur, as many as three calls in one day. His services have been in constant demand and most generously given. The children will not soon forget Dr. Jackson's kind and pleasant manner.

"We are grieved to report seven deaths, only one of which took place at Fairknowe. One of our boys died somewhere in France for his country; a girl died in a consumption sanatorium a few weeks after leaving us; the others died in their adopted homes, and where there were brothers and sisters they attended the funeral.

"We were glad to welcome the thirty-three new boys in March, who have all settled happily in their new homes. Thus far only one has changed places, and that was because of ill health.

"Altogether we have 830, 18 years and under on our lists, but as we have to deal with some over 18 years, we have nearly 900 who command our attention.

"Twice a year we insist on a teacher's statement of the attendance of each school child. Often the teachers add remarks, which are very helpful to us. The following are samples—'P. H. has passed into Jr. III., passing highest in a class of six. During my term here he has worked well. His conduct is good. He has given me no trouble whatever.' 'J. M. just promoted to Sr. III. class. A stranger asked a little boy who was the nicest girl in the school, and his reply was 'J. M.' I think his reply was quite true.' 'J. M'C. works faithfully. She comes to school clean and tidy. Her home is kind and very comfortable.' Our campaign for the children's school rights has resulted in a higher standing when they come to 14 years. In fact, we are glad to report that a greater number have tried the 'Entrance' to High School than ever before. To date, twelve have reported that they were successful at the examination. During the year four have been in attendance at High School, one of whom has passed the final examination which will enable her to enter a teachers' training school. One has left, having entered the second year, and the others are continuing in the second and third years respectively.

"Most of our children are truly Scotch. Quite often the individual savings amount to fifty dollars, and sometimes as high as seventy-five dollars, the aggregate savings of those who came to Canada since 1909, and who are still under 18 years of age, is \$12,131. One of our boys, who is just past 19 years of age, has more than \$300 saved, and several under 18 years have \$100 and more.

"Apparently as a result of the better educational standing, and the possibility to earn more, there is an increasing number planning for and asking advice about qualifying themselves for the future. Business College and Correspondence Courses are contemplated by many, and a few are now in training or have just completed the course. Where advisable, we always encourage such ambitions.

"To date 117 have reported as having enlisted for Overseas Service in His Majesty's army. We feel sure that hundreds of the older boys have done the same without notifying us. In some cases there has been an assignment of pay to our care, and in one case this now amounts to \$300.

"The visitation of the adopted homes has been systematically carried out. Every child is seen in its surroundings. The children are so glad to see those whom they know and love. The visitors have also seen

hundreds who are over age, and therefore not on the official visiting lists. It is encouraging to read the reports.

"We try to make the children realise that Fairknowe is their home, and in as far as is consistent, we encourage their coming home. At our New Year's supper 43 of us sat down together, and each Sunday evening from 25 to 35 have a real homely supper and social time together.

"Depression resulting from this horrible war has had the effect of modifying the demand for our children. There is now not nearly the demand for children under 14 years of age. The cry about the 'out-of-works' in the city has made the farmer turn to this source of supply, and even the wage-earning children were not in request as in other years. Now most of the unemployed have been recruited, and the farmer has found this sort of labour quite undependable, so we anticipate an increasing demand for help for the spring. Even now requests for girls are far greater than we are able to supply.

"Some kind friends remembered the children at Christmas time and others throughout the year by clothing, but for the most part few seem to realise their privilege in this respect. The kind reception by Brockvillians accorded the party of boys in March, will linger long in their hearts and minds.

"Finally, we desire to express our thanks to Almighty God for all His abundant goodness throughout the year. Many times pressed by the routine of work, one is tempted to depend on one's own resources, but each time we have done so, we have found that human wisdom so soon has its limitations. Prostrating ourselves before the Throne of Grace, we have received the desired guidance and assurance. We rejoice in answers to prayer, our own, and those of our friends who we know, are constantly bearing us up for His guidance."



ONE OF OUR CANADIAN GIRLS WITH HER HUSBAND AND CHILDREN.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

IN some ways the Orphan Homes form a self-contained little world, but are not exempt from the abnormal conditions brought about by the horrible European war which has been raging during the whole year. The principles of the Christian dispensation—peace and goodwill—have been ruthlessly tossed aside on the part of our enemies who, with us, professed to be guided by New Testament laws, and it seems as if the supposed advance in civilisation in caring for the orphan and helpless was more a name than a reality. Against this it is encouraging to note, however, the magnificent response made by all classes in our own land to the numerous worthy objects brought into being by the war. When it is remembered that within our gates are over 150 children whose fathers have been or are engaged in fighting or training; that about 350 “old boys” are known to have enlisted, and that nearly all the children and workers have relatives or intimate acquaintances in the army or navy, it is not to be wondered at that in common with almost every home in the land we cannot forget the awful struggle and are in danger of being obsessed by it at times.

The total admissions for the year are about the average, but included in these are 156 children of soldiers, so that but for the war there would have been a decrease. On the other hand the discharges to situations, relatives, etc., in this country have been almost normal, but no girls were sent to Canada, and only one-third the usual number of boys, with the result that in the Homes (excluding the City Home), there are 130 more children at the end than at the beginning of the year. This increase would fill four cottages, and makes the total the largest we have ever had at the end of any year. Seeing our Executive decided to “do their bit” by receiving the children of soldiers when they could not be properly cared for by relatives, we anticipated an increase, and in that respect we were correct, but we also anticipated that relatives of other children under our care, or who might come under our care, would not be so able to take charge as in normal times. In this we were wrong. After the first upheaval caused by the declaration of war had passed, we found that working people were better off than ever before owing to the very reasonable allowances made to soldiers' dependents, and the extraordinary wages earned by so many, also that young persons, especially boys, were so much in demand, and could earn such wages, that relatives were anxious to retain or regain charge of them.

Of the soldiers' children received, three families had lost their fathers before admission, and some have lost them since. One half of the whole number had been deprived of their mothers, either by death or incurable illness, several having become mentally deranged. The other half have hopelessly bad mothers, many of whom had been sent to prison for neglect of their children. Such a fact should go to confirm what almost all workers among soldiers' families affirm, in spite of contradictions from journalists and others who, for one reason and another, try to apologise for or bolster up the accursed traffic, viz., that there is most excessive drinking among soldiers' wives. Drink is the primary cause in every

case of neglect we have had to receive. Had our legislators been able to prohibit the manufacture and sale of strong drink instead of trying to restrict its sale, added to other benefits, would have been this, that thousands of mothers and children would have been living together, as they should, in comparative comfort on the liberal Government allowances, instead of being separated and becoming an additional burden on the community.

In working among the children of the Homes it has seemed as if there was rather more unrest and difficulty in making them feel contented and happy, but it may be in sympathy with the whole nation, for it cannot be denied that the war and its many accompaniments have had an unsettling influence all round. With so large a number of human beings coming from so varied conditions of life, and with such diverse histories, there cannot but be many difficulties and not a few disappointments in spite of the favourable surroundings and good influences made possible by the wondrous provision of God through His thoughtful and kind, human almoners all over the world. It is encouraging to see so often in after life so much good fruit from seed sown, if not in tears, at least with little hope. As is well known, the cost of living has greatly increased, and we congratulate ourselves to find when the balance sheet is made up, that the increase is not so much as we feared. The health on the whole has been good, and progress at school satisfactory. We do well to remember and to remind our friends that there is a danger of looking for too high a standard physically, intellectually, or morally.

In spite of the adverse circumstances of the war, it was found possible to do what, but for the war, would have been impossible, viz., to give every child two weeks at the coast instead of one as formerly. The Homes previously occupied were filled with other children to make room for wounded soldiers. After a good deal of search the use of the Y.M.C.A. camp at Ardgoil was obtained, as it was not being put to its ordinary use this year. It was a new departure, causing considerable planning, labour and anxiety, and it is pleasing to find that the holiday was thoroughly enjoyed, and that the cost per child per week was not more than before. It was not ideal in locality or structure, but gives a basis for a Homes camp should the day come when it is laid on the heart or hearts of friends of the work to provide the means. Given a sandy beach on the open sea, with a few acres near the shore to erect suitable buildings and be used as a playground, and all could spend a delightful holiday fortnight, “bathing, boating, and digging in the sand,” gaining physical strength, and obtaining a brighter, because broader, outlook in life thereby.

The swimming baths, for building which the money is in hand, should have been almost ready for use by this time, but prices were found so high, their erection was delayed. No. 43 cottage, to be known as the Alice Morton Perry Home, is well advanced. The kind donor, in spite of high prices, wished it pushed on to accommodate as soon as possible some of the soldiers' orphans who are sure to knock at our door in increasing numbers. To accommodate the families of necessary tradesmen who are not in charge of cottages, two additional workmen's dwellings have been erected. This group now consists of six houses.

D. DOUGLAS.

REPORT ON THE ORPHAN HOMES OF SCOTLAND SCHOOL.

School Managers, { Sir J. P. MACLAY, Bart., *Chairman*; Sir SAMUEL CHISHOLM, Bart; Mr. ROBERT BINNIE, Mr. W. A. CAMPBELL, Pastor D. J. FINDLAY, Miss MARY QUARRIER, and Mrs. A. QUARRIER BURGESS.

Clerk to the Managers—Mr. R. LOCKHART BRYDEN, 196 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow.

Head Master—Mr. J. GORDON KENNEDY, M.A.

THE Managers have pleasure in reporting that the educational work, in all its varying activities during the past year, has continued to make satisfactory progress.

The Headmaster in his latest report writes as follows :—

“ At 31st October, 1915, the number of pupils under instruction was as follows :—

I. Orphan Homes.

Primary School,	1090
Continuation Classes,	103

II. Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.

Special Class for Children,	29
Continuation Class for Women,	21

Total,	1243
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“ In the Primary School there are 20 classes, composing the Infant, Junior, and Senior Divisions, and the Supplementary Courses. The Supplementary Classes provide more advanced instruction for the pupils who have passed H.M. Inspector's Examination, and the proficiency of the pupils is attested by a Certificate of Merit. During the past year 100 pupils passed H.M. Inspector's Examination for enrolment in the Supplementary Course, and 27 pupils gained the Certificate of Merit. These figures mark the highest point yet reached in efficiency, judged by a numerical standard.

“ In the five Continuation Classes, which meet concurrently with the classes of the Primary School, provision has been made for the further instruction of pupils over 14 years of age, according to the stage of advancement reached in the Primary School. To many of these pupils, who by reason of slowness or previous neglect, have failed to reach the Supplementary Course, Continuation Classes have proved invaluable by affording them an opportunity twice in the week during a complete school year of making up any deficiency in their previous education.

“ Special classes for the instruction of epileptic children are a comparatively recent departure in education. Experience seems to show, however, that the discipline of school life can be applied with success to epileptics, and that it is contrary to the best interests of children afflicted with epilepsy to permit them to grow up apart from healthful school

influences. No branch of school work calls for more self-sacrificing effort on the part of the teacher, who, for the task, must set before her a high ideal of service.”

H.M. Inspector reported on the school as follows :—

“ Throughout the school a high level of proficiency is maintained—a result which, in view of the special difficulties with which they are faced, reflects great credit on the skill and devotion of the headmaster and his staff.

“ The pupils presented for enrolment under Article 29 (1) of the Code, made a very satisfactory appearance.

“ In the Supplementary Course suitable manual occupations, both for boys and girls, are provided.

“ During the current session, successful Day Continuation Classes were held, which included provision for the further instruction of Epileptics.”

The 2nd Bridge-of-Weir Company of the Boys' Brigade, and the No. 1 Bridge-of-Weir Company of the Girls' Guildry still continue to do good work for the special benefit of the senior lads and girls.

In regard to Finance, the expenditure of the Managers on the work of education in connection with the Primary School for year ending 31st January last, amounted to £3,685 19s. 8d. Against this they have received from the Department—Grant in Relief of School Fees, £641 12s.; Aid Grant, £150 6s.; Parliamentary Grant, £1,321 9s. 11d.; Bank Interest, £7 13s. 11d.; Contributions by Teachers to Scottish Superannuation Fund, £104 15s. 1d.; and from Subscriptions, £1,466 3s. 10d., leaving a balance of £6 1s. 1d. credited to Teachers' Superannuation Fund.

Towards the Expenditure of the Continuation Classes for session ended 31st July, 1915, which amounted to £160 15s. 4d., the Managers received from the Department a Grant of £122 15s. 3d. The balance of £38 0s. 1d. was defrayed from Subscriptions.

The Managers believe that the school, with all its allied agencies and activities, is fulfilling well its main object of fitting the boys and girls for their life work, whether in this country or in Canada. The success which has attended many of those who were former pupils, proves that to a large extent the education given has been founded upon a sound and enduring basis, leading to lives of usefulness.

The thanks of the Managers are due to the headmaster and the other members of the staff for their faithful services rendered during the past year.

CONSUMPTION SANATORIA OF SCOTLAND, AND COLONY OF MERCY FOR EPILEPTICS.

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MEDICAL OFFICER'S REPORT.

GENTLEMEN,—I herewith submit to you the Annual Report of the work done at the Consumption Sanatoria of Scotland during the year ending 31st October, 1915. Throughout the year 321 patients were treated and discharged. These patients were of both sexes, from 14 to 60 years of age. The following table gives the distribution of their ages:—

	14-20	21-25	26-30	31-40	41-50	51-60 years.
Males,	26	29	24	35	20	10
Females,	52	54	28	29	12	2
Totals,	78	83	52	64	32	12

After examination, on admission to the Sanatorium, they were classified as follows:—

(a) EARLY CASES, that is those having a small part of one lung only affected, and with very little general disturbance, 21 cases—6 males and 15 females, *i.e.*, 6.5 per cent.

(b) INTERMEDIATE CASES, that is those having the whole lobe of a lung, or perhaps the halves of two lobes affected, with moderate constitutional disturbance, 209 cases—86 men and 123 women, *i.e.*, 65 per cent.

(c) ADVANCED CASES, those with more extensive disease than the above, and generally with marked evidence of tubercular poisoning, 90 cases—52 men and 38 women, *i.e.*, 28.5 per cent.

The extent of the disease in these cases might be summarised in the following table, which shows the number of lobes of the lungs affected by the disease:—

Lobes affected,	1	2	3	4	5
Men,	5	43	51	32	13
Women,	20	79	50	16	12
Totals,	25	122	101	48	25

It is remarkable that in 31 cases only, or 9.6 per cent. of the total cases, was the disease confined to one side of the chest. Apparently so insidious is the onset of this malady that, in the vast majority of instances, both lungs are involved before the disease is discovered.

We found that the first indications that the patients had of the disease were very varied. In less than one third of the cases—101—did the condition begin as an ordinary cough or cold; in 22 cases it began with Hæmoptysis or the spitting up of blood; Shortness of Breath, Laryngitis and Loss of Weight were the first signs in nine cases, and Nervousness, Loss of Appetite, and Headache were the initial indications in six cases. In a fairly large proportion of cases the disease seemed to follow directly on other diseases, such as Influenza (25 cases), Pneumonia (18 cases);

Bronchitis (14 cases), Anæmia (7 cases), Indigestion (6 cases), Disorders of Menstruation (4 cases), Silicosis, Adenitis, and Lumbago (each one case). A large number pointed to the fact that the disease with them began with Pleurisy. It is probable that in most of these cases the pleuritic condition resulted from an unrecognised tubercular lesion of the lung reaching the surface, and that therefore the Pleurisy was really secondary to the lung disease.

As a result of Sanatorium treatment we are able to report:—

(a) 28 cases, *i.e.*, 8.7 per cent. have had the disease arrested. That is, while we do not say definitely that they are cured, a close examination of the lungs and of their condition generally, fails to show presence of the disease in an active form.

(b) 197 cases, *i.e.*, 61.3 per cent. have been definitely improved. On discharge there have been present certain symptoms, such as cough or sputum, but modified, in many instances very greatly modified, as compared with their condition on admission.

(c) 96 cases, *i.e.*, 30 per cent. were not improved; the condition seemed to be stationary or had advanced during their stay at the Sanatorium. Ten patients died while under our care. It is interesting to note that on admission 268, *i.e.*, 80 per cent. of these 321 patients were unfit for any work, whereas on discharge 196 or 61 per cent. were able to resume ordinary duties. 279 gained in weight when in the Sanatoria.

There is no doubt, as we have previously emphasised, that we would get much better results if patients came to us at a very early stage of the disease, and did not look upon the Sanatorium as a last resort when everything else failed. Of the 321 patients, only 41 had the disease under one year. In 135 cases the disease had been present from 1 to 5 years, and in 26 cases from 5 to 10 years, while in 118 cases it seemed to have gone on for an indefinite period.

While every patient has suffered from Tuberculosis of the lungs, we have had to treat many complications of the disease and intercurrent affections. The following table gives a list of those of a Tubercular nature, and a list of those which were non-Tubercular:—

TUBERCULAR.		NON TUBERCULAR.	
Pleurisy,	56	Indigestion,	23
Dyspepsia,	17	Diarrhoea,	10
Laryngitis,	25	Rheumatism,	7
Ischio rectal abscess,	4	Heart disease,	2
Fistula in ano,	3	Hæmorrhoids,	4
Meningitis,	2	Appendicitis,	2
Hip-joint disease,	1	Otitis media,	3
Spinal disease,	1	Epilepsy, Asthma,	each 2
Lupus,	2	Nephritis, Goitre,	each 1
Enteritis,	8	Synovitis, Sciatica,	each 3
Adenitis,	3	Insanity, Malaria,	each 1
Orchitis,	1	Catarrhal jaundice, Acne,	each 2

These complications frequently have been serious, and have involved a good deal of work for the nurses, but they invariably have responded loyally and heartily.

There have been no new developments in the treatment of the disease during the year. We have dealt with each patient individually along the lines of rest, followed by graded walks and graduated garden work, together with Tuberculin in suitable cases. Each patient has been attended to by the dentist whenever carious teeth were present and requiring removal, and all complicating affections have been dealt with. While this cannot be said to be a royal road that invariably leads to very rapid progress, there is no doubt as to its reasonableness and of its value in a very large percentage of cases.

One of our chief difficulties often is to impress on a number of the patients the seriousness of their condition, and the absolute necessity of making a full use of their present opportunities, and of staying on at the Sanatorium long enough. The average periods of stay during the year were—for men, 138.75 days, and for women, 162.8 days.

We have closed the year with 135 patients in residence—60 men and 75 women.

JAMES CROCKET, M.D.

COLONY OF MERCY FOR EPILEPTICS.

Gifts required towards Maintenance and £4000 required for each additional Home.

MEDICAL OFFICER'S REPORT.

GENTLEMEN,—I have the honour of submitting to you the Annual Report of the work at the Colony of Mercy for Epileptics for the year ending 31st October, 1915. The accommodation at the Colony was intended originally for 90 patients, but during the year, owing to the pressure of applicants for admission, our numbers have generally been nearer 100. When the year began there were 97 patients in residence—50 men, 20 women, 17 boys, and 10 girls. Twenty-six patients were discharged during the year, 4 patients died, and 31 were admitted. We close the year with 98 patients in residence—47 men, 22 women, 18 boys, and 11 girls. During the year 128 patients in all have had treatment.

The results of the work have not by any means been disappointing. It is true that we cannot point to a large number of cures. There are several who, on account of the regular life, the excellent hygienic environment, the careful dietary, together with medicinal treatment, have had no fits during the year; many have had considerably fewer than previously, and a few have every prospect of leaving us during the ensuing year to begin ordinary life and work, having had no seizures for at least two years. To have helped these so far, even although it is too soon to say that we have cured them, would justify the existence of the Colony as a therapeutic establishment.

Apart from cures, however, we have had not a little encouragement. Over a hundred lives which elsewhere would have been more or less miserable, and which in every instance would have been a burden of responsibility and a source of anxiety to friends and relatives, have been brightened and helped. Men and women who, because of fits, could not obtain work, and were compelled to loaf about, have been happily and usefully employed. Boys and girls who, because of their affliction, have been neglected and untaught, have been enabled to attend school and to join in the ordinary pleasures of life.

One of the privileges most esteemed by the Colonists is that of attending church. Previous to coming amongst us many of them, for fear of causing a disturbance, had not been at a divine service for years. They have assembled twice every Sunday with the ordinary congregation and once during the week. It is true that they take fits, but the patients are so situated in the church as to cause very little trouble, and, further, the regular attender becomes so used to the sound of a seizure that there results no commotion such as would occur elsewhere. The influence of these services in their lives is attested by the fact of their conducting themselves, each week, a Colony service, at which frequently one of the Colonists gives an address.

Unfortunately there are no new discoveries to report either in regard to the nature of this dreadful disease or of its causation, and during the year no new remedies of permanent value have been brought to light.

There seems little doubt that Epilepsy is a symptom not of one disease but of several. Remedies which in one class of case have a definite curative effect, in another seem to accentuate the malady and increase the number of fits. Every case has to be studied and treated individually, and this we endeavour to do. At the close of the year we have a fairly large number of females on our waiting list, and but little prospect of being able to admit them. One cannot but deplore the fact, in view of the very large number afflicted with the disease, that our accommodation is so limited.

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HOME AND FOREIGN MISSIONS FUND.

ALTHOUGH there is abundance of work to occupy all the time and energies of the workers at the Orphan Homes of Scotland, we are so fully convinced of the danger of becoming self-centred and parochial even in a great work like this, that it has always been our aim to train our children and fellow-workers to look over our village walls at the big world which lies beyond. Instead of collecting money for ourselves or for any merely local object, all our church collections are given to outside work through our Home and Foreign Missions Fund. These collections in the past year amounted to over £300, and together with various gifts from friends totalled £1,331 2s. 5d., a sum slightly in advance of last year's income.

It has been not the least of our many privileges to disburse this money, sending it in sums of varying amount to help earnest missionaries in many of the spiritually dark places of the earth; and the letters which frequently reach us telling of the cheer and help such gifts bring to lonely and often overwrought servants of our Lord, are more than repayment for any little work involved. A letter just to hand from the leader of an inland Mission in North-West Africa may be quoted as a sample:—

“Your kind gift not only helped me in the matter of my own expenses, but enabled me to minister at a number of stations in things that were needed by the various workers. They were printing a little book for the Yagba work on the line of Dr. Torrey's ‘WHAT THE BIBLE TEACHES,’ in simple form, to help out the native Christians there, and were binding with a paper cover for lack of funds to do better. I was able to meet the need for a cloth cover out of your gift. In another home where we soon expect to have lady workers, I made a grant for cement floors in the place of beaten clay, which is rather trying for the ladies. To Mr. R—I gave a grant for wider itineration among the Gbari tribe. He is a good linguist, has the Gospel, and always grips his crowd wherever he goes. Then our Sanatorium compound was suffering for want of a fence or wall, and the cattle of the natives would frequently eat off the leaves from the trees planted there; and I gave Mr. S—the money for a brick wall round the place. This is going to mean a great deal for our workers to be able to visit the Sanatorium yearly, and one of the essentials will be a good supply of fruit and vegetables. In two other places I drew from your fund for building operations. Mr. D—who is by no means a builder, had employed natives to put up his house at Karu, and after but a year one of the main walls was tumbling down. He was in a dilemma, from which I was able to help him, not only with a little counsel, but through your kindness in a more practical way. Then at our station at Paiko, Mr. A—had erected a little chapel and school, at a cost of about £4, but could not complete it as he desired, and I helped him with a gift for that purpose. I am only just now being able to make up my accounts, and do not yet know whether I have a little balance left from your kind gift.”

Our own Missionaries—Mr. and Mrs. Cuthbert Nairn, Marraksh, Morocco; Mr. and Mrs. James H. Haldane, Pernambuco, Brazil; Mr. and Mrs. John Ritchie, Lima, Peru; and Miss Jeanie Smart, Loping-Ki, China, have all been kept in wonderfully good health, and enabled to do a good year's work for their Lord in their different spheres. D. J. F.

DONATIONS RECEIVED DURING THE YEAR.

THE donations are entered here under initials, in the order they were received from week to week, towards the different funds. 1st, The Orphan Homes General Fund; 2nd, The Consumption Sanatoria; 3rd, The Colony of Mercy for Epileptics; 4th, Home and Foreign Missions Fund. The full name of each Donor, if known, is entered in the Cash Book, and acknowledgments were sent by post when addresses were given. Donors changing their residence will confer a favour if they will notify us of the new address, at the same time mentioning where they have removed from.

Week ending November 7.—Miss H., Innellan, £2; Ministers' Daughters' College Edinburgh, £1 5s; Rosneath Women's Guild, £1; "Alice, Willie, and Jessie," £1; T. B., Falkirk, 5s; A. O., £1 12s 2d; Yoker Parish Church S.S., £3 3s; *Legacy* of the late John Carmichael, Esq., per Hamilton M'Cleery, Esq., £50; Compensation money, £9 15s; Giffnock U.F. Church S.S., £1 19s 2d; Macgregor Memorial Church Y.M.B.C., Govan, 16s; Collected by Miss L., Bo'ness, 2s 6d; Trinity U.F. Church S.S., Cambuslang, £1 10s; A. O., £1 6s 8d; J. A., Ardrossan, 2s 6d; A. G., £2; Thornliebank Mission S.S., 10s; Mrs P., Charlestown, Natal, a thankoffering, 10s; Mr and Mrs and Miss P., Durban, £3; (M. G. M., 20s; N. F. C., 20s) Biggar; Mrs F. A. S. H., Edinburgh, £5; Employees R. Lyle & Co., Govan, £1 1s; Miss A. M'L., £1; Mrs M., Bradford, 10s; Employees Stephen Mitchell & Sons, £2 2s; "Haggai ii. 8," 10s; Kilmacolm P.C., 10s; Mrs D. C., Lasswade, £4; Misses F., Edinburgh, £1; Middle U.F. Church S.S., Greenock, £1 9s 4d; J. T., Portland, Oregon, U.S.A., £1 10s 10d; B. & S., Ltd., £1; Employees of do., £1; Kirkpatrick-Irongray P.C., £3 18s; J. C., Edinburgh, £12 10s 6d; Miss M. A. J., £1; Miss A. T., Edinburgh, 3s; Miss M. M'E., 5s; Victoria Road U.F. Church B.C., Kirkcaldy, 10s; Brandon Street U.F. Church Y.W.C.A., Motherwell, £2; Miss S., 4½d; J. S., Stronsay, £1;

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—Employees R. Lyle & Co., Govan, £1 1s.

Week ending November 14.—Mr and Mrs A. P., Shettleston, 5s; Nicolson Street U.F. Church S.S., Edinburgh, £1 10s; S.C.W.S., Ltd., £30; J. L. H., Thoraby, £1 1s; Scottish W.S.I. and H.V. Assoc., £1; Chalmers U.F. Church S.S., Larkhall, 10s; Miss R., Innerleithen, "In memory of R. T. R." £5 5s; Mrs H. F., Stirling, 5s; J. S. M., £5; R. H.M., Aberdeen, 10s; Collected from friends, by Mrs H., Kilmacolm, £30; A. O., 11s 10d; "In loving memory of father," £2; Victoria Street Baptist Church S.S., Galashiels, £1; Miss H., Edinburgh, £3; Miss F. R., Paisley, 12s; Peterhead P.C., £3 5s; Miss F., Galashiels, 5s; Mrs E. L., Newton Mearns, £5; Miss J. M., Detroit, 5s; M. H. M'B., Shettleston, £5; M'C. & Co., £1 1s; Employees Anderston Foundry Co., £2 2s; Misses S., East Linton, 5s; Mrs S., 15s; Miss O., Neilston, 10s; Miss P., Kirkcudbright, £2; Uddingston Branch Y.A.U., £5; Mrs W., 8s; Compensation money, £1 12s 10d; Miss A., Edinburgh, £1; J. M., Reston, £1; D. F., Dundee, £1; A. M., Arbroath, £1; Mrs B., 3s; W. A., Ayr, £3; Kilbirnie P.C., £3 12s 6d; Miss R., Aberdeen, £1; Mrs T., 10s; Anon., 10s; Mr and Mrs B. S., Edinburgh (Homes), £10 10s; For Bibles for girls going to Canada, £5 5s; Kildalton and Oa P.C., £5 5s; Mrs O., 12s; Mrs D. (Homes), 5s; For socks for soldiers, 2s 6d; Miss V. O., St. Leonards-on-Sea, £1; Freuchie Y.W.C.A., 5s; R. H., £10; Parkhead Congregational Church S.S., 12s 9d; Mrs S., Leith, 5s; Miss A., Edinburgh, £1; "H. H. M.," Dalkeith, £5; Mrs J. A. B., Airdrie, 12s 6d; Mrs G. B., do., 2s 6d; Swinton P.C., £3 5s; Kilcalmonell P.C., £6 10s; Lochmaben P.C., £4 1s; Renfrew P.C., £11 14s; Dumbarton P.C., £2 12s; Earlston U.F. Church S.S., 6s; Miss T., Cockenzie, £10; Collected from friends by do., £1 10; Compensation money, £26.

Week ending November 21.—Beith P.C., £1 6s; Tain U.F. Church Ladies' Work Party, £1; J. S. S., Newport, Fife, £3; A. P., Huelva, £1 10s; Misses S., Helensburgh, £1; A. E. S., a grateful girl, 2s; From the Lord, 10s; "Alice, Willie, and Jessie," £1; Mrs K., Yetholm, 5s; A. O., 11s 10d; Elie P.C., £7 16s; Mrs R. V. M. and Mrs C., Kelso, £2 0s 3d; Mr and Mrs G., Edinburgh, £1; W. G. L. Swatow, per A. M. C., £3 3s; Miss J. M. M., Edinburgh, £5; Mrs J., Kirkcudbright, £5; "J. R. K." and "C. R. B.," Edinburgh (Homes), £5; (Christmas treat), £5; With love and prayer, 1s; Miss F., Perth, "In loving memory of my sister Bella," £8; St. David's U.F. Church B.C., Buckhaven, 10s; Slamannan P.C., £3 18s; Miss E., Airdrie, £1; Miss C., Lundin Links, £5; M. D., Dunning, 5s; Mrs J. T., Dundee, £1; Mrs S., Henley-in-Arden, £2; Mr B. £1; Mr D. £1; Mrs B., Edinburgh, £1; "J. L." £1; Gourcock, £1; Cathcart Road Gospel Hall S.S., £1; Mrs T., Milbourne Port, 2s 6d; D. F., Crieff, £1; Miss G.'s Counter Box, Helensburgh, £1; Mr and Mrs M., Warrington, £1; G. R., Busby, 10s 6d; Mrs F. S., Gretna Green, £10; Y.M.C.A. Bible Class, Coatbridge, 10s; A. B., £20; Miss J. M'L., Hamilton, 10s; Miss W., Yetholm, £1; Mrs C., Cleland, £5; An old friend, per Miss M'L., £1; A member of Strathbungo, £1; J. S., Tayport, £20.

Consumption Sanatoria.—A. P., Huelva, £1; G. R., Busby, 2s 6d.

Week ending November 28.—Evangelistic Hall C.E., Renfrew, £1; J. W. G.-O., Beaulieu, £150; "Of Thine Own," £1 2s 6d; Mr and Mrs J. A. A., £3; M. P. M'L., 5s; A. O., £8 13s 10d; Misses R., Edinburgh, £1 3s; "In memory, 15th October," £100; Mrs R. B. G., Langholm, 10s; "To help the little ones," £1; Mrs M., Newton of Falkland, £1 1s 6d; Mrs N., Coatbridge, £1; J. R. S., £10; Trinity U.F. Church S.S., Newton-Stewart, £1; W. H. B. D., Newton-Stewart, £1 1s; Springburn North U.F. Church Senior B.C., £1; Miss A. J., Newton-on-Ayr, £1; "A. B.," 5s; A Friend, £1; Miss M. W., Arbroath, 10s; Miss I. W., do., 10s; R. M., £1 4s; Mrs M'K., £1; Mrs A. A., £2; B. Bros., Ltd., £5; Miss A. R., Rutherglen, £1; Oldmeldrum P.C., £1 6s; Mrs Y., Aberdeen, 10s; E. & W., Strathaven, £1; Mrs J. O. H., Bridge-of-Weir, £5; Miss C., 5s; W. A. C., £25; Auchtertool P.C.,

£6 10s; D. M., Dundee, £1; Mr and Mrs R. L. B., £2; Jean Eliza, 2s 6d; Mrs A. R., £2; Mrs B., £1; Miss L. G., Wick, 5s; J. A., 10s; Children's Afternoon Meeting, St. Fergus, 5s; J. R. S., Langbank, 5s; Mrs J. R. S., do., 5s; Morningside Parish Church S.S., Edinburgh, £1; Mrs H., Gourcock, £1; (L. B. & Co., 10s 6d; J. T., Fairlie, 21s; R. G., £5 5s; A. M., £1; L. C., 21s)—the above sums per C.O.S.; Anon, Londonderry, £1; Mrs J. L., Paisley, £3; P. M'S. and P. M'S., jun., Otago, N.Z., £25; A. R. B., M'F. & Co., Ltd., £2 2s.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for ORPHAN HOMES between 1st and 30th November.—Employees Amalgamated Charitable Fund S.C.W.S., £12 11s 6d; J. P. W., Edinburgh, £1; A. V., £5; *Legacy* of the late William Murray, Esq., Montrose, per Messrs Key & Lindsay, £80 2s 7d; L. & Co., £5; Dunfermline C.S., Ltd., £10; *Legacy* of the late Mrs J. Hall, Coatbridge, per Messrs Denholm & Waddell, £10; J. G., 10s; Moncrieff U.F. Church S.S., Alloa, £3 0s 6d; Alex. Johnston's Trust, per Messrs Wright, Johnson & Mackenzie, £9 7s 6d; Porch Hall Y.W. and Y.M. Bible Class, £1; D.M.C. G., £25; Jack & Alexander, £12; *Legacy* of the late Miss M. A. Walker, New Deer, per Mr J. S. Shewan, £117 19s 11d; W. T. C., £3 3s; Employees Hurst, Nelson & Co., Ltd., Motherwell, £5; J. S., 6s 2d; A. N., £1; Greenock Central C.S., Ltd., £3 3s; Workmen and Staff of Clyde Structural Iron Co., Ltd., £1 10s; Miss W., Paisley, £1 1s; "For His Sake," per Miss E. M. C., Queensland, £5.

Consumption Sanatoria.—A. P. & Co., £2 2s; Mrs J. L., Paisley, £3.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for CONSUMPTION SANATORIA between 1st and 30th November.—Employees Amalgamated Charitable Funds S.C.W.S., Ltd., £3 14s 6d; *Legacy* of the late William Murray, Esq., Montrose, per Messrs Key & Lindsay, £80 2s 7d; Workmen and Staff of Clyde Structural Iron Co., Ltd., £1 1s.

Week ending December 5.—Miss G. M'K., Fionphort, 7s 6d; Mrs D. F., £5; Miss C., Newport, Fife, 5s; Hawick Parish Church S.S., £1 14s; "In memory of C. S. R., Watten," 5s; Mrs C., Paisley, £100; Miss B., £5; Mrs F., £1; Found in boxes, 5s 1d; "Alice, Willie, and Jessie," £1; Mrs M'M., 10s; J. O., Alloa, £1; T. G., 15s; Charles, 2s 6d; Katie, 2s 6d; Mrs W. C., Motherwell, £2; Eglinton Street U.F. Church S.S. Assoc., 19s 1d; Miss C., Edinburgh, 5s; Mrs M. K. T., Dundee, £1; Queen's Park Baptist Church S.S., £2; Loudoun Parish Church S.S., Newmilns, £1; Anon., 1s; R. M., £20; Mr M'K., India, £1; Claremont U.F. Church S.S., £1; Miss C., Deloraine, Manitoba, for Christmas treat, £1; J. R., 10s; Miss B. M., Callander, £1; J. B., £1; Mrs P., Helensburgh, £1; Mrs W., Rock Ferry, £1; Kilmacolm P.C., 10s; Miss M'C., Prestwick, 5s; A. O., £1 6s 2d; Miss M. C., a thankoffering, £1; Compensation money, £7 16s; H. D., £1; J. B., £1; Miss M. S., Pollokshields 5s; A. M., Harrogate, £25; H. K., Airdrie, £1; Mrs M. A. W., Hamilton, 3s; Kilbrandon U.F. Church Ladies' Guild, Easdale, 5s; West Port Hall S.S., Kilsyth, £1; "J. E. M.," £5; L. G., Maidstone, £1; Mrs O., Greenock, 6s; D. M. S., Bearsden, £20 (Emigration); D. M'G., Kilmarnock, £1 10s; Miss R. G., Edinburgh, 5s; J. S., Huntly, £3 3s; Miss G. Y., Nelson, N.Z., 5s; J. M'G., Old Cumnock, £1; Miss I. S., £5; Mrs C., Killin, £1; Miss E. R., Kilmarnock, £1; T. M. L., Annbank, £1; G. W., jun., Johnstone, £1; Miss M. G. S., £10 (Emigration); Mrs W., Uddingston, £1; Miss M. M'E., 5s; Mrs W. F. G. A., £5; Misses W., Thornhill, £2 2s 6d; D. A., £5; A. L. C., Edinburgh, £2 15s; Miss B., Burntisland, £1; Caitha S.S., £1 1s; Mrs M'K., Kennoway, £1; J. H. N. G., £5; Mrs F., St. Andrews, 10s; Stethouse S.S., £5; Mrs S., Auchenclochan, 10s; Aytoun P.C., £5 5s; J. G. M., £5; A. B. H., £2; Mrs A., Kidderminster, £1 1s; P. R. A., Airdrie, £1 1s; Miss A. M. B., £1; J. O. & Sons, £20; Mr and Mrs D., Auckland, N.Z., £1.

Consumption Sanatoria.—J. B., Busby, £1; J. H. N. G., £4.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—J. H. N. G., £1.

Week ending December 12.—N. O. F., Milngavie, for Christmas treat, £2; Mr and Mrs R., Kilmarnock, 10s; Mrs B., Whalsay, 10s; Misses D., Nairn, £2; Dr M'W., Reston, £1; J. M. R., Montrose, £1 1s; Mrs E. S. H., £2; J. P., Kilmarnock, 5s; D. B. M'L., Hamilton, 10s; Miss H., Troon, 5s; Sanday East U.F. Church S.S., 10s; E. M., Grahamston, £10; J. N., £15; Mrs B., Skelmorlie, £5; J. C., Kintore, 10s; J. G., Broughty Ferry, £1; W. B. C., Gilmerton, £2; Miss C., 4s; J. S. & Brother, Thurso, 10s; "F. P.," £225; Mrs J. M'B., Burnside, 10s; Miss M'A., Millport, 5s; T. P. S., Newport, £2 2s; W. W., Bowling, £5; Mr and Mrs A. F. P., Alloa, £7; J. R., Maybole, £10; J. H., Bathgate, 10s; J. L., Johnstone, £10 10s; Misses L., Lanark, £2; J. L., Shrewsbury, £2 2s; W. C. C., Crieff, £2; Arrochar Parish Church Women's Guild, £1; Mrs M., Forres, £1; Miss J. B., 10s; Miss D., Langholm, 10s; Miss M. A., Edinburgh, 10s; Mr and Mrs E. W. G., Edinburgh, 10s; Mrs L., Edinburgh, £1; Miss B. G. M., Forres, 10s; Earlston U.F. Church S.S., 8s; Miss A., Edinburgh, £1; Finnieston U.F. Church S.S. Association, £3 18s; Dunbeth Y.M.C.A., Coatbridge, 5s; Miss S., Edinburgh, £20; J. B., £2; "E. L. and A. L.," Dundee, £4; Well Court Children's Service, Village of Dean, £1 11s 6d; Miss F., Aberdeen, £1; E.U. Congregational Church S.S., Duke Street, Leith, £2 1s; Mrs M., Edinburgh, 15s; Miss G., Montrose, £3; G. H. K., Gareloch, £2; A. B., Edinburgh, £50; Miss M., Elgin, 2s 6d; Mrs H., 5s; Mr and Mrs C., Arbroath, 6s; J. M'K., Port Glasgow, £1; J. B. C., Aberdeen, 6s; A. O., £7 15s 2d; "Kingsborough," £15; Miss M'Q., Mauchline, £5; Mr and Mrs B., Newport, 10s; J. B., Carlisle, 6d; J. B., do., 10s; Miss A., Macduff, 1s 6d; Mrs J. E. K., Ascog, £1; A. S., Rutherglen, £5; Miss B., Greenock, £2; D. C. A., Bearsden, £20; R. M'L., Edinburgh, for Christmas treat, £1; Mrs G. L., Edinburgh, 6s; J. L., West Kilbride, £3; A. J. K., Edinburgh, £6; Coldstream P.C., £5; Miss F., Balloch, 2s; A. M., Arbroath, £1; Mr and Mrs W., Nevin, 5s; Miss O., £1; J. B. K., Uddingston, £2; Mrs W., 8s; Mrs T., Durham, 3s; East U.F. Church S.S., Broxburn, £2; Miss F. R., Paisley, 12s; Miss Mary R., £2 10s; Miss Margaret do., £2 10s; Miss Jessie do., £2 10s; J. R. do., £2 10s; Mrs M. B., Wishaw, £2; Miss M'N., £1; J. R. L., £1 1s; Miss M., Markinch, 10s; St. John's S.S., Largs, £1; K. M., Dundee, "In loving memory of my wife," 10s; Miss S., Edinburgh, 10s; Mrs J. M., Portobello, 10s; Mrs M'K., £1 1s; Mrs M., Innellan, 10s; J. M'C., Ayr, £10; J. H. D., £10; Miss P., Edinburgh, 10s; G. D. S., Edinburgh, 5s; Miss S., Leith, 15s; W. & B., £1 1s; G. M'I., Dunblane, 7s 6d; A Friend per do., 2s 6d; Mrs H. C., Newton, Glencarse, £1; Mrs L., Dundee, £5; J. R., Dumfries, 10s; Mrs J. M'N., Coltnaive, 5s; Mrs K., Aberdeen, £1 10s; Misses M. and M. E. Ayr, 10s; Miss L. M'C., Kirkcolum, 5s; R. C. M., Kilbarchan, £10; Employees Caledonian Railway Goods Station, £1 1s; Hutcheson-own U.F. Church S.S., £1; J. R. H., for Christmas treat, £1; Mrs S., Isle of Colonsay, £1 1s; Visitors to West of Scotland Trout Farm, for Christmas treat, £1 5 6d; A Friend, £1; W. M. Dunfermline, £15; Mrs A. H., 10s; Mrs M., Isle of Whithorn, £2; J. S. S., Kincardine, £1; "J. M'C.," Dunragit, £5; "R. M'C.," do., £10; Miss A. C., Buckhaven, £5; J. and Mrs D., North Berwick, £1; Mrs R., Greenock, £1 10s; Mrs C., Pollokshields, £5; J. M'W., Cambuslang, £1; Mrs A. M., Cupar-Fife, 10s; Two Friends, 7s 6d; J. R. Edinburgh, £2 2s; Crossford

West U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Miss B., £1; Mrs L., 10s; Miss J., Tillicoultry, £1 10s; Mrs R., Helensburgh, 10s; Mrs A., Greenock, 10s; J. K. H., Paisley, 5s; "In Memoriam," Stranraer, £1; Pearl and Tom, £2; Kilfinan U.F. Church S.S., Kames, £1; R. J. D., Leith, £5; J. M. M., do., £1; "J. H.," Hawick, £1; Middlebie P.C., £18 4s; J. H. R., Bradford, £1 1s; Mrs B. S., Lenzie, 10s; Mrs M. Ayr, £2; "An old worker's mite," 2s; "One who loves the children," Kilwinning, 2s 6d; Mrs U., Pollokshaws, £1; "An aged widow," £1; Mrs B., Bathgate, £1; Mrs R., Dundee, £5; Miss M. E., Ilandrindod Wells, 5s; Mrs E. G., Liberton, £2; Mrs S. Bridge of Allan, 5s; J. S., do., 2s 6d; Misses Una and Florence M., Perth, £2 2s; Misses A. and J. M., Arbroath, 10s; South U.F. Children's Church, Great Hamilton Street, Paisley, £1; Miss S. Brechin, £1; Mrs F., Kirkcaldy, 5s; R. A., Perth, £1; Miss R., Ardrossan, £1; Mrs G. W. S., Brora, 7s 6d; P. S., £1; Mrs T., £1; A. M. M'H., Bombay, £1; Readers of the *Morning Star*, London, 10s; Kirkcaldy and Dysart P.C., £18 17s; Nurse M., Stoer, 4s; R. B. R., Fraserburgh, 5s; South U.F. Church S.S., Peterhead, 10s; Crosshouse C.S., Ltd., £1; W. G., Bearsden, 10s; Miss H., 2s 6d.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Mrs B., Skelmorlie, £1; "F. P.," £150; Mr and Mrs A. F. P., Alloa, £7; Misses L., Lanark, £1; "Kingsborough," £5; Miss B., Greenock, £3; "J. M'C.," Dunragit, £10; "R. M'C.," do., £20; Employees Hydepark Foundry Co., £1 1s; Thornliebank C.S., Ltd., £1 1s.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—"F. P.," £25.

Week ending December 19.—Mrs J. R., Munhall, U.S.A., £1; Mrs K., £15; Miss K., £3; Mrs M'N., Greenock, 3s; Misses C. and E. E., Leslie, 5s; Miss M., Carlisle, 10s 6d; F. M. H., Moffat, £20; Mrs L., Edinburgh, £1; Mrs C., Paisley, 10s; Miss M. R., 5s; J. M'W., Leslie, 2s 6d; J. R. A., Edinburgh, 5s; Miss B., Pencaitland, £1; J. C., Motherwell, £5 5s; Miss M'L., 2s; Mrs G., Perth, £1; H. D. H.-D., Bickley, £5; Mrs J. Y., Corstorphine, 10s; Miss J. M., Detroit, 5s; "One who knew your father," 10s; Mrs B., Kilmacoll, £2; Miss J., 5s; Miss D., High Blantyre, 10s; Miss E. B., £5; Anon., Prestwick p.m., 2s 6d; Miss R. S., Wilkinsbury, Pa., £5 2s 8d; Master I. I.-J., Edinburgh, 2s 6d; L. C. M. W., Crieff, £1; A. M., Musselburgh, £1; Miss M'K., Kilmacoll, £1; "M. B.," Perth, £2; Employees The United Collieries, Ltd., £10; Luss Parish Church S.S., 5s; Miss W., Alloa, £10; Misses M., London, 10s; Mrs F., Bridge of Allan, £20; D. C., High Blantyre, 10s; T. A., Stanley, £4; J. A., Tarbolton, £10 10s; Mrs W., Dolphinton, £2; Mrs M., Newburgh, £1; Miss J., Galston, £100; Misses F., Kilmarnock, 10s; Mr and Mrs J. T., Brodick, 5s; Miss D., Edinburgh, 2s 6d; Mrs H., Edinburgh, 10s; Mrs A., Parvick, £5; J. C., Dundee, 5s; J. M'K., Dundee, Natal, £2 10s; R. W., £5; Banff Parish Church Junior Guild £1; Mrs T. Buckie 5s; "Alice Willie and Je sie" £1; A. O., £2 0s 6d; Mrs M., Coupar-Angus, £1; Miss M., Auldgrith, £2; Miss M. Selkirk for Christmas treat 3s 6d; D. J., New Cumnock 7s 6d; "James and Evelyn" 10s; R. A. H., Newcastle-on-Tyne 10s; Dalmuir West U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Mrs B., Edinburgh, £5; Misses B., do., £1; Elgin Parish Church S.S., £1 1s; Mrs T., Freuchie, £1; J. D., Stepps, 10s; J. D., 5s; Miss M., Girvan, £1; Miss A. W., 2s 6d; S. W., Kilmarnock, 2s 6d; Mrs Y., Irvine, 10s; Mrs B., Kilmarnock, 10s; "The Roger Children," 4s; Mrs W., North Berwick, £2; Mr and Mrs W., Edinburgh, £2; Wishaw Baptist Church S.S., 10s; Employees Beardmore & Co., £1 1s; G. D. C., London, £1; W. M. R., Dundee, £1; Miss L., Pollokshields, £5; Mrs L., do., £5; Miss D., Maxwelltown, 5s; Misses B., £6; D. W. S., London, 10s; Fossoway P.C., £3 5s; Miss S., Vancouver, 4s; Mrs H., Broughty Ferry, £5; Misses B., Cardonald, 10s; J. S., Lerwick, £3; Z. J., 5s; D. D. D., 10s; Mrs R., Durham, 2s 6d; Miss M. T., do., 2s 6d; Mr and Mrs W., Rothesay, 5s; Miss C., Lockerbie, 2s 6d; Mrs B., Burnside, 5s; Incorporation of Maltmen, £3 3s; J. M'R., £2; Mrs F., £5; Mrs P. M'F., Stanl y, 5s; W. W., Maybole, 10s; Mrs D., 5s; Mrs M., Crieff, £3; W. H., Patricroft, 2s 6d; Lerwick Parish Church S.S., £2; Miss M. and Miss G., Liskeard, £1; Mossvale U.F. Church S.S., Paisley, 10s; Mrs R., Kirkwall, 5s; Mrs H., S. Russia, £5; W. R. P., Paisley, 5s; Mrs K., 2s 6d; Mrs P., Alloa, £10; Miss K., Portessie, 5s; Miss S., Chirnside, 5s; J. J. R., Greenock, £1 10s; G. A. A., Edinburgh, £2; Mrs M., Cupar-Fife, 2s 6d; Mrs M., Edinburgh, £1 10s; Miss A., Arbroath, 10s; St Enoch's Parish Church S.S., £1; Mrs and Misses P., Galashiels, £8; D. D. Winnipeg, £1; J. A. W. Caldercrux, £2; Mrs D., Coatbridge, 14s 6d; Miss May A., do., 10s; Mrs D., King's Lynn, 10s; Miss K., Lockerbie, 10s; R. & W. S., Ltd., Carlisle, £5; T. B., Port-Glasgow, £1; Mrs C., Edinburgh, 10s; Mrs J. N., Broxburn, £1; "My wife and I for your bairns," Montrose, 10s; 135th Glasgow Co. Boys' Brigade B.C., £1 14s 2d; Mrs S., Airdrie, 2s 6d; A Friend, 2s 6d; Mrs L., 4s; Kilwinning C.S., Ltd., £1 1s; E. Campbell Street U.F. Church S.S. and Primary Class, 10s; Miss B., Ayr, £2; York Road U.F. Church S.S., Newton-Stewart, £1 9s; "Of Thine Own," £2; An old member of Strathbungo Parish Church S.S., £1; Braco de Prato S.S., Lisbon, £5; F. J. S., £3; J. M'M., Balloch, £2; Miss P., Stirling, 5s; Miss C., Laurencekirk, 10s; T. B. R., £10; Mrs M., Lenzie, 2s 6d; J. H., Lockerbie, 10s; J. W., Milngavie, £3; C. F., Dundee, £1 1s; W. E., Saltcoats, £5; J. A., Bervie, 10s 6d; W. B., Prestonkirk, £1; E. B., D. D., and J. B., Blackshields, 4s; W. C. Eaglesham, 10s; Dumbarton Parish Church S.S., £1; Mrs A., £1; Mossgreen S.S., 2s 6d; Carruthers Church S.S., Ecclefechan, 6s 6d; St. Andrew's Junior Sewing Clas., Annan, £1; Mrs W. M., Buckie, 5s; Mrs C., Kilmacoll, £1; Mrs E., London, 5s; J. C., 5s; J. A., Aberdeen, £1.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Misses M., London, £1; Mrs M., Crieff, £2; Employees Glasgow Corporation Electricity Department, £4 4s.

Week ending December 26.—Maxwelltown U.F. Church S.S., £5; St. Andrew's U.F. Church S.S., Kilmarnock, 13s 3d; T. R. C., Grangemouth, 7s 6d; J. R., Dumbarton, 5s; Misses M., Helensburgh, £1; Middle U.F. Mission S.S., Paisley, 10s; Miss T., Leicester, £1; T. W. M., £1; Gillespie U.F. Church S.S., Biggar, 10s; Mrs D., Keith, £1; J. Bros., Forfar, £2; Macduff Parish Church S.S., £1 14s; Miss N. K., Ayr, £2; J. G., Elgin, 10s; J. L. H., Dundee, 5s; W. H., Stepps, 10s; Miss M. J. M., £1; D. M., Vancouver, 8s; Margaret S., Kingston, Ont., £1 0s 6d; Mrs M'L., Dumbarton, 2s 6d; "Tweedside," 10s; St. Andrew's U.F. Church S.S., £1; W. L., 10s; Annie M'K., Canada, 12s; Miss L., £1; A. G. S., 5s; G. W. A., £5; Mrs J. M'L., Dumbarton, 2s 6d; R. B. B., Detroit, £1 0s 6d; W. G. M'G., Clydebank, £5; Mrs J. D. M., Edinburgh, £4; Mrs M'K., £1; Miss M. B., Kentucky, £1; Miss L. M'L., Guelph, Canada, £2; Wemyss Bay and Skelmorlie U.F. Church S.S., £1 16s 6d; G. S., £10; Anrum Parish Church S.S., 10s; J. M. S., Uddingston, £3 3s; Mrs P. I., London, for Christmas treat, £25; Anon., 3s; A poor Friend, for Christmas treat, 2s 6d; M. I. R. H., Kilmarnock, £5; St. Andrew's U.F. Church S.S., Bo'ness, £3 2s 6d; Cromarty U.F. Church Women's Guild, 10s; J. Y. & Sons—Springfield Ltd., £1 1s; "The Island," 2s 6d; Miss G., Juniper Green, £1; White Memorial U.F. Church S.S. Association, £2; Nitshill U.F. Church S.S., 7s 6d; Engineering Department of B., M'L. & Co., Ltd., £1 10s; Eastbank U.F. Church S.S., Shettleston, £1; J. W., £2; Miss F., Aberfeldy, 10s; Mrs D., £1; J. F. B., Paisley, £3 3s; D. W., do., 10s; Mrs A., Knock, £1; "A Gourock Friend,"

£5; Miss D., Ayr, £2; Mrs H., Edinburgh, 5s; C. F., Galashiels, £1; Misses E., Bo'ness, 15s; Mr and Mrs M., Winnipeg, £1; Miss B. C. Vancouver, £2 1s; A Friend, 10s; Mrs M. F. R., Edinburgh, £1; R. S., Aberdeen, 10s; Mrs G., Clandeboyne, Man., £1; Mrs H., Dunfermline, 10s; Laurencekirk Parish Church S.S., £1 10s; R. B. C., London, £5; Mrs R. Y., Elgin, £1; Miss H. M., Kilmaurs, for Christmas treat, £1; D. C., Kilmarnock, 30s; J. C., per do., 4s; H. H., Chapel House, £1 10s; Mrs F., Broughty Ferry, £1 1s; Miss M. C., Kirkmuirhill, £1; "Either for Schools or Homes," 2s 6d; A. O., £2 0s 6d; Mrs A., 10s; Miss M. A., 5s; Mrs B., £1; Two Sons, 5s, Kelso; Mrs S. Johnstone, 5s; Mrs S., Gourock, 5s; Miss M., Grantown-on-Spey, 5s; Miss B., Bridge of Allan, 4s 6d; Miss J. M. H., Coatbridge, 2s 4d; Miss B. S., Peebles, for Christmas treat, 5s; Mr C. and Murray and Chalmers, Dunoon, £1; Apprentice Fund of Craig & Donald, Ltd., Johnstone, £2 2s; Bristo Place Baptist Church Y.W.B.C., Edinburgh, £1 1s; Fishermen's Bethel Sunday Morning Service, Cockenzie, £2; Miss J. L. E., Dundee, 5s; Mrs B., 3s; Mrs S. and Family, Pollokshields, £2; Inch U.F. Church S.S., Stranraer, £1 3s 9d; J. D., Rothesay, for S.S. Home, 5s; A. R., North Berwick, £1; Miss J. N. B., Edinburgh, 10s; Miss E. K. P., do., 3s 6d; Mrs J. W., Gourock, £3; Miss M. D., Newhaven, 10s; Miss W.'s B.C., Forfar, 15s; Miss G., Edinburgh, £1; S. C., £5; Dunblane Cathedral B.C., 14s; Mrs A., Grantown-on-Spey, £2; Cardonald U.F. Church S.S. Association, £1; Mossvale U.F. Church Morning Meeting, Paisley, 10s; Kilbarchan C.S., Ltd., £3 3s; Mrs R.'s Sunday Class, Appin, 3s; H. S. B., £5; P. W. R. S., 3s; 3s; Lochgoilhead Public School Pupils, 11s; Mrs J. T., "In memory of my dear husband," 2s 6d; Miss A. M., Alloway, 2s 6d; G. A. M., £5; Janie G., 2s; Mrs A. K., Greenock, £1; Mrs W., Aberdeen, 2s 6d; Bessie H., Paisley, 5s; A Dairymaid, 5s; Mrs J. B. S., Johnstone, 10s; Oban Parish Church S.S., £1; (Mrs H., 2s; A. W., 2s; A. M., 2s 6d; Mrs W., 2s)—the above sums per Miss R., Airdrie; Shore Street Mission, Port-Glasgow, 10s; Topaz (Homes), 2s 6d; (Christmas treat), 1s; Anon., 2s; Jessie G., Carlisle, £1; "For boys and girls from Blantyre," 17s 6d; A Wellwisher, 1s; W. B., Upper Bangor, £1 1s; J. B. O'N., Belfast, £2; Mrs D. P., Colinton, 2s 6d; A. M., Elderslie, £2; Mrs K., Ayr, £3; Mrs G., £3; D. R., Arbroath, 2s 6d; Miss B. R. G., do., 2s 6d; Mrs G. C. S., Bo'ness, £3; "The children of Viewpark Manse," 5s; Mr and Mrs W., Gorgie, £5 5s; Miss B., North Berwick, 5s; Mrs C., Lochgilhead, £5; J. D., Kilmarnock, £3; Mrs D., do., £1; Mr and Mrs L., Edinburgh, 5s; Mrs P., Moffat, 10s; Mrs W., Edinburgh, 5s; Miss A. M., Glenlyon, 10s; Miss C. Falkirk, 9s; Miss E. C. M., Ayr, £1; J. M'C., Dalbeattie, 10s; Miss E. M. B., Wishaw, 10s; Mrs G., Kirkcudbright, 8s; J. M., Troon, 5s; A Friend, £1; W. A. D., Aberdeen, £1; Wellwisher, for Christmas treat, £1; Balmullo S.S., 11s 9d; Cockpen U.F. Church B.C.'s, 10s; Buckhaven C.S., Ltd., £1; North U.F. Church S.S., Dunfermline, 10s; Miss M. F. L., Greenock, £2; Miss D., Troon, contents of collecting box, £1 8s; J. J., Leith, 5s; Employees Clydeholm Shipbuilding Yard, £9; Anon., 2s 6d; Mrs J., 15s; Partick Free Church S.S., £1; Shiskine U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Workers' Charity Fund of Cockburns, Ltd., Cardonald, £1 1s; St. Columba S.S. Association, Oban, 15s; Mrs T., £2; Mrs S., Helensburgh, 15s; Wilma, 5s; Anon., Carsphairn, 5s; (For reading "A Boy's Resolve," 1s 3d; Miss G., 2s; Mrs S., 2s; Lizzie M., 10s; Miss M., 5s 6d; Mrs R., 2s; Misses B., 5s; Mrs W., 1s; Mrs M., 5s; Miss L., 2s; Mrs B., 5s; Miss A., 2s; Mrs G., 5s; Miss G., 2s; Nurse S., 1s; M. M., 5s; Mrs C., 2s 6d; Mrs S., 2s; Mr and Mrs R., 10s; G. R., 1s; Two Friends, 5s; Mr and Mrs W., 5s; B. B., 1s; E. C., 1s; Miss P., 1s; Mrs R., 1s; Miss F., 2s 6d; Mrs R., 2s 6d; Mr and J. T., 2s; Mrs R., 3s; Miss L., 2s; In pennies, 1s 2d; Mrs D., 5s; A. G.'s Mission Box, 5s; Mrs C., 5s; Mrs B., 6d; Mrs J., 1s; B. and A. J., 6d; Miss M'K., 1s; P. H., 1s; In pennies, per P. H., 1s 6d; Mrs M., 5s; Mrs C., 2s; Mrs and S. O., 2s; Mrs S., 1s; Miss D., 2s 6d; L. and J. F., 2s; Mrs M., 1s; Addie and Hamish M., 9d; A. R., 1s; Mrs L., 10s; L. L., 1s 6d; A. and S. W., 20s)—the above sums were collected by Mrs W., Aberdeen; Miss P., 10s; Miss H. W. Kirkcaldy, 10s; Miss I. R. Y., Milngavie, 2s 6d; Mrs M. H. P., Newcastle-on-Tyne, £1 1s; C. A. G., Manchester, £3; Mr and Mrs H. A. L., Pollokshields, £10; Master Alex. Hugh, to keep a little boy, £12; Mr and Mrs R. and Family, £2; J. W. G., Paisley, £5; Mr and Mrs A., Saltcoats, £1; Mrs H. L., Troon, £1; Mrs B., Edinburgh, 10s; Teachers and Pupils of the Junior and Infant Department, Alva Academy, 18s 6d; L. D., Dumbarton, £10; Miss B., Kenmore, 10s; Miss C., £1; St. Philip's Congregational S.S., Portobello, £1; Miss A. D., 10s; C. M. P., Bonnyrigg, 10s; Mrs W. W., Banff, £1; Mr and Mrs M.'s Mission Box, Kelty, 7s; Miss P., Fauldhouse, £2; Mrs B., Alloa, £3 10s; L. D., Edinburgh, 2s 6d; Anon., £5; Hope Park U.F. Church S.S., St. Andrews, £1 1s 8d; Mr and Mrs G. and Boy, St. Andrews, 2s 6d; Mr and Mrs H. M., Old Kilpatrick, £1; A. B., Cellardyke, £1; O. S., Edinburgh, £1; New Cathcart U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Two interested Friends, £2; Two Little Girls, 10s; Mr and Mrs P., £1; Collected in family box, A. G. M., Galashiels, £1 17s 6d; Hillhead S.S., Kirkintilloch, £1; J. B., Lanark, for New-Year breakfast, 10s; Mrs J. M., Jedburgh, 5s; Nurse R., 10s; South U.F. Church S.S., Dumfries, £1; A few of the girls in the wareroom of Lyle & Scott's, Hawick, £2 8s 4d; Mrs K., Dumfries, 10s; St. George's U.F. Church S.S., Dumfries, £1; W. & C., Liverpool, £1; Mrs C., £3; R. S., Gargunno k, £10; W. I., Paisley, 12s; Miss S., Lossiemouth, 10s; Mrs M., 10s; Miss B., Edinburgh, £50; "T. & J. D.," Coa bridge, £5; E. M., 10s; Mrs B., Lochgoilhead, 2s 6d; S. B., Stromness, £1; "Three orphans in memory of their dear parents," 5s; Mrs M., £1; D. M., Hollybush, £1; Mrs G., Strathaven, 7s 6d; Miss M., do., 7s 6d; Mr and Mrs A. C., Conon, £1; Mrs R. C. B., 5s; Miss H. T. L., Perth, for Christmas treat, 2s 6d; Dunollie Road U.F. Church S.S., Oban, 10s; Employees of D. Colville & Sons, Ltd., Motherwell, £3 16s 3d; High Kirk S.S. Association, Kilmarnock, £1; Portland Road Church Mission School, Kilmarnock, 10s; Victoria Street U.F. Church S.S., Dundee, 10s; West U.F. Church Children's Forenoon Service, Forfar, £2; Mrs S., Cathcart, 5s; S. G., £5; J. R., Newton-Stewart, 5s; Misses H., £180; M. H., Paisley, 10s; Part proceeds of gate money at Paisley Auction Mart, £2 4s; C. G. M. M., Wimbeldon, 2s 6d; Johnstone C.S., Ltd., £2 2s; Miss S. W., Portpatrick, 5s; J. C. L., Newport, £5; M. E. Y., 10s; Mr and Mrs A., Otago, N.Z., 10s; Twenty-third annual contribution from Fossoway Public School, 12s.

Received for ORPHAN HOMES by Hon. Treasurer between 1st and 31st December.—J. S. C., South Queensferry, £10; Princes Street U.F. Church S.S., Kilmarnock, £1 4s; Miss Richardson's Trust, £5 2s 7d; Morriston Mission S.S., Cambuslang, £2 2s; Workers of W. Fulton & Sons, Ltd., Paisley, £1 10s; A. A. R., Edinburgh, £5; G. R., Slateford, £1; Mrs W. Y., Edinburgh, £1 1s; A. G. B. & Co., Ltd., £2 2s; Misses W., 5s; G. W., Bathgate, £3 3s; D. B. M., 10s; Mrs R., Row, £1; J. W., £100; J. W. J., £1 14s; J. M., Perth, £5; C. W., Stirling, 5s; J. D., £5; Miss O. W. K., per L. S., London, £5 5s; J. H. H., £10; Muckhart U.F. Church S.S., Dollar, 9s; Albert Hall S.S., Shawlands, £1; Mr and Mrs A., £2 2s; J. A. F., Coatbridge, £2 2s; *Legacy* of the late James M'Kenzie, Esq., Aberdeen, per Messrs Fraser & Duguid, £84; *Legacy* of Mrs A. Paterson, Inverkip, per Messrs Williamson & Bell, £50 16s 4d; W. Y., Cumbernauld, 5s; J. C., Fraserburgh, £1 1s; L. G., London, £2 2s; *Legacy* of the late Mrs Greenhill, per Messrs Mackenzie, Robertson & Co., £300; Gillespie Memorial U.F.

Church Juvenile Missionary Society, Dunfermline, £1; Mrs L. S. J., Birmingham, 15s; G. W., 10s; J. L., Troon £3; Mrs J. S., Oban, 5s; A. W. R., Edinburgh, £10; Employees Dalziel C.S., Ltd., Motherwell, £1; Renfield U.F. Church, £1 10s; Kingston S.S. Association, 10s; Cowlares C.S., Ltd., £4; Mr T., Chapelhall, 2s 6d; R. B. T., Ltd., Coatbridge, £2; J. M'A., £2; W. G. W., Edinburgh £1; H. P., Barrhead, £3; Gilcomston U.F. Church S.S., Aberdeen, £1 5s; Newarthill Boys' and Girls, Sunday Morning Meeting, 10s; Kennyhill Bequest Fund, per Mitchells, Johnston & Co., £30; J. H., £2 2s; Employees Albion Motor Car Co., Ltd., £5 5s; Employees J. Taylor-Wheattholm, Ltd., Airdrie, £1 1s; U.C.B.S., Ltd., £7; J. E. R., 10s; Employees Mirrlees, Watson & Co., Ltd., £3; Shawlands U.F. Church S.S., £1 1s; "A Woman Sympathiser, Partickhill Special," £2; M. H. L., Dunning, £2; Employees J. Brown & Son, Ltd., £1 1s; Miss Richardson's Trust, £33 15s; Mrs J. H. M., of Australia, £2 2s; T. Mrs. Tom, Alec, and May M'R., Dreghorn, 5s; Employees Scottish Tube Co., Ltd., Coatbridge, £3 3s; P., Ltd., £3 3s; A. F. W., Kirkintilloch, £100; Grant Street S.S., 10s; T. H. B., £4 4s; Employees of the Joint Lines, £2 2s; W. G. M., £1; Langbank Woman's Guild, £1; Maryhill Parish Church S.S., 10s; Paisley Abbey, Woman's Guild, £3; A. K. R., Rutherglen, £5 5s; W. D. B., Wallington, £1 1s; J. W. & Sons, Ltd., £10; J. R., £15; St. James U.F. Church Sabbath Evening School, Paisley, £2; A. D. W., £2; J. M. M., Perth, £1; Bridgend U.F. Church S.S., Dumbarton, £1 10s; North Woodside U.F. Church S.S., £1 1s; West U.F. Church S.S., Grangemouth, £4; Kilmacollm Parish Church S.S., £1; Scone West U.F. Church S.S., £1; St. John's U.F. Church Congregational S.S., Montrose, 10s; St. John's U.F. Church Mission S.S., Montrose, 10s; *Legacy* of the late Robert Muir, Esq., Broxburn, per Messrs A. & R. B. Stewart, £150; Employees Smith & M'Lean, Ltd., Gartcosh, £2 2s; Cadder Parish Church S.S.'s, £1; St. John's U.F. Church S.S., Carlisle, £1 15s 10d; Scotstoun U.F. Church S.S., £2; Queen Street Congregational Church S.S., Arbroath, 5s; Cathcart Parish Church S.S., 15s; Carnwath Parish Church S.S., 10s; W. L. M'K., £2 2s; P. & A. C., Govan, £1 1s; Kinning Park C.S., Ltd., £5 5s; Part *Legacy* of the late Mr. Robert Hart, £1,000.

Consumption Sanatoria.—T. W. L., 10s; Mrs J. D. M., Edinburgh, £3; Miss J. M. H., Coatbridge, 2s 4d; Kilbarchan C.S., Ltd., £1 1s; Employees Rankin & Blackmore, Ltd., Greenock, £2 2s; Miss H. W., Kirkcaldy, 10s; "Three orphans in memory of their dear parents," 2s; Misses H., £10.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for CONSUMPTION SANATORIA between 1st and 31st December.—Dennistoun Bakery Employees Sick Benefit Society, £2 2s; D. R., £10; Employees Sir Wm. Arrol & Co., Ltd., £3; Employees The Thornliebank Co., Ltd., £2 2s; Workmen of J. Nimmo & Co., Ltd., £5 5s; Linwood C.S., Ltd., £1 1s; Employees Dalziel C.S., Ltd., Motherwell, £1; Employees Caledonian Railway Co., Hamilton, West Station, £2 2s; Employees The Clydesdale Iron and Steel Works, Mossend, £4; Employees Albion Motor Car Co. Ltd., £5 5s; Albion Motor Car Co., Ltd., Scotstoun, £5; U.C.B.S., Ltd., £6; Employees A. Stephen & Sons, Ltd., Govan, £5 5s; Kingston Yard Employees of Russell & Co., Ltd., Port-Glasgow, £2; J. W. & Sons, Ltd., £5; Workmen of Allan Whyte & Co., Rutherglen, £1 1s; Meadows Side Shipbuilding Yard Infirmary Fund, £5 5s; M. Paul & Co., Ltd., and Employees, Dumbarton, £2 2s; Employees Hamilton, M'Culloch & Co., Ltd., Larkhall, £2; J. S., £1 1s; Kinning Park C.S., Ltd., £2 2s.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—T. W. L., 10s; Miss J. M. H., Coatbridge, 2s 4d; Employees Clark & Co., Ltd., Paisley, £5.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for COLONY OF MERCY between 1st and 31st December.—Employees Smith & M'Lean, Ltd., Gartcosh, £2 2s; Kinning Park C.S., Ltd., £2 2s.

Week ending January 2.—W. S., Edinburgh, 10s; Strathaven West U.F. Church B.C., 10s; Coatbridge East U.F. Church S.S., 15s; Mrs C. T., Alloa, £1; C. B., 5s; Restalrig U.F. Church S.S., Edinburgh, £2 2s; Anon., 3s; "Margaret," Aberdeen, £1; J. O. B., Orkney, 7s 6d; Christmas Children's Service Collection, Morton Parish Church, Thornhill, £2 6s 3d; "W. D.," 10s; J. F. H., Motherwell, £1 1s; J. E. W. T., Orkney, 2s 6d; Mrs W., 10s; Mr and Mrs W. B., Edinburgh, £2 10s; G. D., Coupar-Angus, 5s; Kilbarchan G.S., £3; D. K., Falkirk, 4s 6d; Mrs M'G., 10s; Anon., 2s; Mrs W., Sydney, N.S.W., 10s; Clydebank Union U.F. Mission S.S., 10s; W. D. M., Dunoon, £2; Do., Sunday Fees, £3 12s (Emigration); John Knox U.F. Church S.S., Stewarton, 10s; W.Y.M., Bridge of Allan, £10; Muir of Ord U.F. Church S.S., £1; A. P. & Co., £2; A. F., £1; L. R. T., 10s; Anon., Colintraive, 1s; Cambuslang Parish Church S.S., £3 4s 6d; Employees A. F. Craig & Co., Ltd., Paisley, £5; (P. R. F. & Co., £2 2s; L. O. S., 5s; C. C. & B., £1 1s; Mrs G., 3s; A. T. R., £10; J. A. G., £2 2s; Miss J. B. H., 5s)—the above sums per C.O.S.; "Three Sisters," Brockville, Canada, £2; Barony Parish Church Woman's Guild Work Party, £1 1s; "A. R. A.," £1; Miss B., Stirling £1; H. P., Dalbeattie, 10s; G. & D. C., Kilmarnock, £1; Mrs C., Prestwick, 5s; Mrs W. C., £2; "Alice, Willie, and Jessie," £1; "J. C. B.," £1; West Norland Road Presbyterian S.S., Newcastle-on-Tyne, £1 7s; St. John's U.F. Church Mission S.S., Hamilton, 10s; Head Street U.F. Church S.S., Beith 5s; Miss E. M'A., Langbank, £1; J. C. T., Newton-Stewart, 10s; W. J., £2 2s; Mrs H., £5; United Children's Service, Uddingston, £2 9s 7d; Girls' Intermediate Class, St. Luke's, Montrose, 5s; High Street U.F. Church S.S., Dumbarton, £2; High U.F. Church Junior B.C., Dumbarton, £1; Nethy Bridge U.F. Church S.S., 9s; Hawick Baptist Church S.S., 15s 2d; A. O., £2 0s 6d; "A. W. B.," 10s; Miss M. B., Keith, 10s; Miss N. B., Jedburgh, 6s 6d; D. S., Edinburgh, £1; Anon., Dundee, 2s 6d; Miss B., 10s; Mrs J. S., Montrose, 2s 6d; Miss S., Galston, 2s 6d; W. M., Kilma lie, 10s; J. B. M'N., Clarkston, £1; "Cable," St. Andrews, £1; J. C. A., Edinburgh, £1; Mrs R., do., £1; Miss B., Riddrie, £1; Old Machar U.F. Church S.S., Aberdeen, 15s; Abbey Parish S.S. Paisley £1 10s; Ratho and Kirknewton U.F. Church S.S., 4s; East Kilbride East U.F. Church B.C., 15s; St. Andrew's Parish Church S.S., £4; Kelvinside U.F. Church Congregational S.S., £1; Henry Drummond Memorial U.F. Church Y.M.C.A., 15s; Newhaven U.F. Church S.S., Leith, £10; Collection in Trossachs Church, £1 1s; First and Hassockrig S.S., 3; 4d; A few Friends and Wellwishers, Selkirk, 17s; Employees Doultou & Co., Ltd., Paisley, £2 2s; Miss T., Wakerburn 4s; Mrs G., Mintlaw, £1; J. S. H., Edinburgh, £1; Mrs H., Airdrie, 5s; Mrs B., £2; Parkholm S.S., Paisley Road, £3 5s; Mrs P., Helensburgh, £2; Radnor Park U.F. Church Senior B.C., 10s; Employees Drysdale & Co., Ltd., Yoker, £4 15s; Margaret G. K., Rutherglen, 9s; MacGregor Memorial Church B.C., Govan, £1 10s; Senior Lads' Class, St. Leonard's U.F. Church, Perth, 15s 6d; J. F., 7s; Summertown U.F. Church S.S., Govan, £1; John Street U.F. Church Session's Poor Fund, £2 2s; J. J., Gourdie, £2; G. M., Crieff, £1; T. R., Saltcoats 5s; Graham Street U.F. Church S.S., Airdrie, £1; L. S., Clackmannan, 10s; St. Cuthbert's U.F. Church S.S., Catrine, 6s 8d; C. J., Kingskettle, £1; Miss B., Whitley Bay, £1; R. T., Hawick, 10s; J. E. Moffat, £1; 20th Glasgow Co. Boys' Brigade B.C., £1; Mrs M'F., Partick, 5s; Inverness U.F. High Church S.S., £1 1s 10d; T. C., Musselburgh, 10s; Blackadder U.F. Church S.S., £1 5s; East U.F. Church S.S., Arbroath, 10s; Mrs J., 3s; R. B., Jedburgh, £5; J. Howden &

Co., Ltd., Workmen's Charity Fund, £2; Eastwood Parish Church Woman's Guild, £1 1s; G. W. S., Arbroath, £5; A. D., Strathaven, £1; Mrs and Miss C., Garelochhead, £1; Mrs L., Cleland, £1; Miss E. C., Sowerby Bridge, 10s; "B. B.," 10s; Carfin Established Church S.S., £1; Mrs H., Aberdeen, 2s; Mr and Mrs J. L., Alloa, £2 2s; "A New-Year's Gift from May and Florence and in memory of Pearl," £1 10s; "In loving memory," 5s; "Inasmuch," 5s; H. A. K., Blundellsands, £1; York Place U.F. Church S.S., Perth, £1; J. W., 10s; Edith M. W., Cumnock, 6d; Buchanan Memorial U.F. Church B.C., 10s; Kilbride Church S.S., £1; J. G., Ayr, 10s; Shiloh Hall Y.P. Meeting, Airdrie, £1 17s 6d; Mrs O., Congleton, 5s; Dalziel U.F. Church S.S., Motherwell, £3; North U.F. Church Work Party, Stromness, £3; Bridge-of-Weir Parish Church S.S., £1 11s 6d; Kilchattan Bay U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Misses H. and J. D., Saltcoats, 5s; M. C., Kilmacollm, £3 3s; Mrs J. C., 5s; Mr G., California, 15s; Eadie Church S.S., Alva, £1; E. F.-P., Alloa, £4; Mrs A. R., 5s; Douglas U.F. Church S.S., £1; R. Y., Pollokshaws, 10s; A. S., Clackmannan, 10s; Miss J. R., £1; Mrs M. L., 5s; Mrs O., Bournemouth, 10s; Forfar S.S. Union United Children's Service, 14s; Mount Park U.F. Church S.S., Greenock, £1 1s 3d; Gorgie U.F. Church Lads' B.C., Edinburgh, 10s; North Morningside Juvenile Missionary Society, Edinburgh, £2 2s; Park Wynd Mission S.S., Dundee, 10s; North Street Mission S.S., Leven, 7s 6d; St. Clement's Parish Church S.S., 10s; W. O. & Co. Edinburgh, £10; Mrs M., Edinburgh, 10s; Employees Bow, M'Lachlan & Co., Ltd., Shipyard Department, £1; Kilmacollm P.C., 10s; J. M'E., Perth, £20; Logiealmond U.F. Church S.S. and B.C., 13s; "Gladys and Peggy," £3; T. S., Dunfermline, £1 6s; Blackfriars U.F. Church S.S., Jedburgh, 8s; Employees of John Scott, £2 2s; "Thankoffering to the Lord for His goodness to us during another year," 10s 3d; Braid S.S., Carlisle, £2; T. C., Shettleston, 10s 6d; Ledaig S.S., 14s 9d; W. M., Alloa, 7s 6d; Mrs W. J. L., Crieff, 10s; Miss J. S. B., 5s; Mrs W. R., Belfast, 10s; Saffronhall U.F. Church S.S., Hamilton, £2; North U.F. Church S.S., Crieff, £4; J. W. I. W., £2; J. K., Crieff, £1; J. M. S., Windermere, £30; A. R. S., do., £20; Mrs S., Johnstone, 6s; Mrs E. and Family, Crieff, 10s; D. M., Forfar, 7s 6d; Butterburn U.F. Church S.S., Dundee, 10s; C. R. L., £3; First U.F. Church S.S., Thurso, 15s; Holm Street Mission S.S., 15s; Mrs R. H., Dumbarton, £2; Mrs W., Greenock, 10s; W. G., Cumbernauld, 10s; Brandon Street U.F. Church Junior B.C., Motherwell, £1 Mrs K., Rutherglen, £1 1s; Mantelpiece money box, W. W., Clarkston, £1; Radnor Park U.F. Church Junior B.C., £1; Hamilton U.F. Church S.S., Port-Glasgow £4 0s 3d; W. G., Milton, £200; Mrs F., 7s; J. H. C., £2 2s; Renwick U.F. Church S.S., £1 11s 4d; J. A. M'C., £5; W. A., £10; Found in boxes, £1 1s 2½d; Anon. Linwood p.m., 10s; Anon., 2s 6d; M., Dumbarton, 10s; W. M., Broughty Ferry, 10s; Glasgow Eastern C.S., Ltd., £2 2s; A. B., London, £1; Crossford Village S.S., £3; D. W. D., 5s; Misses D., Kilbirnie, 2s; Miss M., Stonehaven, 5s; A. M. M., Stirling, £1; West U.F. Church S.S., Brechin, 15s; W. F., Motherwell, 15s; J. D. M., £1; Bannockburn Parish Church S.S., £1; Miss J. M'T., Crieff, 10s; South U.F. Church Congregational S.S., Stonehaven, 10s; West U.F. Church S.S., Lochwinnoch, £1; J. R., Fraserburgh, 10s; West U.F. Church S.S., Mission Fund Coldstream, 10s; Logierait Parish Church Woman's Guild, £1; Candlish Church S.S., Edinburgh, £1; Warrender Park U.F. Church S.S., Edinburgh, £1 14s 3d; Pollokshields Congregational Church Y.P. Service, £1; A. T., Edinburgh, 10s; J. W. B., Edinburgh, £2 2s; W. & D. M., £5 5s; R. B., Coatbridge, 5s; Saline U.F. Church S.S., 8s 6d; J. C., Arrochar, £1; J. D., Dundee, £1; Macgregor Memorial U.F. Church S.S., Govan, £1 10s; Mrs M'M., 10s; Mure Memorial Church S.S., Baillieston, 10s; J. J., Dalmuir, 10s; Miss K. M., Aberfeldy, 10s; Mrs A. W., Edinburgh £1; Mrs M. R., 1s; Miss M. M'C., 10s; Miss J. H. W., 5s; D. B., Moulin, 10s; Miss M., "In loving memory," £10; Greenock Working Boys' and Girls' Religious Society, £6 19s; Mrs F., Edinburgh, £25; Wellwynd U.F. Church S.S., Airdrie, £1; Mr and Mrs B., Darjeeling, £4; Mrs W., "In loving memory of our dearly loved little Jeanie," 15s; F. E. P., Avonmouth, "For blessings received from the King," 10s; "H—," 10s; W. J., £1 1s; Mrs H., Giffnock, 10s; R. A., Campbelltown, £5; D. A., Kintyre, 10s; "Three Friends," Orcadia, Rothesay, £1 10s; J. I. R., Kirkaldy, £1; Rosehearty U.F. Church S.S., 10s; J. L., New Cumnock, £1; J. H. G., Peebles, £1; Miss F., Moffat, 10s; J. M'C., £5; T. C., Motherwell, 12s; A. F., Calcutta, £2 2s; Victoria Place Baptist Church B.C., Paisley, £2; Tain Parish Church S.S., 7s 6d; Guthrie U.F. Church B.C., Cowdenbeath, 10s; Fochabers U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Dunkeld U.F. Church S.S., 9s 4d; A. C., Saskatchewan, £1 0s 6d; Lizzie M., Inveraray, Ont., 8s 2d; Robt. L., of the Canadian Contingent, £4; J. T., San Francisco, £2 13s 7d; Miss J. W., Motherwell, 2s 6d; A. R. S., Edinburgh, £5; Margaret, James, Ernest, and Leslie, Leven, 10s; T. H., £2 2s 6d; The W. Family, Dundee, 5s; J. S., W., Linlithgow, 10s; A grateful mother, St. Andrews, £1.

Consumption Sanatoria.—W. D. M., Dunoon, £1; (Miss M. M'C. A., 2s 6d; 13850, 20s)—per C.O.S.; "A. R. A.," 10s; Employees Rowan & Co., £3 3s; E. F.-P., Alloa, £2; Glasgow Eastern C.S., Ltd., £2 2s; Mrs J. S., Brodick, 5s.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—W. D. M., Dunoon, £1; Anon., per C.O.S., 2s 6d; "A. R. A.," 10s; E. F.-P., Alloa, £2; In Memoriam, £3; Mrs S., Doune, 5s.

Week ending January 9.—Mrs M'F., Greenock, 5s; J. N. P., Rutherglen, £1; Stevenston U.F. Church S.S., £1 10s; Mr and Mrs T. K., £1; J. R., £1 5s; Mrs W., Ayr, £2 5s; Mrs G. H. T., 10s; Mrs M., Edinburgh, 10s; Mr and Miss L., Edinburgh, 10s; Doris and Bertha L., Southport, 2s; Kells Parish Church S.S., 9s; Part offertory, January 1st, St. Ninian's Church, Edinburgh, £1 2s; H. J. C., Edinburgh, 5s; Mrs F.'s Mothers' Meeting, Edinburgh, 10s; Mrs M'A., Dumfries, 6s; D. B., Paisley, £12; A. B. R., Monifeth, £1; Mrs R. H. A., Milnathort, 5s; Miss J. A., Arbroath, 5s; Collection at Joint Christmas Service, Dalmellington, £1 10s; Linwood Parish Church S.S., 10s; Misses W., Aberdeen, 2s; Aberuthven U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Blair Atholl U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Anon., 10s; Brandon Street U.F. Church S.S., Motherwell, £3; Boys' Intermediate B.C., Strathbogie U.F. Church, Huntly, 7s 6d; R. T., Rutherglen, £1 10s; "The first collection for 1915," 6d; Compensation money, £5 14s 9d; Mrs F., Rothesay, 3s; A. S., Edinburgh, £1; W. K., Bearsden, £1; Mrs M'N., 5s; Springburn Parish Church Band of Hope, 10s; T. G. C. (H.), £400; (Maintenance of Elise), £300; A Friend, £1; Mrs M., Ayr, 15s; Miss M'O., Greenock, 10s; J. D., Auchterarder, 5s; W. A. B., Leeds, £2 2s; Miss M. R., Aberdeen, 2s; T. M., Kilwinning, 10s; Mrs P., Edinburgh, home collection on New-Year's Day, £1 10s; Mrs C., Dunblane, 5s; Anon., 3s; Miss M., Strathaven, 10s; Mrs M. M., Isle of Mull, £1; St. Columba's U.F. Church B.C., Kilmacollm, 10s; Mrs A. F., Polmont Station, 5s; "A. B.," Ayr, for summer outing, £1; Anderson U.F. Church S.S., Blantyre, £1; Friends at Inchgarvie, £9; Alva West U.F. Church S.S., 5s 6d; Peebles Parish Church S.S., £3; Two Friends in Paisley, 15s; Bridge Street S.S., Keith, 6s; Relief Church S.S., Irvine, £1 8s; Middle U.F. Church, Erskine Orr Mission S.S., Greenock, 10s; Chalmers U.F. Church S.S., Wishaw, £4 0s 9d; St. Andrew's U.F. Church S.S., Blairgowrie, £1; Cambuskenneth S.S., Stirling, 10s; "A small offering to help,"

£1; Miss T., Edinburgh, 4s; J. C., 5s; J. C., £1; Broomhill U.F. Church S.S., Partick, 10s 6d; D. M'K., Partick, £1; Angola Evangelical Mission, £2; Miss R., Kinross, £5; R. M., Bridge of Allan, £1; D. M. A., Ardrishaig, 5s; Miss S., Bridge of Allan, £2 10s; Galston Parish Church S.S., £1 10s; Mrs E. T. D., Aberdeen, £3; Allan, George, and John F., Aberdeen, 5s; N. B., Dumbarton, £1; Mr and Mrs J. M'I., Ayr, £2; Dr and Mrs H. R., £1; Rutherglen Parish Children's Church, £1; N. F., Arbroath, £1; Mrs H., £1; A. C. W., Kilmacoll, £15; Miss I. M. G., Airdrie, 5s; Victoria Place Baptist Church S.S. Special Collection, 14s 6d; Relief U.F. Church Mission S.S., Irvine, 15s; Mrs M., Huntly, £1; Ardrossan Y.M.C.A., Children's Morning Service, 4s; Mrs and G. N., 12s 6d; Overton U.F. Church S.S., West Kilbride, £1; J. C. W., Lochgelly, £1; Mr and Mrs G., "In memory of our baby," £2; Mrs Y. and Family, Edinburgh, £1 7s 6d; W. J. S., Keith, 5s; Mr and Mrs P., Clatt, 10s; Miss R., Edinburgh, £10; Mrs S., Rutherglen, 5s; J. H., Airdrie, £10; Clarkston Mission B.C. and S.S., £2; Erskine U.F. Church S.S., Carnoustie, 10s; H. C. M., £1; W. P. T., Greenock, 3s; Three Friends, Edinburgh, 9s; Clydebank Union U.F. Church S.S., £1; Fossoway S.S., 17s; East Parish S.S., Greenock, 10s 6d; "The Family Mission Box, Shawlands," 10s; Mrs D., Chryston, £1 1s; Pans Mission Hall S.S., Machrihanish, £1; C. J. B., £1; Mrs N., Kelso, 5s; Mrs T., Innellan, 5s; A. O., £2 0s 6d; Mrs A., £1 2s 5d; "Anon.," £300; Miss I. C., Bridge-of-Weir, 10s; "Of Thine Own," £2; A Friend in Port-Glasgow, per Mrs W., 2s 6d; A. R. D., Darlington, £15; Mrs A., Annan, 2s 6d; In behalf of family helped, £3 11s 8d; George and his Sisters and Brother, 4s; An old Subscriber, £3; North U.F. Church S.S., Kirriemuir, 13s; Mr and Mrs B., Rosses Point, £1; Readers of *The Christian Herald*, £1; Anon., £1; "A Thankoffering, Dumbreck," £1; J. M., Detroit, 5s; Readers of *The Christian*, per Morgan & Scott, Ltd., £26 17s 6d; Braehead U.F. Mission Church B.C., Shettleston, £10s; W. S., Paisley, 10s; Airdrie High U.F. Church S.S., £1 11s; Bristo Place S.S., Edinburgh, £6 2s 10d; Freeland U.F. Church S.S., Bridge-of-Weir, £2 4s 6d; Stair U.F. Church S.S., Trabboch, 5s; Workmen's Charity Fund of the Howden Boiler Co., £3; Diadem S.S., U.F. Church, Kirkoswald, £1; £1; Troon Children's Church, £2 7s; Mr R.'s Boys' B.C., Dunbeth U.F. Church, Coatbridge, £1; Muiravonside S.S., £1 9s 6d; Thornliebank Parish Church S.S., 10s; V. E., Mrs, and Master R., London, £4 0s 6d; Mrs N., 5s; Mr B., Rutherglen, £1 1s; Miss M. C. A., Edinburgh, £1; The C's., Hull, 5s; Miss K., China, 15s; "Ian and Peggie," Livingstonia, £1; Mrs F., £1; Shilford S.S., Neilston, 15s; Mrs H.'s S. S., Clashmore, £1 5s; Miss M., Oban, 12s; "New-Year's Day Cap Collection" from the H. family, £1 1s; Mr and Mrs M., £5; A.R.M., Margaret K., do., Thomas, Thomas R., do., J. W. R., do. 5s each; Miss L., Peebles, £1; Miss M. T., do., 5s; Mr S., Edinburgh, 10s; Marion M'T., Killin, 5s; R. I., Wishaw, £1 1s; West Church S.S., Strathaven, £6; A. M., Arbroath, £1; Mrs H., £1; Mrs C., Perth, 5s; Mrs D., Castle-Douglas, £1; Miss G., Partickhill, £1; Mrs W., Pollokshields, 5s; J. H. Perth, 5s; "D., Aberdeen, 5s; Miss J. H. W., Troon, 10s; G. I., Falkirk, 5s; Cathedral Square Perth, £2; Mrs W., Greenock, 5s; Dumbarton U.F. North Church S.S.'s, £2; R. H. M., Alva, C.E. Society, 5s; Mrs W., Greenock, 5s; Dumbarton U.F. North Church S.S.'s, £2; R. H. M., Alva, 5s; Mrs B., Pollokshields, £1; Larbert Baptist Church S.S., 10s; Miss P. N. K., £3; Compensation money, £7 9s 8d; "A Sympathiser," £1; Leith British League Children's Church, £1 10s; Rutherglen Town Council, £5 5s; St. James Parish Church S.S., 10s; Ranfurly U.F. Church B.C., Bridge-of-Weir, 8s; Miss M., Row, £2; J. M., 10s; J. B., 10s; Lansdowne U.F. Church S.S., £1 10s; Chapelhall U.F. Church S.S., £1 2s; Employees J. Robertson & Sons, Paisley, £3; Mrs W., Aberdeen, 10s; Miss M., Paisley, 10s; Mrs O., Greenock, 6s; Dryfesdaie Parish Church S.S., Lockerbie, £1; Holyrood Abbey U.F. Church S.S., Edinburgh, £1; Gelston S.S., 10s; Mrs M., sen., Inverurie, 5s; Miss C., Edinburgh, £2; A. N., Arisaig, 5s; Irvine T.C., £1 1s; "In memory of my sister, M. G.," 10s; W. R., £1 13s; Mrs M'K., £10; J. C. M., Peterculter, 10s; Coupar-Angus Parish Church S.S., £2; Ruchazie S.S., Shettleston, 16s; A Friend, per Miss B., 2s 6d; Employees J. Orr & Sons, £1 1s; Two Friends, £300; R. B., for oranges for the children, £3; A member of Strathbungo, £1; Miss M. A., Partick, £1; Brunton U.F. Church S.S., Markinch, £1; Anon., Peterhead, 5s; St. Paul's Parish Church S.S., £1 1s; Misses M., 5s; Mrs H., Carnoustie, 5s 8d; Cathedral Square Y.M. and Y.W.C.A., 10s; (Miss M. M. C., 10s; Mrs A. P. W. W., 10s; W. L. C., 10s; Miss A. A. D. C., 10s; Mrs G. M. C., 10s) — per Mrs C., Aberdeen.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Miss G. D. C., Crossgates, £2 5s; Mrs K., 5s; T. G. C., £200; Mrs M. M., Mull, £1; Employees at Hydepark Works N.B. Locomotive Co., Ltd., £5; Miss S., Bridge of Allan, £1 10s; A. C. W., Kilmacoll, £2 10s; Thornliebank Parish Church S.S., 10s; Miss K., China, 5s; Miss L., Peebles, £1; Miss M. T., do., 5s; Miss S., Strathaven, 10s; Mrs M'K., £2; J. C. M., Peterculter, 10s; Two Friends, £50.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—T. G. C., £100; Mrs M. M., Isle of Mull, 10s; Miss S., Bridge of Allan, £1; A. C. W., Kilmacoll, £2 10s; Mrs M'K., £2.

Week ending January 16.—"In Memoriam, mother," £2 2s; South U.F. Church S.S., Barrhead, £1; St. David's Missionary Band, Bathgate, 10s; R. C., Dundee, 5s; Closeburn P.C., Nethermains, £19 11s 1d; Towards maintenance of children helped £5 8s; Memorial Hall S.S., Montrose, 10s; W. D., Dumfries, 5s; Anon., 10s; Udney U.F. Church S.S., 10s; W. D., Udney, 10s; T. C., Barrhill, 5s; W. D., Tarves, £3; A. A. D., do., £2; Mr and Mrs J. D. W., do., £2; Miss E. M. N., Annan, 10s; Fullarton U.F. Church S.S., Irvine, 7s 6d; Miss M., Saline, £2; Tradespark S.S., Nairn, 14s 3d 10s; Broomknoll U.F. Church S.S., Airdrie, 10s; "Fellowship," £5; T. N. and Family, £1 10s; Mrs M., Bridge of Allan, 5s; "Alice, Willie, and Jessie," £1; Wellwynd U.F. Church Minister's B.C., Airdrie, £1; Maggie H., 10s; A. O., £1 14s 4d; Victoria Street U.F. Church Children's Service, Dundee, £1; £1; Coats Parish Junior B.C., Coatbridge, £1 1s; Coats Parish Mission Children's Church, do., 10s; Coats Parish Mission B.C., do., 10s; Sir Michael Street U.F. Church Mission S.S., Greenock, £1; R. S., Alva, 5s; J. M. R., Alloa, £3; J. L. T., £1; Mrs B., Kelty, £5; Panbride U.F. Church S.S., Carnoustie, £1; Middle U.F. Church Mission S.S., Greenock, £1 8s 8d; Cairns U.F. Church S.S., Motherwell, £2; Kinellar Parish Church S.S., £1 9s 10d; Kinellar Parish Church, £1 7s 6d; Mrs C., sen., Cambuslang, £1; Anniesland Cross U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Employees Scottish Iron and Steel Co., Ltd., £2 2s; Erskine U.F. Church S.S., Bishopston, £1; West U.F. Church S.S., £2; Mrs D., Elderslie, £1; J. F., N. Berwick, £10; Mrs M., 5s; M. G., Luncarty, 10s; Miss G., do., 10s; Ruthford U.F. Church B.C., 10s; St. John's U.F. Church S.S., Gourrock, £1; R. S., Selkirk, £5; A. V. L., Tunis, 10s; P. B., Inch, £1; J. D., Prestwick, £20; Shettleston Free Church S.S., 5s; Kingussie Free Church S.S., 5s; Tignabruach Parish Church S.S., £2 1s 4d; Mrs F., Edinburgh, £1 15s; "T. R. C.," £1; A. R., Uplawmoor, 7s 6d; A Friend, £1 1s; J. S. W. I., Kirkcaldy, 10s; Belmont Congregational S.S., Aberdeen, 5s; Mrs M., Alexandria, 10s; Livingston Station S.S., 15s; New Kilpatrick Parish Church S.S., 18s 11d; Dunfermline U.F. Abbey Congregational S.S., £1; Kelton S.S., 14s 3d; Mrs R., Edinburgh, 10s; Wester Pardovan U.F. Church S.S., £1; Mr and Mrs S., Coatbridge, for maintenance of a little girl in James Wilson Home, £12;

Girls of Sheuchan Parish Church Junior Guild, 6s 8d; Wellfield U.F. Church S.S., 10s; B. H., London, £1; P. M'K., Aberfeldy, £3; Mrs W., 8s; Miss F. R., Paisley, 12s; Newhills Parish Church S.S., 6s 6d; Mrs D., Craigmore, £2; Avoch S.S., 8s 8d; Miss M., Pollokshields, £5; Miss C., Cockburnspath, £1; W. M., Edinburgh, 5s; Gallatown U.F. Church S.S., £1; Mrs C., Bonkle, 5s; Miss M., do., 5s; Oswald Mission S.S., Kirkintilloch, £2 10s; Coatbridge Y.M.C.A., Foundry Boys, £1; Carradale U.F. Church S.S., 5s; St. Luke's S.S., Montrose, 10s; Church of Christ S.S., Shawlands, £2 10s; "In Memoriam, M. S. M.," 10s; East End S.S., Mossend, £1; G. D., jun., Stewarton, £7; Mrs A., Coatbridge, 10s; Miss F., Dunshalt, £3; Mrs S., London, £2; Mrs D., Hamilton, £1; Margaret, Jim, Nettie, and Janie H., £1; Ailsa, Sheila, and Ian, Alyth, £1 1s; Mr and Mrs W., Ayr, £2; P. M., Edinburgh, £1; Pilrig Congregational S.S., Leith, £1; J. H., Pittenweem, 5s; Poltonhall Mission S.S., Bonnyrigg, £1; Dunlop Parish Church, Nitshill, £1; St. John's U.F. Church S.S., Woodside, 17s 6d; Mrs L. W., Comrie, 10s; Mrs B., Newport, Fife, £1; Bluvale Parish Children's Church, 10s; Miss M. A. J., £1 and Christmas thankoffering, 10s; Mrs M., Chesterfield, £2; Anon., West Kilbride p.m., £1; St. Andrew's Parish Church S.S., 10s 6d; Miss J. M., Haggs, 5s; South Parish Church S.S., Aberdeen, £1; Janet's Mission Box, 5s; Cullen U.F. Church S.S., £1 10s; "The Master Purse, S. A.," £1; Dalziel U.F. Church Senior B.C., Motherwell, £1; Y.W.C.A., Grantown-on-Spey, 15s; A. T., Balmullo, 5s; Mr and Mrs J. F.-P., Alloa, £35; Mr and Mrs H. S., £1 12s; Mansefield U.F. Church S.S., Kilwinning, 10s; J. B., Kinross, £1; Mrs M. T., St. Boswells, £12 10s; W.A.V.S., Liverpool, £1; Miss D., Wark-on-Tyne, £1; Dingwall Parish Church S.S. and B.C., £1 5s; Mrs W., Coatbridge, 2s 6d; J. Y., Darvel, £1; Mr and Mrs G., Forfar, £2; Miss J. S., Bankfoot, 10s; H. F., Jedburgh, 10s; St. George's U.F. Church S.S., Montrose, £1 1s; Miss B., Easdale, for consumptive children, 3s; "The God of Jacob is our Refuge," 4s; M. A. G., a New-Year gift, 2s 6d; Ferniegair Church S.S., £1 4s; G. D. F., Dundee, 5s.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Miss M., Saline, £2; J. M. R., Alloa, £1; Miss M., Pollokshields, £2; J. M. F., Nairn, £1 1s.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—Miss D., Wark-on-Tyne, 6s.

Week ending January 23.—G. M'K., Lockerbie, £1; "A Friend," per Miss O., 2s; H. M. B., Anniesland, 5s; Mr and Mrs W., Salt Spring Island, B.C., £2 1s; Redding C.S., Ltd., £2 2s; Wick U.F. Church S.S., 10s; A Working Man, £1; Miss B. G., Bridge of Allan, 7s 6d; J. S., Galashiels, £5; J. S. J., Stewarton, 10s; Miss M'M., Edinburgh, 5s; George Square Congregational Church Mission S.S., Greenock, 10s; Miss M. F. W., £1 10s; J. S., Mansewood, £1; A. O., £1 14s 4d; Inspector Street Chapel, Montreal, £2 1s; Miss M., Helensburgh, £1; Mrs T., 15s; Mr and Mrs D. M. S., Philadelphia, £1 0s 6d; W. H. S., Pretoria, £1; D. F., Crieff, £1; T. B., Kilmacoll, £20; St. Mary's Parish Church S.S., Motherwell, £1; Tulliallan S.S., £1; Pinnart U.F. Church Children's Sabbath Afternoon Meeting, Greenock, 10s; St. Meddams U.F. Church S.S. Troon, £2; Mrs B., Edinburgh, 5s; Shotts and Salsburgh S.S., 15s 8d; Scaurbridge and Burnhead S.S., 5s; Queen Anne Church S.S., Dunfermline, £1; Miss M., Rothsay, £1 10s; Frickeheim U.F. Church S.S., 5s 6d; "U.F. Manse," Frickeheim, 5s; Chalmers Street U.F. Church S.S., Dunfermline, £2; Mrs A., Wishaw, 10s; Miss M. M'E., 5s; Mr and Misses J., Edinburgh, £1; North U.F. Church S.S., Keith, 15s; Grange Parish Church, S.S., Keith, 15s; A. L., 2s 6d; Miss M. R., 10s; Mrs K., 2s 6d; Mrs L., Ayr, 10s; D. P., Inchture, £1; Crown Terrace Baptist Church S.S., Aberdeen, £1; Westport U.F. Church S.S., Hawick, 10s; Ranfurly U.F. Church S.S., £1; Dreghorn C.S., Ltd., £1; Rodger Memorial U.F. Church S.S., Coldstream, £1 2s 3d; Markinch Parish Church S.S., 5s; Coaltown S.S., Markinch, 10s; Charing Cross S.S., Grangemouth, £1 10s; Cathedral Square U.F. Church B.C., 10s; Sydney Place U.F. Church S.S. Society, £6 3s 4d; Employees of Kelso & Co., 10s; Employees J. Meighan & Sons, 10s 6d; Crosshill U.F. Church S.S., £1; For bandages and maintenance, £2; Mrs M., Oporto, £5; Elderslie U.F. Church S.S., 5s; Mearns Parish Church B.C., 10s; Mrs D. H., Dumbarton, £1; Mr and Mrs D. 5s; Mrs W., Swansea, £2; Miss M. A. N., Uxbridge, £3; Mrs R., Edinburgh, £2; Miss G., Cullen, 5s; St. John's U.F. Church S.S., Bathgate, £1; Thomas Coats Memorial Church S.S., Paisley, 11s 8d; Helensburgh Parish Church S.S., £1; Wellwynd U.F. Mission S.S., Airdrie, 10s; Miss W., £1; Contents of box in Sailors' Home, Leith, £2 1s; Mrs A., Lintrose, 5s 6d; J. M., Renfrew, £1 10s; George Square Congregational Church S.S., Greenock, £3; A Member of Strathbungo, £1; Mrs C., Elgin, £1; Bower U.F. Church S.S., 10s 6d; J. C. C. Eastbourne, £15; Mrs L., £1; Prestonkirk U.F. Church S.S., £1; Rev. J. L., Dundee, £2 2s; Wm. Dunn Mission S.S., Paisley, £2; Bridge Street Mission S.S., Alexandria, 11s; A. W., Jedburgh, 10s; Mrs W., Merthyr Tydfil, 5s 9d; Miss H., Whitecains, £1; Miss K. and Miss S., Melrose, 10s; Govanhill U.F. Church S.S., £1; Mrs C. J. D., Lerwick, "In loving memory," £1; Miss J. S. H., Edinburgh, £1 1s; Miss H., do., £1; Union Street Congregational S.S., Galashiels, 10s; T. R., 5s; G.F.B.R.S., Blackfriars Branch, £1 3s 3d; Kingussie U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Mrs P., New Barnet, £1 1s; May M'K., Canada, £1 0s 6d; Merrylea Church S.S., Newlands, £1; Miss M., Helensburgh, £1; Newton-Mearns U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Mrs B., Dundee, £6 10s; J. K., Dundee, £1; Mrs L., Aberdeen, 5s; Tain U.F. Church S.S., 18s; The Lord's Portion, 4s.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Tulliallan Women's Guild, £1; Thomas Coats Memorial Church S.S., Paisley, 11s 5d.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—Mrs L., Ayr, 10s.

Week ending January 30.—St. Paul's U.F. Church S.S., Montrose, 10s; Mr and Mrs S. H. W., Brentwood, £3 3s; R. T. M., Peterhead, 8s; Miss B., Kilmacoll, £1; "E. R. T.," 10s; Towards maintenance of boy helped, 10s; Cathedral Square U.F. Church Junior C.E. Society, 5s; "Alice, Willie, and Jessie," £1; A. O., £1 14s 4d; Mr and Mrs J. A., Darvel, 10s; Sheuchan U.F. Church S.S., Stranraer, £1 1s 6d; Old Kilpatrick Parish Church S.S., £2 2s; Boddam U.F. Church S.S., 5s; Gravesend Forenoon Mission, Arbroath, 15s 6d; Anon., per D. J. F., 5s; Hope Hall S.S., Bridge-of-Weir, £1; Sighthill U.F. Church Senior B.C., 10s; W. C. C., 5s; Mrs J. S., 10s; The Willing Helpers' Society, Uddington, £6 14s 6d; "Amor," 5s; Junior C.E. Society, Dunfermline, 5s; Kirkintilloch Baptist Church S.S., 10s; Stow U.F. Church S.S., 5s; J. A. D., £1; Kilmacoll P.C., 10s; T. D., Perth, £3; Tollcross C.S., Ltd., £1 1s; Ashley Road S.S., Aberdeen, £1 7s 9d; "Inasmuch," 10s; Citadel Mission Children's Church, Leith, £1; W. S., 10s; Glassary Parish Church S.S., £1; Mr and Mrs R. C., Edinburgh, 5s; Greyfriars U.F. Church S.S., £1 13s 10d; J. M., Alloa, 10s; Dingwall U.F. Church S.S., £1 5s; Stoneywood Parish Church S.S., £1; St. Serf's S.S., £1; Miss A. C. A., Horsted Keynes, 10s; Mr C., Cambusbarron, from first wages as a journeyman, 2s 6d; Mrs W., High Blantyre, 4s; Ebenezer Hall Halfway S.S., Cambuslang, £1; J. K., Springfield, £25; A. O., £4 13s 2d; Coatdyke, Carnbroe, and Clarkston Foundry Boys' and Girls' Religious Society, £2; Included, 15s; Langside Avenue U.F. Church S.S., £2 2s; T. B., Formosa, £1; Misses T., 3s; Mrs A., Partick, 10s; Newhills

U.F. Church S.S., £1; Hillhead United B.C., Kirkintilloch, 10s; Jamestown Parish Church S.S., 17s; J. L., Motherwell, £10; Mrs G., Irvine, £1 10s; J. M., Prestonpans, £1; C. N., Morocco, £1; Found in boxes at Bridge-of-Weir, 12s 10d; Mr and Mrs P. S. H., Johnstone, £1; Mrs M., £2; Trinity U.F. Mission S.S., Greenock, 13s; Stoneykirk U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Kinning Park Parish Church S.S., £1; Collace S.S., 10s; An old worker's mite, 2s; Miss D., Pollokshields, 4s; (W. W. MacL., Balfon, £3; B. B. Co., Ltd., £2 2s; Mrs W. T., 5s; Mrs J. C. P., 10s; A. C., £1; "J. M.", £1; "R. B.", 10s; A. F., 10s; Miss D., £1; A. E., 2s 6d; J. G. W. P., £2; H. R., £5; Mrs C., 10s; J. G. A. B., £10)—the above sum per C.O.S.; Tighnabruach U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Mossvale U.F. Church Intermediate B.C., Paisley, 5s.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for ORPHAN HOMES between 1st and 31st January.—Langside Parish Church S.S., £2; P. H. & Co., £5 5s; J. M. A., Lockerbie, £3 3s; J. & J. M., Paisley, £2; M. S., £10; Ardrossan Parish Church S.S., £1; F. C. B., Dunblane, £5; A. & W. P., £1 1s; H. A., 10s; Employees W. Collins, Sons & Co., Ltd., £4 4s; Dykehead and Shotts C.S., Ltd., £2 2s; Shawlands Parish Church S.S., £2; T. S., Preston, £1 1s; Lenzie U.F. Church S.S., £1; D. J. P., £5 5s; Sorting Department G.P.O., £3 3s; A. B., £1; G. L., £5; Anniesland Hall S.S., £2 7s 9d; St. Paul's U.F. Church S.S., Cambuslang, £1; Bonhill North U.F. Church Mission S.S. 13s 6d; Employees Benevolent Fund of Argylls, Ltd., Alexandria, £2 2s; Old Monkland Parish Church S.S., £1 4s; Relief U.F. Church Junior and Senior B.C.'s, Irvine, £1 8s; Trinity U.F. Church S.S., Larkhall, £1 10s; Lenzie U.F. Church, Auchinloch S.S., £1; Springburn Parish Church S.S., £1; *Legacy* of the late Robert Love, Esq., per Messrs Borland, King, Shaw & Co., £180; *Legacy* of Peter Stewart, Esq., Aberdeen, per G. Bennett Mitchell, £225; Employees J. & W. Campbell & Co., £4; Newton Place U.F. Church S.S., Partick, £1 11s 1d; Easton Memorial S.S., Darvel, £1 5s; Hutchesontown Parish Church S.S., 10s 6d; Miss H., Perth, 5s; Infant Department of North Leith Parish Church S.S., 12s 4d; Darlington Place S.S., Ayr, £1; St. Mary's Parish Church S.S., Partick, £1; Kilbarchan U.F. Church S.S., 5s; Queen's Park West U.F. Church Children's Sunday Forenoon Meeting, £1; Mr and Mrs J. S., £1 1s; Greenlaw Parish Church S.S., Paisley, 15s; Mrs C., Partick, £5; *Legacy* of the late Miss Margaret Kinnear, Greenhill, per Messrs Condie, Mackenzie & Co., £50 12s 4d; Dowanhill U.F. Mission Children's Meeting, £1 1s; W. D., Twechar, 10s; North U.F. Church S.S., Springburn, £1; Cargill U.F. Church S.S., Maybole, 10s; Springfield U.F. Church S.S., Bishopbriggs, 5s; Scotstoun Parish Church S.S., £1; Govanhill Parish Church S.S., £1; A. H., £5; Oatlands U.F. Church S.S., £1; Torry U.F. Church S.S., No. 2, Aberdeen, 5s; Miss M. B., Dumfries, 5s.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Miss B., Kilmacoll, £1; J. A. D., 10s; Kilbirnie C.S., Ltd., £1 1s; J. K., Springfield, £25; Employees Montgomerie & Co., Ltd., £2; (J. M., 5s; R. B., 10s; Miss D., £2; A. E., 2s 6d)—per C.O.S.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for CONSUMPTION SANATORIA between 1st and 31st January.—Employees A. & P. M'Onie, Govan, £1 1s; Employees Babcock & Wilcox, Ltd., Renfrew, £5; P. H. & Co., £2 2s; H. A., 10s; Employees W. Collins, Sons & Co., Ltd., £2 2s; Office Staff of Corporation Gas Department, 6s; Sorting Department G.P.O., £3 3s; Employees Benevolent Fund of Argylls, Ltd., Alexandria, £2 2s; Anon., Duntochar, 2s 6d; Employees Scott's Shipbuilding and Engineering Co., Ltd., Greenock, £4 4s; Caledonian Railway Audit Office Charity Fund, 5s; Employees W. Bain & Co., Ltd., Coatbridge, £1; Mrs H., Peebles, £2 2s; Employees D. & W. Henderson & Co., Ltd., £2 2s.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—Miss B., Kilmacoll, £1; Mrs G., London, £1, per C.O.S.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for COLONY OF MERCY between 1st and 31st January.—Employees W. Collins, Sons & Co., Ltd., £1 1s; Grangemouth C.S., Ltd., £2 2s; Sorting Department G.P.O., £2 2s; Fairfield U.F. Church S.S., £2 2s.

Week ending February 6.—Clyne U.F. Church S.S., Brora, 10s 6d; Gorgie Gospel Hall; S.S., Edinburgh, £1; W. M., Aberlour-on-Spey, 5s; Miss M. M'E., 5s; Hamilton Baptist Church S.S., 10s; Knox's S.S., Arbroath, 10s; Post Office, Glasgow Telephone Service, Employees Hospital Fund, £1 1s; Mr and Mrs S. T. L., Aberdeen, 10s; Mrs M'M., 10s; Crailing P.C., £15 12s; St. Michael's Parish Church S.S., Edinburgh, £1; A Sincere Friend, 5s; Miss J. M., Detroit, 5s; Miss R. H., 5s; Marion M'T., Killin, 5s; Inspector Street Chapel S.S., Montreal, £2 0s 4d; Dumbarton U.F. High Congregational S.S., £3 14s 9d; J. S., Laurencekirk, £1; Greenlaw U.F. Church S.S., £1; Hope Hall Assembly, Broxburn, £2; A Friend, Renfrew, 2s 6d; Miss W., Kirriemuir, £1; J. M'T., Edinburgh, £10; H. S., 10s; Mrs F., £1; In Memoriam, H. M., Edinburgh, 5s; A. O., £1 14s 4d; In behalf of family helped, £3 11s 8d; Irvine Bank Church S.S., Darvel, £1 10s; Pathhead Baptist Church S.S., Kirkcaldy, £1; A Friend, 5s; Miss M'K., Skye, 5s; Two Millworkers, Walkburn, £1; Kirkmichael S.S., 7s 6d; Maxwelltown Baptist Church S.S., Dundee, 10s; Elgin High U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Glenluce U.F. Church S.S., 10s; South U.F. Church S.S., Fraserburgh, £1 3s 2d; Crosslee S.S., 10s; Miss W. C., Blairgowrie, 2s 6d; Miss I. M. I., Prestonkirk, 5s; Miss E. J., 5s; Misses M., Walkburn, 10s; With love and prayer, 2s; Compensation money, £9 15s; Compensation money, £25; The Children at Morocco House, 10s; J. B. D., Victoria, Australia, £3; Wellwynd U.F. Church Mill S.S., Airdrie, £1 10s; George and his Sisters, £3 3s; 104th Glasgow Co. Boys' Brigade B.C., 10s; Mrs B., 3s; Galashiels West U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Trinity U.F. Church S.S., Johnstone, £1; Miss J. H. M'O., Muthill, 5s; Miss T., Musselburgh, 10s; Lothian Road Mission Morning Service, Edinburgh, 10s; Selkirk P.C., £10 6s 6d; Ayr P.C., £10; A. M., Arbroath, £1; "The eternal God is thy refuge," £1; Miss A. M. B., Paisley, 5s; Mrs T., Kirkwall, 10s; Miss P., do., 2s 6d; Jordanhill U.F. Church S.S., Woodend Branch, £1; "A Friend," £50; 1st Bangor Presbyterian S.S.'s, 15s; St. Nicholas Parish Church S.S.'s, Prestwick, 10s; Buchanan Memorial U.F. Church S.S., £1; W. M., Dundee, £1; Miss M. F., Wishaw, £2; W. C. Y. and Family, Elgin, towards maintenance of child for a year, £12; A Friend, £2 2s; Mr and Mrs W. T. P., Alloa, £25; A. G., Achanalt, 10s; G. S., Kilmarnock, £2; Mrs T. R., Riddrie Knowes, £1; Stewarton Congregational Church S.S., £1; W. W., Auchinleck, £3; A. M., Neilston, £2; Mrs W. S. D., Newton-Mearns, £5; Miss N. R., 5s; M. F., Pollokshields, 6s; W. W., Helensburgh, 5s.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Post Office Glasgow Telephone Service Employees' Hospital Fund, £4 4s.

Week ending February 13.—Eskbank Church S.S., Dalkeith, 10s; A. M'F., Omagh, 2s 6d; Gaelic U.F. Church S.S., Greenock, £1 1s; Thread Street U.F. Church S.S., Paisley, £1 10s; New Prestwick Baptist Church S.S., 10s; "Alice, Willie, and Jessie," £1; School Wynd Congregational Church B.C., Paisley, £1; Mrs A. S., 5s; W. M. R., Edinburgh, £1; A Friend, £2; "J. A. S., West

Kilbride, 5s; Collected by Mrs R., Dunfermline, £8 5s; Clepington U.F. Church S.S., Dundee, 10s; "For the children," 2s; Misses M., Forfar, £2; Glespin S.S., Douglas, £1; Kelvin Street Mission Children's and Young People's Meeting, 10s; Mrs W., 8s; Miss J. B., London, 5s; Miss S., Skelmorlie, £20; Miss M. P. D. S., do., £1; Miss C.'s Young Women's B.C., Edinburgh, 16s; "To help one of His little ones," £1; J. N. W., Edinburgh, 2s 6d; A. O., £1 14s 4d; Victoria U.F. Church S.S., Pollokshields, 17s 9d; J. M., Wishaw, £5; Trinity Mission, M'Lellan Street, Forenoon Meeting, 15s; "R. S., Shettleston, 1s; T. M., Coventry, £1; "M., £20; Houston U.F. Church S.S., £1; Miss M. T., Leith, 10s; D. R., Auchterarder, 10s; Calton U.F. Church S.S., £1 10s; Mrs O., Ancrum, £6; J. M., 10s; Mrs C., Hamilton, £2; Dyke U.F. Church S.S., Forres, 13s; G. J., Cleland, £1; Miss F., do., 1s; T. H., do., 9s; Mr and Mrs G. C., £10; Mrs F., St. Boswells, £1; Burns Street Mission Children's Church, Leith, 5s; Davidson U.F. Church S.S., Edinburgh, £1; Miss D., Edinburgh, £1; J. W., Dundee, 10s; J. W. A., 10s; Mrs M., Carmyle, £1; Miss F. R., Paisley, 12s; G. W., Kirkcaldy, 7s 6d; Renfield Mission S.S., 15s; Pumpherston S.S., £5; Anon., Orkney, 2s 9d; Mrs B., Alloa, £2; St. George C.S., Ltd., £4; Mrs G., Kirkcudbright, 18s 6d; Miss D. H., West Watten Village, 2s 6d; Helensburgh Congregational Church S.S., £3 5s; Alva Baptist Church S.S., 5s; "D., Muthill, 5s; Dumbarton P.C., £2 12s; W. Y., Dundee, £3; Charlotte Chapel S.S., Edinburgh, £3 3s; Forfar East U.F. Church S.S., 12s; Central U.F. Church S.S., Pulteneytown, £1.

Consumption Sanatoria.—J. M., Wishaw, £2.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—J. F., Motherwell, £1; J. M., Wishaw, £3.

Week ending February 20.—J. L., London, £52 10s; R. A., Edinburgh, 11s; Miss H., West Kilbride, 15s; Partick East U.F. Church S.S., £1; Cathedral Square Church S.S., 10s; Mrs R., Drumlithie, 5s; "J. R., Dumfries, 5s; "A. A., 5s; The Assembly at Benoni, Transvaal, £4; A. O., £1; 14s 4d; J. G., Canada, £1 9s 6d; "J. C. B., £1 10s; Peterhead P.C., £3 5s; H. M., Coatbridge, 10s; *Legacy* of the late Miss Margaret M'Farlane, Ardrishaig, per R. F., £5; C. J., Udney, £2; Cromarty P.C., £5; J. S. S., Kincardine, £1; D. M. R., £3; "M. D., 2s 6d; Mr and Mrs C., "In memory of our little boy Robert," 7s 6d; Wesleyan Methodist S.S., Greenock, £1; Mrs C., Dollar, 5s; J. D. S., Edinburgh, 5s; Gartsherrie Parish Church S.S., Coatbridge, £1 2s 6d; Young People of Barnard's Court Mission, Greenock, £3 14s 3d; Chalmers U.F. Church S.S., Muirkirk, £1; Bridge-of-Weir Angling Club, £1; Mrs O., Greenock, 6s; Cairney P.C., £7 15s; Mr B., Hamilton, £3; Misses J., Bournemouth, 5s; D. F., Crieff, £1; Miss E., Edinburgh, £1; Torry U.F. Church S.S., No. 1, Aberdeen, £1; A. M'K., Edinburgh, £1; Misses E. and S. C., Stranraer, 2s 6d; Wellcroft Hall S.S., £1; A Friend, per Miss M. M'L., £2; Nelson Street E.U. Church S.S., Greenock, 10s; Mrs J. M. L., Wishaw, 2s 6d; Rothesay Boys' and Girls' Religious Society, £2 3s; Fauldhouse Parish Church S.S., £1; Newark Parish Church S.S. Association, Port-Glasgow, £1; W. P. F., Strathmiglo, 10s 4d; Collected from Scotch Friends in Morristown, New Jersey, by Miss T., £4 4s; A Friend, Winnipeg, £1; Samuel J., Essex, Ont., £1 0s 6d; Anniesland Hall B.C., £4 4s; Miss C., Ryde, I.W., £10; A Friend, per G. T. & Co., 5s; Miss S., Orkney, 2s; Family Thankoffering, £3; Cousin Maggie, 5s; Mr and Mrs D. P., to build a Home, £2,000; "Of Thine Own," £1.

Consumption Sanatoria.—R. A., Edinburgh, 5s.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—Miss H., West Kilbride, 5s.

Week ending February 27.—Coatbridge C.S., Ltd., £2; Miss I. A. B., Aberdeen, 2s 6d; Mrs A., £1; J. T., San Francisco, £4 2s 1d; "Alice, Willie, and Jessie," £1; High U.F. Church S.S., Kilmarnock, £1; "I. M. B., £5; Ogilvie U.F. Church S.S., Dundee, £1; J. C. R., Dundee, £2; Ivy Place Church S.S., Stranraer, £1 10s; W. F. H., Greenock, £2; Maxwelltown Mission Children's Church, £1; "K. & W., Muswell Hill, £5 5s; Misses B., Dunoon, £1; J. H. L., Edinburgh, £2; Mr and Mrs B., Qua Iboe, £1; Mr and Mrs W., do., 10s; Miss C., do., 5s; Mr T., do., 5s; Mr F., do., 5s; Mr G., do., 5s; Mr N., do., 5s; Miss B., do., 5s; Mr L., do., 5s; Mr S., do., 10s; Cunningham U.F. Church S.S., 12s 6d; R. L., 10s; Mrs T., 15s; Campbellfield Mission S.S., £1 17s; Miss F., 5s; K. P., Edinburgh, 10s; D. C., Chirnside, 5s; A Friend, per Mrs P., 4s; Miss C., F. Aberfeldy, £1; Mrs A., "made from sweets," 10s; A. O., £2 12s 3d; St. Cuthbert's S.S., Lockerbie, £1 10s; "Phil. iv. 19," £2; Misses M., Moffat, £1 12s 6d; Broughty Ferry West U.F. Church S.S., £1; Foundry Boys' and Girls' Religious Society, Dumbarton, £2; Kilmacoll P.C., 10s; D. A., Kilsyth, 10s; Mearns Parish Church S.S., £1 2s 6d; Miss S., Edinburgh, 10s; Blairhill U.F. Church S.S., Coatbridge, 10s; East U.F. Church S.S., Gorebridge, £1 10s; Busby W.U.F. Church S.S., £1; Bonnybridge Parish Church S.S., £3; Winchburgh U.F. Church S.S., £1; Mrs J. and household, Jedburgh, 12s; R. B. L., Congo, £1; Anon., 10s; Bellahouston Parish Church S.S., £2; (B. A., £20; E. & Sons, £2 2s; E. & M., £1 1s; W. S. W., 10s; Lord R., £100; B. A., 5s; A. D. R., £1; G. L. H., 5s; A. L. & Co., £2 2s; J. W., £1 1s; W. J. C., £5; F. L. M. M., £1; Miss A. M'D. T., 10s)—the above sums per C.O.S.; D. S. C., per C.O.S., £1 1s; Queen's Park East U.F. Church, £5; W. S., Colchester, 10s; J. G., £1; West U.F. Church Women's Guild, Forfar, £1; J. C., London, £2; D. H. M'E., Tullibody, £1; Bonhill Parish Church S.S., £1; Miss P., 10s; St. Andrew's U.F. Church S.S. Senior Class, Kirkintilloch, £1; J. M., Greenock, 10s; Found in boxes, 9s 8d.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for ORPHAN HOMES between 1st and 28th February.—"Two Friends," £3; Park U.F. Church S.S., Kirkintilloch, £1; Employees Telegraph and Telephones Department G.P.O., £1 10s; Shettleston C.S., Ltd., £1 1s; Maryhill U.F. Church S.S., £1; Victoria U.F. Church S.S., Tollcross, £1; Cardonald Parish Church S.S., £1 11s 6d; Employees Ferguson Bros., Port-Glasgow, Ltd., £1 1s; Drafin S.S., 10s; Ibrox U.F. Church S.S., £2 0s 2d; Lylesland U.F. Church S.S., Paisley, £1 10s; Kent Road U.F. Church S.S. Society, £4 2s; W. W. S., £1 1s; Tron U.F. Church S.S. Society, £2 10s; D. M'K., £5 5s; Partick Parish Church S.S., 10s 6d; Misses N. S. and N. B. Y., £1; J. S., 7s; Rankin U.F. Church S.S., Strathaven, £1; M. M. & M., £5 5s; John Christie's Trust, per Messrs P. R. Simpson & Lawson, £91 1s 11d; Ward Road Baptist Church S.S., Dundee, 15s; St. John's U.F. Church Mission S.S., £2; Linthouse U.F. Church S.S. Association, £1 1s; S. Queensferry U.F. Church S.S., £2; Employees Charity Fund, Arthur & Co., Ltd., £9; Misses I., £5; C. F. H., Dundee, £5.

Consumption Sanatoria.—(B. A., 5s; J. S. C., £5 5s; A. D. R., 5s; A. MacL., 2s 6d; Miss A. M'D. T., 5s; C. A. MacK., £1 1s)—per C.O.S.; E. H. M'E., Tullibody, £2.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for CONSUMPTION SANATORIA between 1st and 28th February.—Employees Telegraph and Telephones Department G.P.O., £2; Shettleston C.S., Ltd., £1 1s; Employees Denny & Co., Dumbarton, £5 4s 11d; Dumbarton E.C.S., Ltd., £2 2s; M., M. & M., £3 3s.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—"A. D. R.," per C.O.S., 10s; D. H. M'E., Tullibody, 10s.
Received by the Hon. Treasurer for COLONY OF MERCY between 1st and 28th February.—Renfrew Parish Church S.S., £2.

Week ending March 6.—Wellwisher, £3; Mrs M'M., 10s; D. R., Baillieston, 10s; St. John's U.F. Church S.S., Cupar, £2 2s; T. J., Strathaven, £1; Graham's Road U.F. Church S.S., Falkirk, £1; East U.F. Church Women's Work Party, Aberdeen, £3; High U.F. Church S.S., Lossiemouth, 15s; The King's Trumpeters, Salthouse Branch, Lochgilphead, £1; Mrs D., Woodside, 10s; St. George's Cross Tabernacle Young People's Meeting, £2 17s 6d; Mrs M'G., 10s; J. C. G., Broken Hill, N.S.W., 5s; St. Rollox C.S., Ltd., £1; G. T., California, U.S.A., 4s 2d; Miss J. M., Detroit, 5s; Collected at New-Year's Service in Abbey U.F. Church, North Berwick, £3; Abbey U.F. Church S.S., North Berwick, £1; Rosebank U.F. Church Mother's Meeting, Cambuslang, 10s; Abbey U.F. Church S.S., Scone, 10s; In Memoriam, Catherine Mackie, 1914 and 1915, £4; Miss T., Edinburgh, 4s; A. O., £4 17s 5d; Miss T., Saltcoats, 10s; Miss C. M'K., £1; G. E., Auchterarder, 5s; W. A. T., Pollokshields, £1; Larbert Junior C.E. West U.F. Church, 10s 6d; Bridge of Teith U.F. Church B.C., 8s 3d; Mrs J. M., Kintyre, 5s; Whitehill U.F. Church Congregational S.S., £4 7s 11d; D. M'L., Kilmacollm, 10s; Miss M. M'E., 5s; R. W. M., £1; M. G. M., £1; J. W. M., Greenock, £1; Cardross P.C., £37 6s 6d; Anon., £1; Mearns U.F. Church B.C., 11s; Selkirk West U.F. Church B.C., 18s; A. M., Arbroath, £1; Mrs P., Kilmacollm, £5; Miss T., Hightae, 2s 6d; W. F., Inverness, 5s; S.N.S.P.C.C., Hamilton, £7 16s; Mrs F., 7s; Anon., £1; Kilbirnie West U.F. Church S.S., 10s; D. W., Milnathort, £5; G. D., Tumu Tumu, B.E.A., 5s; Mr M'K., India, £1 2s; Mrs C., Dollar, £5; Anon., £1; Mrs B., Lochee, £1; A. M., Appin, £1 1s; High Street U.F. Church Senior B.C., Dumbarton, 12s; Laurencekirk U.F. Church S.S., £1 2s 9d; "An Ayshire Farmer," £30; Mrs P., Natal, 10s; Miss M. H., Aberdeen, 5s; Masonic Lodge "Clydesdale," No. 556, £1 1s; St. James Parish Church S.S., Clydebank, 13s 2d; St. James Sabbath Morning School, Paisley, £1 8s 6d; Mrs O., Greenock, 6s; J. M. A., Woodrow, Sask., £2 1s 1d; J. M., 10s; Mrs G., London, £1 1s.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Mrs C., Dollar, £2.

Week ending March 13.—Miss M. V. H. C., Ayr, £3 11s 8d; A. L., Kilmaurs, £1 1s; Mrs J. De G., 17s; Miss N., per Mrs S., 2s 6d; Mrs H., 10s; "Alice, Willie, and Jessie," £1; "M. F. W.," 2s 6d; "First fruits for the orphans," 4s; Two Boys, 5s; Mrs T., Crieff, £5; Cowdenbeath Baptist Church S.S., £1; Ashfield S.S., £2 1s; St. John's U.F. Church Women's Foreign Mission Association, Bathgate, £7; Miss H., Rosneath, 10s; Mrs C., 10s; Three children, 1s 6d; A. M'L., Stayner, Canada, £1 0s 6d; Alva Parish Church S.S., £1 10s; Bonnet Hill U.F. Church S.S., Dundee, 8s 3d; A Friend, per D. S. G., £1; Mrs Y., Shanghai, 5s; Mrs S., Wellington, N.Z., 19s 9d; Miss A. S., Faroe Islands, 9s 2d; St. Andrew's U.F. Church S.S., Longtown, 10s; Collection at Lantern Lecture, 7s; Miss I. M., Edinburgh, "In memory of my old friend, Miss E. Richardson," £1; T. P., Berwick-on-Tweed, £3 3s; Mrs C., Kinrossie, 2s; Mrs P., do., 3s; Mr and Mrs T., Kilmacollm, £5; "Margery and Nancy," £2; Kildalton and Oa P.C., £5 5s; A. O., £2 2s 6d; A Friend, per Mrs K., Edinburgh, 2s 6d; Anon., £1; Clark Memorial U.F. Church S.S., Largs, £1; Canal Street U.F. Church B.C., Paisley, £1; Mrs W., 8s; Dysart Children's Forenoon Service, £1; Moss Street U.F. Church S.S., Elgin, £2; J. G., Govan, £4; Mrs F., £1; "Mary," £2; Miss F. R., Paisley, 12s; Mrs B., 2s 6d; Hallelujah Mission S.S., Motherwell, £3; Miss L., Stenness, 10s; Lochgilphead U.F. Church S.S., 10s; A. O., £1 12s 3d; Mrs F., Cullen, 10s; Cardonald Parish Helping Hands Society, £5; Mrs A. B., per D. J. F., 5s; Miss I. F., Kirn, 10s; Johnnie and Teddie, Transvaal, 3s.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Mrs T., Galashiels, 10s.

Week ending March 20.—Greyfriars S.S., Dumfries, £2 1s 3d; Glasgow News, £1 1s; High U.F. Church S.S., Nairn, £1 1s; Plantation U.F. Church S.S. Association, £3; Miss J. G., Peebles, £1; Rhonehouse S.S., Castle-Douglas, 12s; Employees Nobel's Explosives Co., Ltd., £5; "Of Thine Own," £1; Cathcart U.F. Church S.S., £3 13s 5d; "Rothesay," 15s; Shettleston Baptist Church S.S., £1; Miss S., Pollokshields, 5s; Dudhope U.F. Church S.S., Dundee, 11s; Misses D., Tayport, £2; F. A. B. D., Edinburgh, £2; J. C., Dundee, 5s; Kirkcaldy and Dysart P.C., £18 17s; A Friend, "In memory of a beloved daughter," £1; A. O., £2 1s 9d; Miss A. J., Perth, £1; J. L., Johnstone, £5; Queen's Cross U.F. Church S.S., Aberdeen, £1 3s 1d; Miss N., Forfar, £1; Miss M. H., 10s; D. B., £25; Cedar Street Mission S.S., 16s 6d; Miss T., Kilmacollm, 10s; J. T., 2s 6d; Mrs S., Wigtown, 10s; Stewarton Congregational Church B.C., 5s; Mrs W., Swansea, £3; Mrs K., Milton of Campsie, £2; North Bute U.F. Church S.S., £1; St. John Street Mission School, Ivy Place Church Stranraer, 13s 8d; Langside U.F. Church Junior B.C.'s, £1; Sherwood U.F. Church B.C., Paisley, 10s; Lesmahagow Parish Church S.S., £1; West U.F. Church S.S., Clydebank, £1; A. D., Biggar, £10; [Hope Trust Children's Church, Edinburgh, £1; Chalmers' U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Mrs W., Clynder, £1; Two Young Friends, 1s; Mr and Mrs F., Motherwell, £10; Hardgate Clatt S.S., 13s 6d; Miss M., Penzance, 10s; An old worker's mite, 2s; Miss M. S., 5s; D. F., Crieff, £1; "Strathblane and other Friends," £15; Chalmers U.F. Church S.S., Bridge of Allan, 13s 9d; Paisley Road U.F. Church S.S., £2; W. B. M., Motherwell, £1; C. R. T., York, 10s; A Friend, 3s; Miss H., Dundee, 10s; Mrs R., Dundee, "In memory of my dearly loved son Murray," £2.

Week ending March 27.—Bridgeton U.F. Church S.S.'s, £1; St. James Church B.C., Paisley, £1; J. A., Dunfermline, £1; Mrs M., Edinburgh, 2s 6d; J. M. D., Dumbarton, £20; "E. R. G.," 10s; With love and prayer, 1s 6d; "Alice, Willie, and Jessie," £1; H. K., Southland, N.Z., £3; Pollokshaws Parish Church Women's Guild, £2; Stevenson Memorial U.F. Church Minister's B.C., 14s; Miss M. C., Stranraer, 2s; "We Two," Paisley, £3; Kinlochleven U.F. Church S.S., 5s; East U.F. Church Denburn Mission S.S., Aberdeen, £3 1s 6d; Yetholm U.F. Church B.C., 6s 6d; Mrs J., 10s; A. P., £3; Dunfermline Y.W.C.A., 10s; Stanley U.F. Church S.S., £1; Anon., 1s; Regent Place U.F. Church S.S., £1; Crieff Parish Church S.S., £1 10s; J. M., Alloa, 10s; Queen's Park West U.F. Church B.C., £1; A. O., £1 17s 1d; Mr and Mrs A. J. P., Ilford, 5s; Mr and Mrs H., Ilford, 15s; Miss J. G., 2s 6d; Grannie, 2s 6d; Jessie, 2s 6d; Jeanie, 2s 6d; Willie, 2s 6d; Gordon, 2s 6d; J. M'N. & Co., Ltd., Howwood, £5; "W.," per H. J. C., Edinburgh, £1; P. L. H., Mount Ayliff, C.P., 10s; Ladhope U.F. Church S.S., Galashiels, £1; Compensation money, £26; Miss S., Edinburgh, 10s; Buccleuch Parish Church S.S., Edinburgh, 10s 6d; E.U.F. Bible Class, Strathaven, 5s; South U.F. Church S.S., Galashiels, 15s; Miss P., Ayr, 2s 6d; (D. J. D. M., Bridge-of-Weir, 10s; W. L. R., Carmunnock, £2 2s; J. P. H., Port-Glasgow, 21s; St. Georges-in-the-Fields Parish Church S.S., 1912, £1; 1913, £1 10s;

J. P. H., Ltd., 21s)—the above sums per C.O.S.; "O.," per C.O.S., £10; Clarendon U.F. Church Congregational S.S., £1; F. H., Godalming, £2 2s; Mrs W., Edinburgh, £1 (Homes), (£1 Emigration); J. S., Blackburn, 5s; Craig U.F. Church S.S., Dunscore, 6s; Tollcross U.F. Church S.S., £1; Collected by Miss T., New Jersey, U.S.A., 10s; Mrs B., Alloa, £1.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for ORPHAN HOMES between 1st and 31st March.—R. M. J., Scotstoun, 10s; A. M. M., £1 11s 6d; Helensburgh West Parish Church S.S., £1; South U.F. Church S.S., Kirkintilloch, £1; Govan Baptist Church S.S., 13s 10d; Kinning Park U.F. Church S.S. Association, £1 4s; Whiteinch U.F. Church S.S., £1; Miss Martha Marshall's Trust, per Messrs Symington & Blair, £182 15s 8d; Legacy of the late Dr Wm. Forrest, M.B.C.M., Pollokshields, per Messrs Mitchells Johnston & Co., £225; Milton S.S., 7s; W. H. C., jun., Bearsden, £1; Subscriptions received by City of Edinburgh C.O.S., £6 11s 5d; Legacy of the late Charles W. Scrimgeour, Dundee, per Messrs Gray, Robertson & Smith, £50; Legacy of Miss Sarah Muir, Irvine, per Messrs Boyd & Wilson, £2; Pollok U.F. Church S.S., Pollokshaws, £2 12s 10d; Legacy of the late Miss Mary Fletcher, Rosneath, per Messrs Carment, Wedderburn & Watson, Edinburgh, £25; Queen's Park U.F. East Church S.S., £3 14s 10d; Newton Place U.F. Church Mission S.S., 10s.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Employees Ross & Marshall, Ltd., Greenock, £1 1s; J. P. H., Port-Glasgow, per C.O.S., £1 1s.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for CONSUMPTION SANATORIA between 1st and 31st March.—Kinning Park Parish Church B.C., £1 1s; Members of the Glasgow Police Force, £10 5s 7d; Corporation Police Department, £5 2s 10d; Employees Bilsland Bros., £1 5s; Employees R. D., Waddell Ltd., £1 1s; Dalziel C.S., Ltd., £3; Glasgow News, £1 1s.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—Collected by Mrs G., Govan, £1 14s; J. S., Blackburn, 5s.

Week ending April 3.—W. H., China, £5; W. S., Canisbay, £1; "In Memoriam, E. G.," £1 1s; Leith Friends towards maintenance of child, £15; West U.F. Church B.C., Brechin, £1; H. K., Stirling, £10; Mrs M'G., Bothwell, 10s; Mr T.'s B.C., Paisley, 10s; Miss M., Detroit, 5s; A. O., £1 17s 1d; Annual Collection of Scholars and Friends at Whitekirk, £2 8s 6d; Bathgate E.U. Congregational Senior B.C., 10s; Normand Road U.F. Church B.C., Dysart, 10s; "Jag," Kilbirnie, £1; W. S., Kilsyth, 12s 6d; Q. A., Greenock, £2; S. and S.F.A., Greenock, £3 15s 3d; High U.F. Church Mission S.S., Kilmarnock, 10s; Ibrox U.F. Mission S.S., Lorne Street, Plantation, £1 8s 2d; Found in boxes at Bridge-of-Weir, 7s 2d; H. W., Cambuslang, 5s; Collected from Friends in Annan, per Miss E., £1 18s; Misses E. and I. H., Peebles, £1; Trinity U.F. Church B.C., Castle-Douglas, 5s 6d; Trinity U.F. Church Junior B.C., Renfrew, £1; S.N.S.P.C.C., Edinburgh, £2 10s; J. R., Dunblane, £5; M. N., 10s; Mearns Street Congregational Church B.C., Greenock, 10s; Dingwall Y.W.C.A., part proceeds of sale, £1; Wellpark U.F. Church Y.M.C.A., 5s; East Campbell Street U.F. Church Junior B.C., 5s; Additional from "Strathblane and other Friends," £1 5s; Limefield U.F. Church S.S., West Calder, 10s; Oakshaw West U.F. Church Minister's B.C., Paisley, £1; Thread Street U.F. Church B.C., Paisley, £1 9s; A. M., Arbroath, £1; "Topaz," 2s 6d; Mr F.'s B.C., Trinity U.F. Church, Aberdeen, £1 1s; Mrs M'M., 10s; Irvine Bank Church B.C., Darvel, 10s; Maybole Baptist Church S.S., 15s; H. B. M'F., Maybole, 5s; St. James Parish Church S.S., Forfar, £1; Miss M. M., Ayr, £1; Compensation money, £5 14s 5d; North U.F. Church Jun. B.C., Springburn, 10s; A. J., £1; G. G., 10s; Miss M. C., Musselburgh, £1 1s; Albert Road U.F. Church S.S., Pollokshields, £2 5s 4d; W. P. T., Greenock, 2s 6d; J. R., 10s; A. S., Wormit-on-Tay, £5; Mrs T., £2; Henry Drummond Memorial Church B.C., 10s; W. A. R., £1 1s; Middle U.F. Church B.C., Paisley, 10s.

Consumption Sanatoria.—"In loving memory," 10s; J. R., Dunblane, £5.

Week ending April 10.—A. P., Bucksburn, 4s; Mr and Mrs B., Kilmacollm, £3; "J. R.," 2s 6d; "Kitty and John," Helensburgh, 10s; D. H., £2; Bearsden South U.F. Church S.S., £1 12s 7d; Mrs B., Stepps, £1; Miss N. C., Oban, 2s 6d; J. T., Portland, £4 2s 1d; A. O., 10s 9d; J. C., Polmont, £2; Chalmers U.F. Church Y.M.C.A., Uddingston, 10s; Mrs F., Edinburgh, £2; A small company of Christians, Bowhill, £1; Two Servants, Edinburgh, £1; "Alice, Willie, and Jessie," £1; Sherwood Women's Guild of Service, Paisley, £3; Anderson U.F. Church S.S., Kilsyth, £1; Abbeymount Y.M. Bible Class, Edinburgh, £1; Mission S.S., Nairn, 16s 8d; Mrs C., 10s; Riccarton Institute B.C., 12s 6d; Miss M. V. H. C., Ayr, £4 18s 8d; Mrs S., Aberdeen, 2s 6d; A. H. D., Staines, £5; J. D., Dundee, £3; J. F., Motherwell, £1 (Emigration); A. O., £2 15s 8d; Saffronhall U.F. Church B.C., Hamilton, £1; Broomknoll U.F. Church C.A., Airdrie, 10s; Mr and Mrs J. C., High Blantyre, 10s; Compensation money, £7 10s; South Morningside U.F. Church B.C., Edinburgh, 7s 6d; Bethelfield U.F. Church Junior B.C., Kirkcaldy, 6s 2d; W. D., Motherwell, £2; R. B. C., London, £5; Wallacetown Parish Church S.S., Ayr, £1; J. M., Alloa, 10s; D. K. B., Polmont Station, 10s 6d; Miss C., Bridge-of-Weir, 10s; A. R. D., Darlington, £15; "A Friend," 10s; Mrs A., Thurso, £2 2s; George and Henry, do., 10s; Union U.F. Church B.C., Edinburgh, 5s; Kirkmuirhill U.F. Church B.C., 5s; Mrs G., Liberton, £1; Raith Parish B. of H., £2; St. Paul's Parish Church B.C., 10s; J. M'K., Blairgowrie, £10; Middle Parish Church B.C., Paisley, 10s; S. H. W., 5s; J. R., Shettleston, a thankoffering, 5s; Miss M'E., 5s; Miss J. A. H., Walkerburn, 1s 6d; Paisley Road U.F. Church Y.W.C.A., 16s; Loreburn U.F. Church B.C., Dumfries, 7s; Miss B., Bridge-of-Weir, £4; Miss J. M. H., Grangemouth, £2; A Friend, £9; Miss R., Edinburgh, 2s; Kilsyth S.S., £1; W. D. S., £2 2s; Barr & Stroud, Ltd., and Employees, £2; J. M'K., £1; Coatbridge East U.F. Church Junior B.C., £1; Miss F. R., Paisley, 12s; Mrs L., 10s; Miss M. W., Old Kilpatrick, £10.

Consumption Sanatoria.—A Friend, £3.

Week ending April 17.—Towards maintenance of children helped, £5 8s; St. Mark's U.F. Church S.S., 10s 6d; East Linton U.F. Church B.C., Prestonkirk, 5s; Mrs H., Edinburgh, £5; Miss C., do., 10s; A Friend, £1; Govanhill U.F. Church B.C., £1; A. M., £1; T. D., Perth, £3; St. Mark's U.F. Church Girls' Club, 10s 6d; West Scotland U.F. Church S.S., £1 10s; Mr and Mrs C., Ayr, a thankoffering, 10s; Kinross Y.W.C.A., £5 10s; A. F. H., Perth, 10s 6d; A. O., £13 10s 1d; Miss C., Edinburgh, 5s; St. Stephen's U.F. Church Lads' Junior B.C., 10s; North Woodside Y.M. Society, 5s; Miss L., Old Kilpatrick, £20; A. and Mrs. M., Warrington, £1; Kinnaber Mills S.S., 6s; Arbroath Female Mission, 10s; North Leith U.F. Church B.C., £2 16s 4d; Bridgegate U.F. Church B.C., 10s 6d; The Bethel S.S., Aberdeen, 10s; Miss J. S. H., Hawick, 2s 6d; Union U.F. Church S.S., Edinburgh, £1; J. S., Cowdenbeath, £15; Spey Boot Works B.C., Aberdeen, £1 6s 9d; D. T. C. S., £30.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Miss W., £1; Kingarth Women's Sewing Guild, £1; Cairns U.F. Church Ladies' Sewing Meeting, Stewarton, 15s.

Week ending April 24.—West U.F. Church B.C., East Kilbride, 10s; Misses and Mr J., Edinburgh, £1; Kennethmont U.F. Church S.S., 5s; An old Shetland widow's mite, 10s; W. M. R., Clydebank, 5s; W. B., Victoria, Australia, £5; Miss E. B., £5; "Alice, Willie, and Jessie," £1; South U.F. Church B.C., Galashiels, 10s; Adelaide Place Baptist Church, £6 9s; Mrs C., Edinburgh, 14s; Mrs K., 4s; "In loving memory," 10s; J. M., Alloa, 10s; Brandon U.F. Church B.C., 10s 7d; Mrs F., £1; J. C., "first fruits of war bonus," 6s; Radnor Park U.F. Church Senior B.C., £1; Mrs O., Cork, 10s; With love and prayer, 1s; Mr and Mrs R. W. A. and Friend, £2 2s; Mrs O., Greenock, 6s; Mrs F. F., Dumbreck, £1; A. O., £5 11s 9d; Mrs K. K., Volksrust, Transvaal, per Mrs P., 5s; T. G., Coatdyke, 10s; Arthur Memorial U.F. Church B.C., New Cumnock, 7s 6d; Carlisle P.C., £5 5s; N. C. A., £10; E. P. A., Natal, £2; Miss L. M. B., Kincardine, 5s; Banff U.F. Church Guild, £5; J. R. M., Falkirk, £2; Janet A., 10s; Barrhead South U.F. Church Women's Guild, £1 1s; Crossford U.F. Church S.S., 7s 6d; Partick Congregational Church B.C., 10s; Trinity U.F. Church S.S., Lockerbie, £1; Mrs B., £2; U.F. Church S.S., Lower Abbey Street, Dublin, £1; Employees M.I.Y.B. Society, 10s; Miss J. W., Errol, £2; "A Member of Strathbungo," £1; Logieport U.F. Church S.S., 10s; "B. B.," 5s; P. M., £5; Mrs J. D., Dumbarton, £2; Husband and Wife, £1; Scotstoun U.F. Church Girls' Junior B.C., £1.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for ORPHAN HOMES between 1st and 30th April.—Henderson Memorial U.F. Church S.S., £1 5s; Hamilton C.B.S., Ltd., £1; Kilmarnock E.C.S., £5; Newlands Parish Church S.S., 10s; Bathgate E.U. Congregational Church S.S., £4 10s; Bathgate E.U. Congregational Church Junior B.C., 15s; Kirkcaldie U.F. Church B.C., 2s 6d; St. Andrew Square U.F. Church B.C., Greenock, 5s; W. E. A. G., £10; Augustine U.F. Church S.S., 18s 4d; *Legacy* of the late Miss Margaret J. Coupar, Ayr, per Messrs Mackenzie, Robertson & Co., plus interest, £201 19s; Misses M., Bonnyrigg, 2s 6d; Employees and Staff of Redpath, Brown & Co., Ltd., Edinburgh, per C.O.S., £3 18s 9d; Douglas Park S.S., Bellshill, £1; St. Andrew's Scotch Presbyterian Church S.S., Buenos Ayres, £2; *Legacy* of the late Miss Charlotte Ferrier, Montrose, per D. Smith, Esq., £50 13s 4d; Old Shettleston S.S. Association, £1; Stonelaw U.F. Church S.S., Rutherglen, £1 10s; R. D. M., £75; Thomas Porter Equipment Fund, £150; Newlands U.F. Church S.S., £1; *Legacy* of the late Miss C. Forrester Paton, Alloa, per Messrs Wright, Johnston & Mackenzie, £5,000.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Mrs C., Edinburgh, 14s.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for CONSUMPTION SANATORIA between 1st and 30th April.—Kilmarnock E.C.S., £5.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—Mrs C., Edinburgh, 14s; Paisley Mission to the Deaf and Dumb B.C., 5s.

Week ending May 1.—J. W. B., Edinburgh, £3 3s; Bonhill South U.F. Church B.C., 10s; Mrs R., Dundee, £20; "Inasmuch," 10s; J. G., £3 3s; Tweedside, 10s; Miss J. M., Detroit, 5s; "H. R.," £1 15s; Fairfield U.F. Church B.C., 10s; Kirkhill Parish Church Junior B.C., 10s; Mr and Mrs G. S., £2; Four little Boys, 10s; Mothers' Meeting, Dunfermline, 5s; Cathcart Road Gospel Hall, £2; Miss C., 10s; A. O., £7 1s 9d; High U.F. Church S.S., Linlithgow, £2; Miss T. B., Greenock, £1; J. B. M., Rutherglen, £1; Mid-Calder U.F. Church B.C., £1 1s; Mrs M'G., Bothwell, 8s; Mrs D. C., Lasswade, £3; W. S. B., Dundee, £2; "Helpers Together," Edinburgh, 5s; Garngad Hall B.C., 11s; Anon., Edinburgh, 16s 10d; G. S., Dalkeith, 5s; East Congregational Church S.S., Greenock, 10s; A. M., Arbroath, £1; Towards maintenance of children helped, £6; Miss M. V. H.-C., Ayr, £4 6s 6d; Anon., 5s; Anon., £20; (Miss A. C. H., Milngavie, £2 2s; R. F. B., £3 3s; A. R. F., £2; L. & S., Ltd., 21s)—the above sums per C.O.S.; Found in boxes at Bridge-of-Weir, £1 5s 2½d; A. L., Aberdeen, 2s 6d; Mrs A., £1; Readers of the *Christian Herald*, £1 2s 6d; Misses S., £2.

Consumption Sanatoria.—(Miss A. C. H., Milngavie, 21s; R. F. B., 21s), per C.O.S.; Employees D. Colville & Sons, Motherwell, £8.

Week ending May 8.—White Street Congregational S.S., Govan, 10s; Miss B., Hastings, 10s; Miss C. R., Edinburgh, 5s; Mrs A., £5; Compensation money, £6 10s; Mrs M'M., 10s; "Alice, Willie, and Jessie," £1; Miss M'K., Fionphort, 4s; A. O., £5 1s 9d; Sherwood U.F. Church S.S. Paisley, £3; Renwick U.F. Church Congregation B.C., 5s; Miss T., Comrie, 4s; Mr and Mrs H., 5s; Miss H., Earlston, 2s; Kathleen, per Mrs M., 5s; J. M., Alloa, 10s; Ardrishaig U.F. Church S.S., 8s; Miss J. C., Elgin, 10s; Cowie S.S., 10s; J. B. G., £5; Sandyhills U.F. Church S.S., Shettleston, £1 9s 2d; D. S. G., Thurso, 14s; Miss S., Australia, £2; Denny P.C., £48; A. O., £1; "In memory of little Alick, Grangemouth," £5; Camlachie C.E. Society, 5s; Mrs G. W., Paisley, 2s 6d; Miss J. M. K. M., Edinburgh, 10s; Broomhouse S.S., £1 1s 6d; Kirk Lane Mission S.S., £1 1s; W. M., Leadhills, £1; Mrs W., 8s; Mrs W., Swansea, £1; Miss W., Bridge of Allan, 5s; Bowling Y.M.C.A., 10s; F. W. & T. G. W., Paisley, £10; Mrs F., £3 3s; Mrs R., Airdrie, 10s; Mrs O., Greenock, 6s; "I. B. K.," £5; Miss M. M'E., 5s; J. B., Leith, £1; J. M., Lanark, £2; "An old worker's mite," 2s; Miss A. D., Ayr, £30; Mrs G., £2 1s; Newton-on-Ayr U.F. Church S.S., £2 4s 3d; Elderslie U.F. Church B.C., 5s; Mrs S., Wellington, N.Z., £1; 125th Glasgow Co. B.B. Bible Class, 6s; Lochmaben P.C., £3 18s; Galashiels P.C., £6 10s; Slamannan P.C., £3 18s.

Week ending May 15.—Davidson U.F. Church B.C., Edinburgh, £3 10s; Fossoway P.C., £3 5s; Peterhead P.C., £3 10s; Mrs M., Largs, £1; Dumbarton E.U. Church S.S., £2; Misses H., Lanark, £1; Hillhead Congregational Church S.S., £1; A. O., £5 11s 9d; Coldstream P.C., £5; A Lady Friend, £1; Chalmers U.F. Church B.C., Wishaw, 10s; Compensation money, £9 19s 11d; W. M. M., Cambridge, £2; Urr P.C., £18 4s; Kingarth P.C., £30 15s; Meldrum P.C., £1 6s; Mrs H., Kilsyth, 10s; S.N.S.S. Union collections from various S.S.'s during the year, £27 8s 1d; G. T., £25; With love and prayer, 1s 6d; Middlebie P.C., £16 12s 6d; Elie P.C., £7 16s; Larbert P.C., £5 15s; Kilcalmonell P.C., £6 10s; Kilchoman P.C., £10; Halkirk P.C., £20; Mrs G., Edinburgh, £1; Millbank S.S., Tillyfourie, 10s; Miss M. V. H. C., Ayr, £2 10s; Kilbirnie P.C., £3 5s; Beith P.C., £2 12s; Swinton P.C., £3 5s; Renfrew P.C., £11 14s; Kildalton and Oa P.C., £5 5s; "Duet," £3; Miss F. R., Paisley, 12s; Forbes P.C., £9 2s; Innerleven U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Wick P.C., £19 10s; Kinloss P.C., £9 2s; Mrs S., Kincardine, £1; Hamilton West U.F. Church S.S., £1; George and his Sisters, £3 3s; Kirkpatrick-Irongray P.C., £3 18s 6d; Misses C., Edinburgh, £10 (Emigration); Helensburgh Congregational Church B.C., 10s; Mr and Mrs M'K., Belfast, 10s; "M. C.," Dunoon, 10s; West U.F. Church Senior B.C., Galashiels, 5s; Houston P.C., £5; Mrs F., 7s; Crailing P.C., £30.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Misses H., Lanark, £1; Misses C., Edinburgh, 16s 2d.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—Misses C., Edinburgh, 16s.

Week ending May 22.—(Mrs S. K., "In memoriam," £2; Mrs M'L., £1; Mrs I., 5s; Miss F., 2s 6d; Miss S., 2s 6d; I. R. L., 2s 6d; B. R., 2s; Bible Reading in Christian Institute, Biggar, £1 5s 6d)—the above sums were collected from friends in Biggar by Miss S.; "My Mother's Birthday. A little thankoffering for all she was to me," 10s; A. M., Kalgoorlie, W. Australia, £2 10s; Mrs B., Bangor, £1; D. F., Crieff, £1; Mrs H., Cathcart, £5; J. S., Helensburgh, £2; Miss M. T. Huntly, 5s; Mr and Mrs G., Coaltown of Wemyss, 10s; Mrs D., Transvaal, £1; "Alice, Willie, and Jessie," £1; Bathgate Y.M.C.A. Children's Church, £1 10s; S. M., Fort-William, £25; Towards maintenance of children helped, £4; Mrs D., Ayr, £5; Mrs M., Strathaven, £1; Elim Hall Band of Hope, Alloa, 12s; J. R. S., £10; J. M. S., £2 2s; Amor, 10s; J. M., Alloa, 10s; Dumbarton P.C., £2 12s; A. O., £5 11s 9d; "Cathie," 5s; Stornoway P.C., £4; Annan P.C., £5 4s; Misses H., Kirkintilloch, £10; Miss S. M., Dundee, £1; J. M'G. & Son, Greenock, £2; W. H., Troon, 5s 6d; Mrs F., £1; (Miss M., £1; Miss M'M., 10s; Miss B. M'M., 5s; Miss M., 5s; Mrs M., £1; Mrs I. M'K., £2; Mrs P., 10s; Mrs A. F. H., 5s; Mrs C., £3; Mrs J. M'K., 10s; Mrs C. C. G., 10s; Mrs B., 4s; Mrs B., 10s; Mrs W. B., 2s 6d; Mrs C., 3s; Miss J. M., 5s; Mrs R. Y. M., 3s; Mrs K., 2s 6d; Mrs M'M., 5s; Mrs J. H., 5s; Miss R., 2s 6d; Mrs H., 2s 6d; Mrs D. C., 2s 6d; Mrs A. M., 5s; Miss W., 2s 6d; Miss J. M'K., 2s 6d; Mrs W. M'K., £1; Mrs D. M., 10s; Mrs J. C., 10s; Mrs D. C., jun., £1; Mrs A. M., 2s; Mrs C., 2s 6d; Mrs B., 2s 6d; Mr D., 2s; Mrs J. R., 5s; Mrs T., 5s; D. S. B., 2s 6d; Mrs R., 3s; Mr R., 2s 6d; Miss S., 2s; J. M. H., 5s; Miss F., £1; Miss M. F., £1; Miss F. F., £1; Mrs M., 2s 6d; A. S. A., 2s; Miss M., £1; Mrs C., 10s; D. MacC., 10s; Mrs F., 10s; Mrs D. C., 5s; Mrs G., 2s 6d; J. A. G., 2s 6d; Mrs L., 3s; Mrs H. M., 2s; Mrs S., 2s 6d; Miss P., 10s; J. M. M., 2s 6d; Miss L., 2s 6d; Mrs T., 2s; Miss F., 2s 6d; Mrs M'I., 2s 6d; Mrs W. J. P., 2s 6d; Miss T., 5s; Mrs D., 2s 6d; Mrs R., 2s 6d; Mrs A. D., 2s; R. R., 1s; J. M., 2s; T. G., 1s 6d; Mrs R., 2s 6d; R. R., 1s; J. W., 2s; S. M., 2s 6d; R. A., 5s; Miss J. S., 5s; A. M'E., 1s; Miss L., 5s; D. D., 1s; Miss P., 2s; A. M., 2s 6d; R. D., 2s 6d; R. W., 2s 6d; Miss B., 2s; Miss M., 2s; J. W., 2s 6d; Mrs C., 2s 6d; Mrs M'M., 2s 6d; Miss G., £1; Mrs C., 5s; Mrs J. N. M., 5s; G. W. S., 3s)—the above sums were collected from friends in Campbeltown by Misses M'K., P., and M.; A. O., 17s 2d; Mrs K., 5s; "J. K.," £1; "J. C. B.," £1; Gorbals Parish Church S.S., 5s; Auchtertool P.C., £6 10s; W. T. F., Belfast, £8; Mr and Mrs G., China, £1; W. M., Edinburgh, £2; "J. L.," Gourrock, £1; Adelaide Place Baptist Church S.S., 10s; J. D., Beith, 2s 6d; Miss H. M. M'Q., Greenock, £1; J. A., Ardrossan, 2s 6d; Miss M., £1; J. M., Freswick, 10s; Anon., £1; Mrs S., Henley-in-Arden, £2 2s; Mrs T., £1; Mrs B., 3s; A. O., £3 1s 5d; Mrs A. D., £5; A. P., £1; Dennistoun Baptist Church S.S., £1 7s 6d; Balloch of Culloden S.S., 10s; Petty U.F. Church S.S., 5s; Mrs M., Volksrust, Transvaal, 10s; Mrs P., Natal, 10s; Mrs W. D., do., 10s; Master F. and J. D., do., 3s; Mr M., do., 5s; Mrs D., do., 5s; Mr R., do., 2s; Mrs G., do., 2s; Mr W., do., 1s; Mr G., do., 1s; Mr and Mrs M., do., 7s; Terris M., do., 1s.

Week ending May 29.—"B. B.," 5s; G. T., California, 4s 2d; "Service," 6s; Anon., 1s; Garngad Gospel Hall S.S., £1; Loudon U.F. Church S.S., Newmilns, £2; W. D., Dunning, £5; Mrs M'G., Bothwell, 10s; A. O., £8 7s 6d; A. M., Arbroath, £1; "In loving memory of my sister Bella," £8; J. M., £1; Misses K., 5s; J. B., Greenock, £2 2s; A. M. B., for children's holiday, £1; Mrs B., £2; Miss M. S., Wick, £1; A Friend, £1; Miss C., Edinburgh, 5s; Misses O., North Berwick, £16; Miss B., £1; Mrs MacP., 5s; D. M., Methil, £1; ("M. N.," £15; H. D., £2; W. P. U., Helensburgh, £5 5s)—the above sums per C.O.S.; Miss C. N. C., Cleland, £5; Mrs D., Dollar, £1; Mrs H., Fenwick, 10s; Miss B.'s Executry, £2 12s; Miss F.'s Executry, £3 5s; Interest, 17s 8d; Fairbairn U.F. Church S.S., 10s 6d; Mrs A. G. B., £1; Money belonging to child helped, £10.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for ORPHAN HOMES between 1st and 31st May.—West Cambuslang Parish Church, £1 6s; Clydebank C.S., Ltd., £4 4s; Elgin Place Congregational S.S., £1 10s 9d; Progress C.S., Ltd., £2 2s; Belhaven U.F. Church Mission S.S. Society, £1 4s 6d; The United Turkey Red Co., Ltd., £5; J. J. & Co., Ltd., £30; Misses M. S. and N. B. Y., £1; Alexander Johnston's Trust, per Messrs Wright, Johnston & Mackenzie, £8 19s 2d; *Legacy* of the late Miss Agnes Fleeming, per Messrs Cowan, Clapperton & Barclay, £1,000; J. M'C., £1 6s; J. S., 7s; Rutherglen Congregational Church S.S., 5s; Mr and Mrs H. D. J., Milngavie, £2; Argyll U.F. Church S.S., Dunoon, 5s; Miss A. E. Richardson's Trust, £4 8s 6d.

Consumption Sanatoria.—(H. D., £1; W. P. U., Helensburgh, £5 5s), per C.O.S.; Mrs A. G. B., £1.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for CONSUMPTION SANATORIA between 1st and 31st May.—Corporation Baths' Employees, £2 2s; Corporation Baths' Department, £1 1s; Mr and Mrs H. D. J., Milngavie, £2.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—H. D., per C.O.S., £2.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for COLONY OF MERCY between 1st and 31st May.—Mr and Mrs H. D. J., Milngavie, £2.

Week ending June 5.—Mrs B., Greenock, £2; Mrs M'M., 10s; Anon., Coatbridge p.m., 10s; Miss E. W., Crieff, £1 0s 2d; L. R. G., 10s; J. M'C., Greenock, £20; Miss J. M., Detroit, 5s; Miss B. (H.), £3; Rescue Work, £2; Miss S., 10s; Mr B., 10s; Found in boxes at Bridge-of-Weir, £1 16s 6½d; Miss A. W., Perth, 5s; Mrs R. D., Duns, £1; W. B., Prestonkirk, £21 10s; Ballater U.F. Church S.S., 13s 2d; J. S., Blackburn, 5s, and 5s (Emigration); H. D. H.-D., Bickley, £5; Miss H. M., Longniddry, 10s; Clark Memorial Church S.S., Largs, £2; "Alice, Willie, and Jessie," £1; J. M., Alloa, 10s; Tent Hall Sabbath Dinner Workers Visiting, £2; Stirling Boys' and Girls' Religious Society, 4s 6d; Mrs J. Y., £1 1s; With love and prayer, 1s 6d; Miss B., Edinburgh, 10s; J. M., Kilmaurs, £1; Mrs M'K., Edinburgh, £7; A. O., £14 11s 9d; Mrs W., Ferndale, £1 10s; J. D., Kilmarnock, £2; W. B., £10; Money belonging to children helped, £5 4s; Members of Henderson Memorial U.F. Church Institute, 10s; Miss A. S. D., Plashetts, £1 5s; J. F. S., Lanark, £1; Miss A. F. S., do., £1; Miss L. R., Worcester, 4s; Mrs M'G., Clydebank, 4s; Misses Alexa and Jennie R., Kilmacoll, £5; Mrs H., Bridge-of-Weir, £5; Miss O., £1; S. and S.F.A., Greenock, £2 5s; Miss S., Pollokshields, 5s; H. H., 2s 6d; Garscadden Mission B.C. of South U.F. Church, Bearsden, 11s 6d.

Consumption Sanatoria.—J. S., Blackburn, 5s; Mrs J. Y., £1 1s.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—J. S., Blackburn, 5s.

Week ending June 12.—M. W., Kelso, 10s; J. W. G.-O., Beaulieu, for upkeep of Invalid Girls' Home, £150; Mrs U., Musselburgh, 10s; Miss S., Gourrock, 10s; Mr and Mrs N., £1; A. O., £8 6s 9d; South Shawlands U.F. Church S.S., 15s; Miss B., Edinburgh, £1; Clackmannan Parish Church S.S., £1; Primary Department of E.U. Congregational Church, Nelson Street, 10s; Proceeds of Net Ball

Match between Present and Former Pupils of Berwickshire High School, Duns, £1; Miss F., Gala-shiels, 2s 6d; Mrs F. S., Greta Green, £20; Miss M., Montrose, 5s; Mr and Mrs B., Darjeeling, £5; Finnieston U.F. Church B.C., 5s; Mrs M.N., £1; Sympathisers, Largs, £10; Bouverie S.S., Port-Glasgow, 18s 4d; Mrs W., 8s; Miss S.-J., London, for support of invalid girls, £1 1s; Miss M. V. H. C., Ayr, £1 9s 6d; Glasgow Charity Cup Committee, £20; Jeanie and Marian M.T., £1; Miss K., per Mrs P., Natal, £1; J. M'K., Natal, £2 10s; Misses H., £180; Sandyhills U.F. Church S.S., 10s; D. C., Muirend, 10s; Argyle Place S.S., Edinburgh, £1 7s 6d; Miss I. M. B., London, 10s; Mrs K., Kati Kati, N.Z., per D. J. F., £1; Dornoch U.F. Church S.S., 10s; S. B., Stromness, £1 10s; P. D., Muthill, £1; St. Ninians E.C. Sabbath School, North Bute, 10s; Elim Hall S.S., £2; J. B., Girvan, 5s; Hood Memorial Congregational Church S.S., 10s; G. M. F., Bellahouston, £2; A. S. P., Portland, Oregon, £2; St. Andrew's U.F. Church S.S., Kilmarnock, 12s; Miss F. R., Paisley, 12s; Miss M'K., Kilmacollm, £1; Kirkcaldy and Dysart P.C., £18 17s; Mrs T., £1; Weir Street "Girls' Own," 17s 6d.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Misses H., £10; D. C., Muirend, 10s.

Week ending June 19.—Dumfries, 5s; Mrs M., Huntly, 10s; South U.F. Church Congrega-tional S.S., Aberdeen, 15s 11d; "One Interested," £2; Mrs S., Auchenclochan, 10s; Mrs S., Loch-gilphead, £2 2s; "Alice, Willie, and Jessie," £1; A. O., £8 6s 9d; J. M. A., Woodrow, Sask., £2 1s 1d; Anon., £1; G. M.T., £1; Causewayside United Mission Children's Church and S.S., Edinburgh, £1; J. M., Alloa, 10s; Mrs T., Durham, 2s 6d; Mrs M'K., Edinburgh, 12s; Mr M'K., India, per do., £1 10s; Mr F., £6; Mr F., Galashiels, £1 2s; Moffat Parish Church S.S., 18s; J. S., Carlisle, £1; Mrs D., Salt-coats, 5s; Greenlaw P.C., £12 13s 9d; Towards maintenance of children helped, £7 12s; Miss J. W. L., Liberton, £1; Ferryhill U.F. Church, Holburn Street Mission S.S., Aberdeen, £1 5s; Messrs B. & C., in behalf of children, £156 7s 2d; Bervie Y.W.C.A., 11s 6d; A. D. G., Bridge-of-Weir, £1 1s; A. C., Ayr, 10s; Miss C., Bucksburn, 2s 6d; W. & L., Ltd., £5 5s; Mrs T., Helensburgh, 10s; Ruchill U.F. Church S.S., £2 0s 6d; Miss H., Edinburgh, £3; J. O., Alloa, £1; Miss C. M. C., £1; Mrs K., Yetholm, 6s; Miss J. R., Kirkcaldy, £1; Miss J. W. K., London, £1; John Street Baptist Church S.S.'s, £2 2s 6d.

Consumption Sanatoria.—A. C., Ayr, 10s; Ruchill U.F. Church S.S., £2.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—A. C., Ayr, 10s.

Week ending June 26.—T. K. M., £40; D. F., Crieff, £1; Mr and Mrs M., Motherwell, 5s; W. F., Bellahouston, £2; With love and prayer, 1s; Kilncraigs Sunday Afternoon Classes, £5 3s 6d; A. O., £8 1s 9d; Mrs G., Strathaven, 5s; Miss M., do., 5s; J. C., Dundee, 5s; London Road Church B.C., Edinburgh, £1; A. M., Arbroath, £1; R. L., £1; Miss J. W. S., Brechin, £1; "A thankoffering for Sheila's birthday," £20; F. A. B., Wynberg, S.A., £1; St. John's U.F. Church S.S., Leith, 10s; High Parish Children's Church, Paisley, 10s; J. M. F., 5s; Mrs F., £1; Govan Y.W.C.A., £1; Miss P., 10s; Rev. and Mrs J. F. D., £1; Additional from South U.F. Church Congregational S.S., Aberdeen, 4s 1d; "An old worker's mite," 2s; St. Paul's Parish Church Women's Meeting, 7s 6d; B. Bros., £50; "Topaz," 2s 6d; (J. B., Paisley, 20s; S. H. B., Kilmacollm, £5)—per C.O.S.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for ORPHAN HOMES between 1st and 30th June.—J. W., Pollok-shields, £1; White Memorial U.F. Church Minister's B.C., £2; Barony U.F. Church S.S., £2 2s; W. C., £5; J. E. S., Crieff, £75; H., M., M. & Co., Johnstone, £3 3s; *Legacy* of the late Mrs Taylor, Forbes, per Mr J. Leask, £100; *Legacy* of the late Mrs Hall, Coatbridge, per Messrs Denholm & Waddell, 6s 6d; Employees U.C.B.S., Ltd., £1; Gateside and Beith Branch S.G.F.S., 7s 6d; *Legacy* of Miss Jessie Stark, Forfar, per Messrs Maclay, Murray & Spens, £114 16s 3d; North Leith Parish Church S.S., £3; A Friend, per J. S. P., £100; Govan Y.M.C.A. Boys' B.C., £1 10s; Union Street U.F. Church Juvenile Missionary Society, Greenock, £1 10s 10d; Claremont U.F. Church, Darroch Street Mission, Mr Middleton's Class, £1 2s 8d; Glasgow Junior Football Association, £4; Part *Legacy* of the late Mr Robert Hart, £1,000.

Consumption Sanatoria.—B. Bros., £50; S. H. B., Kilmacollm, per C.O.S., £2.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for CONSUMPTION SANATORIA between 1st and 30th June.—*Legacy* of the late Mrs A. H. Pollock, Uddingston, per Messrs Dundas & Wilson, £45 6s 9d; Employees U.C.B.S., Ltd., £2; Glasgow Junior Football Association, £3.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—B. Bros., £20; J. M., per C.O.S., 5s.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for COLONY OF MERCY between 1st and 30th June.—J. W., Pollok-shields, 10s.

Week ending July 3.—Mr and Mrs W. B., Giffnock, £1 10s; A Friend Shiskine £1; Tanna-dice S.S. Forfar, £1 10s; G. R., Ladybank, 5s; W. D. M., Dunoon, £2; "To help to feed the bairns," £1; Helensburgh Congregational Church Band of Hope, 10s; Cargill U.F. Church S.S., 10s; A. S. C., Hong Kong, £5; Friends in Moffat, £7 7s; A. O., £8 1s 9d; Assembly of Christians' Meeting in Gospel Hall, 138 Lauriston Place, Edinburgh, £2 10s; H. D., £1; W. N., £2; "Alice, Willie, and Jessie," £1; "R., £2; Mrs W., "In loving memory of our darling boy," 15s; Mrs M'G., Bothwell, 10s; Miss J. M., Detroit, 5s; D. U., Edinburgh, for children's holidays, 10s; M'Donald Road U.F. Church S.S., Edinburgh, £1; A few Members of Y.W.C.A., Forfar Branch, 15s 6d; Boys of Trinity Junior B.C., Greenock, 5s; J. M., Alloa, 10s; Miss S., £3; Found in boxes at Bridge-of-Weir, 9s; Mrs M'M., 10s; Mrs B., 3s; Miss M., Killin, £10; Mrs M., 8s; Fordyce B.C. and S.S., 10s; a few of the girls in Lyle & Scott's wareroom, Hawick, for Holiday Fund, £1 12s 2½d; J. M'F., Islay, 15s; Miss M., £1; Mr and Mrs B., Kilmacollm, £2; J. A., Ardrossan, 2s 6d; Mrs R., Kirkcaldy, £1; Gourrock Parish Church S.S., £1 1s; Miss M. M'E., 5s; P. W. R. S., for Holiday Fund, 2s; Compensation money, £5 14s 5d; Mrs O., Greenock, 12s; Mrs U., Musselburgh, 10s; Mrs T., Edinburgh, 4s; Miss M. A. J., £3; Mrs A., £1; Towards maintenance of children helped, £7 2s; Miss I. M.M. Edinburgh, £5; Miss H., Innellan, £2; Mrs F., Ayr, £5; Misses W. W., £1; W. L., Edinburgh, £2; D. C. B., Gourrock, 10s; G. T., Cali-fornia, 8s 4d; Anon., for children's holiday at the seaside, £250; Mrs R., Wellington, N.Z., £4.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Mr and Mrs W. B., Giffnock, £1 10s; W. D. M., Dunoon, £1; Miss M., Killin, £5.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—W. D. M., Dunoon, £1; Miss M., Killin, £5.

Week ending July 10.—G. B. N., Milngavie, £3; "In loving memory," £1; A Friend, Forbes, 10s; Mrs P., 5s; "E. B., 7s 6d; "F. C. S., Leith, £5; Mrs W., Greenock, 10s; Canal Street U.F. Church S.S., Paisley, £6; L. R. T., 10s; A. R. D., Darlington, £15; A. O., £8 1s 9d; D. F., Crieff, £1; "J. C. B., £1 8s; Miss B., Edinburgh, 10s; G. H., New Stevenston, £5 10s; T. D., Perth, £3; Kincardine and Tulliallan U.F. Church S.S., 10s; "Of Thine Own," £1; Miss T., Cockenzie, for boys'

holidays, 15s; R. M., Edinburgh, £1; "George and his Sisters," £3 3s; Miss T., Kilmarnock, £2; Smith's Lane S.S., Greenock, £1 1s; Bethelfield U.F. Church S.S., Kirkcaldy, 7s 6d; "Two Friends," £5; Dalaruan S.S., Campbeltown, 5s; Mrs G., Dunrossness, 3s; Miss M. L., 2s; Rose Street U.F. Church S.S., £1 10s; Rattray Street Baptist Church S.S., Dundee, £1; St. Andrew's U.F. Church S.S. Annan, £2 13s; Mrs W., 8s; Mrs B., Dundee, £6 10s; Proceeds of return Netball Match between Present and Former Pupils of Berwickshire High School, £1 5s; G. H. K., Gareloch, £2; Miss E. C. K., do., £1; Linthouse Y.M. and Y.W.C.A., Govan, 4s; Members and Friends of Finstown Branch Y.W.C.A., 10s 6d; Miss F. R., 12s; St. Mark's U.F. Church S.S., £1 7s; Fala S.S., Blackshiels, 12s; Anon., £1; W. P. T., Greenock, 3s 9d; Misses G., Motherwell, 10s 6d; Mrs R., Edinburgh, £; Com-pensation money, £7 9s 8d; S. and S.F.A., Kirkintilloch, £3 6s; Mary P., 2s 6d; Ashley Road S.S., Aberdeen, £1 4s 9d; Garmouth U.F. Church S.S., 10s; A Friend, 5s.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—Misses H., Newton-Stewart, 10s.

Week ending July 17.—Gala West U.F. Church S.S., Dunearn, 8s 8d; Gardner Street U.F. Church B.C., Partick, 10s; "Anon., 1st Chron. xxix. and 14, £75; Miss P. M. G., Stromness, 10s; "Alice, Willie, and Jessie," £1; J. M., Alloa, 10s; Towards maintenance of children helped, £5 8s; Miss P., Pittenweem, 5s; J. C., £1 1s; A. O., £13 13s 6d; Miss E. M'B., St. Andrews, £1; A Friend, 10s; Miss H. B., Rhynie, 10s 6d; Union U.F. Church S.S., Edinburgh, £1; Cambuslang Parish Church Senior B.C., 5s; Tillicoultry E.U. Congregational S.S., 15s; Agnes S., 10s; Miss M. H. M., Selkirk, 5s; Renfrew Evangelistic Hall S.S., 10s 1d; Mrs M., Bradford, 10s; "J. C., 10s; Mrs M., Dunoon, £1; G. F. N., £1; (Mr C., 20s; Mrs J. M., 5s; Mrs A. J., 2s 6d; Misses A., 5s; Mrs W., 2s; Mrs R., 2s 6d; M. C., 5s; Miss C., 2s 6d; Miss M., 2s; Miss D., 2s 6d; Miss S., 1s 6d; Miss C., 2s 6d; Mrs C., 5s; Mrs J. K. B., 10s; Mrs A. B., 2s 6d; Miss G. M. B., 5s; Miss P., 2s 6d; A. Y., 2s 6d; Mrs H., 5s; Mrs J. I. M., 2s 6d; Mrs T., 1s 6d; Miss C., 1s 6d; W. M. B., 10s; Misses B., 20s; Mrs F., Fairlie, 5s; Mrs J. J. O., Manchester, 20s; J. B. O., 2s 6d; E. O., 2s 6d)—the above sums were collected from a few friends in Largs, Fairlie, and Manchester by Miss B.; Nondescript, Selkirk, 10s; S. and S. F. A., Falkirk, £1 1s 8d; Mrs T., £1; Mrs J. D., Dumbarton, £1 Mr and Mrs R., £1; Mr and Mrs B., London, "In memory of their little daughter," 5s; A. P. & Co., £2.

Week ending July 24.—Duns East U.F. Church S.S., 11s; R. C., Gorebridge, £1; J. M., Christchurch, N.Z., £1; Kingston S.S., North Berwick, £1; North Richmond Street S.S., Edinburgh, 14s; Two Visitors, 4s 6d; A. G. Y., £2; J. E. W. T., Orkney, 3s; Kilmacollm, 1s; "M., Dumbarton, a fairing for the bairns, 10s; A Member of Strathbungo, £1; Rev. J. and Misses J., Edinburgh, £1; Motherwell, 5s; A Friend, per Mrs W., Brimscombe, 4s; A. O., £9 9s 3d; With love and prayer, 1s 6d; *Legacy* of the late Mr David Croil, £3; Miss O., 5s; Children's Service, Fairfax Hall, Newstead, £1 5s; A. M., Arbroath, £1; G. H. S., Uddingston, £3; Two Millworkers, for children's holiday, £1 0s 4d; R. B. C., London, £10; Mrs B., Alloa, £2; P. M. P., Falkirk, for Holiday Fund, 5s; Park Wynd Mission S.S., Dundee, 10s; Boy Scouts from Motherwell, 10s; J. M., 10s.

Week ending July 31.—Miss M., 5s; Miss G., Liverpool, £1; "Of Thine Own," £1; W. B., Aberchirder, 2s 6d; "Alice, Willie, and Jessie," £1; Penicuik U.F. Church S.S., £1; D. D., Hamiton, £1; North U.F. Church S.S., Keith, 15s; Miss A. M'L., £1; Mrs B., Perth, 10s; J. S., Edinburgh, 10s; J. E. C. C., £15; John Ker Memorial Church S.S., Edinburgh, £1; A. O., £8 18s 6d; Nethy Bidge U.F. Church S.S., 8s 4d; J. R., 7s 6d; Mrs W., Aberdeen, 5s; Mrs L., 10s; A. O., £4; Trinity S.S., Newton-Stewart, £1; St. Mary's U.F. Church Children's Forenoon Meeting, Govan, £1; S. P. C. C., Edinburgh, £13; (W. W. & Co., Ltd., £2 2s; J. G. & Co., £10; G. R., £3 3s; H. A. N., £1 1s; Mrs C. R., £1; Mrs R. M'G., Moscow, £2; J. B. B. & Sons, Ltd., 10s; Mrs B., Dalry, £4; Mrs S., Larbert, £2)—the above sums per C.O.S.: Jas. B. A., Stayner, Ont., £1; "M. G., Stonehaven, 10s; Barragill Street Mission S.S., Wick, 9s; Mrs K., Manchester, £3; Anon., £1; Mrs M'M., 10s; Mrs U., Musselburgh, 10s; T. and Miss M. J., Calgary, Alberta, £1 10s 9d; Found in boxes at Bridge-of-Weir, £4 2s 3d.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for ORPHAN HOMES between 1st and 31st July.—Scone West U.F. Church S.S., 10s; *Legacy* of the late Alex. Laird, Esq., Hyndland, per Messrs Clark & Cameron, £20; Newton Church S.S., Cambuslang, £1 8s 10d; J. S., £10; Anniesland Hall S.S., £3 3s 3d; Ardrossan Parish, Saltcoats, S.S.'s, 10s; Thornliebank Wesleyan Methodist S.S., 10s; Miss Jane King's Executry, per Messrs Mackenzie, Robertson & Co., £38 0s 8d; Whytescauseway Baptist Church S.S., £3 1s 6d; Employees Glasgow Corporation Markets Department, £2 2s; Warrender Park U.F. Church Fellowship Association, Edinburgh, 5s; J. M. C., do., £5.

Consumption Sanatoria.—J. B. B. & Sons, Ltd., per C.O.S., 10s 6d.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for CONSUMPTION SANATORIA between 1st and 31st July.—Babcock & Wilcox, Ltd., £3.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—H. A. N., per C.O.S., 5s.

Week ending August 7.—A. O., £8 18s 6d; Uddingston S.S., 15s; "Thankful," 5s; Two Friends, Glasgow, £5; Mrs M., Stonehaven, 5s; Mrs F., £1; Gospel Hall S.S., Cathcart Road, £1; Compensation money, £6 10s; Miss H., Giffnock, 10s; Mrs R. N., 5s; Mrs D., Saltcoats, 5s; Mrs O., Greenock, 6s; Miss R., Holytown, £1; Miss E. W. S. S., Edinburgh, 5s; With love and prayer, 1s; J. W., Blantyre, £5; S. and S.F.A., Kirkintilloch, £3 6s; Westport Church of God S.S., Kilsyth, £1; Mrs T. G., £5; Mrs M'G., 10s; J. M., 10s; A. R. P., £5; Mrs R., Greenock, £5; Helensburgh Working Boys' and Girls' Religious Society, £2 1s; Miss M'G., £1; Inasmuch, 10s; Brandon Street U.F. Church Y.M.C.A., Motherwell, 10s; An old worker's mite, 2s; Mrs T., Lauder, 5s; A Thankoffering, £20; A Visitor, 2s 6d; "B. B., 10s; A. O., £7.

Week ending August 14.—H. R., Leith, £3; *Legacy* of the late Mrs Ross, Stromness, £10; Houston P.C., £4 7s 6d; Closeburn P.C., £9 15s; Miss R., 12s; Mrs W., 8s; Mornington Presbyterian S.S., Dunedin, £2 10s; "Alice, Willie, and Jessie," £1; A. O., £12 18s 6d; L. M'L., 5s 6d; Hope Hall Assembly, Broxburn, £1 10s; Mrs R. M., £1; Mrs L., Edinburgh, 10s; Sir Joseph and Lady W. T., £15 15s; Mrs J. T., 10s; S. and S.F.A., £1 1s 8d; J. M'K., Port Glasgow, £1; Miss M., Irvine, £10; (Mrs L., £5; Mr B., £1; Lady K., £1; Miss S., £1; Mrs D., £1; Mrs M., £1 1s; Dr M., £1; Mrs H. S., £1; Miss G., 10s; Mrs H., 10s; Mr K., 10s; Mrs B., 10s; Mrs R. B., 10s; Mrs B., 5s; Miss M., 5s; Miss K. M., 5s; Miss W., 2s 6d)—the foregoing sums from Largs were collected by Mrs B.; Mrs H., Campbeltown, 10s; Turiff U.F. Church Work Party, £1; D. F., Crieff, £1; Miss K., 10s; Sir George and Lady S.M., Guildford, £5; Peterhead P.C., £3 5s; Tweedside, £1; Dumbarton P.C., £2 12s.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Mrs C., Cleland, £1.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—Mrs C., Cleland, £1.

Week ending August 21.—J. T. F., Coatbridge, £1; "J. C. B.," £1 10s; J. S. S., Kincardine £1; A. O., £9 18s 6d; Seaside, £1; J. C., £100; Skelbo, £5; Abbeyhill Baptist Church S.S., Edinburgh, 5s; M. H. M.B., £5; J. S., Partick, £1; J. H., Keith, £1 0s 6d; L. A., Langholm, 5s; A., Ltd., £5; A. M., Arbroath, £1; G. S. S., Dalkeith, 5s; H. D., £3; A. Linlithgow Friend, £1; Mrs E. M. W., Wales, £5; Mrs T., £1; D. M.L., 12s 6d; Christian Friends, per W. J. G., 13s 6d; Mrs R., Paisley, 10s; Mrs W., Dundee, £2; Miss M., £1 1s; J. M., 10s; Mrs C., Dunoon, £1; Miss S., Kington, 1s 8d; W. T., China, 5s.

Consumption Sanatoria.—J. C., £250; Miss T., Greenock, "In memory of her mother," 10s; Miss M., £1 1s.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—H. D., £2; Mrs E. M. W., Wales, £5; Miss M., £1 1s.

Week ending August 28.—Miss H. M., Perth, 2s 6d; Mrs W. R. G., Greenock, £5; Miss J. M., Detroit, 5s; Mrs R., Kirkwall, per Miss G., £1; "Alice, Willie, and Jessie," £1; Miss J. C., Elgin, 5s; Employees D. & J. T., Ltd., Clydebank, £3 3s; Livingston Station S.S., 10s; A. S., Arbroath, "In loving remembrance," £1; K. & Co., Bootle, £3; C. K., do., £1; C. M. Co., £10; Miss J. C., Cockburnspath, £1; East U.F. Church S.S., Strathaven, £1; Kildalton and Oa P.C., £5 5ss A. O., £9 18s 6d; I. M. B., £5; Mrs A., £1 10s; Mrs F., 7s; R. B., per C.O.S., £1 1s; Mrs W., Helensburgh, 10s; A. S., Alvah, £1; Mr and Mrs M., Edinburgh, 10s.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for ORPHAN HOMES between 1st and 31st August.—Carnwath Parish Church S.S., 10s; T. R. R., £50; J. A., £1; Trustees of John Christie, Esq., of Cowden, per Messrs R. R. Simpson & Lawson, £88 11s 3d; J. S., 7s 8d; W. S. W., £2.

Week ending September 4.—Victoria Park U.F. Church S.S., Partick, £1 16s 3d; C. J., Udney, £1 10s; C. F., Galashiels, £1; A. O., £11 19s 3d; G. G., New Orleans, U.S.A., £3 3s; Beauls S.S., 7s 6d; Mrs W., Longriggend, "In memory of my dear son," £1; A. D., Fraserburgh, 10s; Mr M., Swansea, £5; A wee thankoffering, £1; Mrs M.M., 10s; W. N., Leadhills, 5s; H. M. R., Edinburgh, 10s; Mr and Mrs C., China, £1; "E. R. T.," 10s; Mission Hall S.S., Thornliebank, 10s; Found in boxes at Bridge of Weir, £5 5s 6d; W. P. T., Greenock, 2s 7d; A Friend, £1; Catrine Parish Church S.S., 12s; Jas. M. A., Canada, £5 2s 8d; A grateful girl, Marion M.L., 10s; Friends visiting at Dunoon, 10s; Misses A., West Linton, £2; Dyce U.F. Church S.S., 13s; Cairney P.C., £7 15s; Miss D., Nairn, 10s; H. D., London, £1; Miss S., West Kilbride, 5s; Mrs D. C., Lasswade, £3; Miss C., Edinburgh, £1; J. M., Alloa, 10s; Children's Shore Services, Dunoon, £2.

Week ending September 11.—Mrs O., Greenock, 6s; Boys' and Girls' Religious Association, Dundee, £5 18s; "J. C. B.," £1 10s; Crown Terrace Baptist Church S.S., Aberdeen, £1; "Alice, Willie, and Jessie," £1; "In memory of W. J. L.," £5; Miss M.E., 5s; Mrs T., 10s; S. and S.F.A., Kirkintilloch, £4 2s 6d; A. O., £11 14s 2d; Misses W., Clydebank, 10s; Lintmill S.S., Campbeltown, 5s; S.N.S.P.C.C., Hamilton, £5 4s; Mrs D., Edinburgh, £2 2s; Anon., £1; Cults U.F. Church S.S., 15s; "M. F. W.," £1 10s; Mrs B., 3s; A Friend, Greenock, £1; Cardross P.C., £28 3s 6d; Mrs W., 8s; A. M.F., Omagh, 5s; Miss M. B., Edinburgh, 10s; Mr S., Hawick, £1; Mr N., Bristol, 5s; Mrs De G., 10s; R. R. M. M., London, £3; A. L., Aberdeen, 2s 6d; Paisley C.M.S., Ltd., £2; "J. B. M.," Perth, 2s 6d; J. M.G., 10s; Mrs M.N., per D. J. F., £1; Anon., Peterhead p.m., £5; Illuminations on Portobello Sands, £2 10s; D. F., Crieff, £1; Miss M., Montrose, £1; "Y. W.," Montrose, £1; Separation allowance, £18 12s 10d; A. A. M., 5s.

Consumption Sanatoria.—R. R. M. M., London, £1; Paisley C.M.S., Ltd., £2.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—R. R. M. M., London, £1; Paisley C.M.S., Ltd., £2.

Week ending September 18.—2nd Senior B.C. of Trinity U.F. Church, Cambuslang, 10s; Mrs U., Musselburgh, 10s; Motherwell Baptist Church S.S., £1 11s 6d; Collected in box in Wm. Graham & Co.'s, £5 0s 3d; Part *Legacy* of the late Mr A. Macintyre, Harrogate, £360; Mrs G., Canada, £4 2s 1d; S. A. W., Penrith, 10s; P. H. A., £5; Templand S.S., Lockerbie, £1; Wormit U.F. Church S.S., 15s; A. O., £10 18s 6d; Miss F., Fordoun, £1; Miss M. C., £3; A. M., Arbroath, £1; Tillicoultry U.F. Church S.S., 14s 6d; A. R., £2 10s; S.S. Scholars of Martindale, 2s 6d; A small donation from No. 32, 5s; Miss L., 3s; W. S., Lesmahagow, £18; J. R. C., Edinburgh, 7s 6d; H. K., Kapuka, N.Z., £2; S. and S.F.A., Falkirk, £1 1s 8d; S.N.S.P.C.C., Perth, £2 10s; Mrs B., £2; Miss C., 5s; G. C. T., Canada, £1 1s; Wigtown U.F. Church S.S., 14s 3d; Misses A., £2; An old worker's mite, 2s; A Member of Strathbungo, £1; W. G., Edinburgh, 5s; Kirkcaldy and Dysart P.C., £18 17s; W. D. N., Mill Bay B.C., £3 1s 7d; A. O., £1 10s; J. S., Stronsay, £1.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—"Two Friends," £3.

Week ending September 25.—Mrs A., £1; A. H. M., £1; Q. Y., £12; Miss J. M., Detroit, 5s; The Beehive, St. Andrews, £1; A. O., £14 3s 6d; Miss M. S., North Berwick, £2; Miss H., Scone, £2 2s; "Alice, Willie, and Jessie," £1; J. M., Alloa, 10s; S. and S.F.A., Falkirk, £5 8s 4d; Darvel S.S. Union Annual Flower Service, 8s; Fraserburgh Baptist Church S.S., £2; Mrs K., £1; With love and prayer, 2s; J. D., Auchterarder, 5s; Luss Woman's Guild, £2 2s; J. C., Dundee, 5s; Spey Boot Works B.C., Aberdeen, £1 7s 3d; Miss F. R., 12s; Miss P., Helensburgh, £1; Mrs T., £1; S.N.S.P.C.C., Edinburgh, £3 15s; J. & A. G., Kilbirnie, £1; "Teach us Lord how much we owe," £30; Mrs S., Leith, 5s; "Of Thine Own," 10s; In behalf of family helped, £26.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for ORPHAN HOMES between 1st and 30th September.—Lylesland U.F. Church S.S., Paisley, £1; Dividend on R.P. Shares, £1 6s 9d; Pollok U.F. Church Mission S.S., 5s 5d; Rhinsdale U.F. Church S.S., Baillieston, £1 7s 7d; Camphill U.F. Church S.S. Society, £1 10s; Gospel Hall S.S., Clydebank, £1 10s; Dalziel C.S., Ltd., Motherwell, £3; St. Andrew's Parish Church S.S., 13s; Mrs A. S., £15; Burnside S.S., £1; Miss T. M. P., £20; Mr and Mrs D. I., Kilmacollm, £1.

Consumption Sanatoria.—"M. F. W.," 2s 6d.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for CONSUMPTION SANATORIA between 1st and 30th September.—J. M. & Son, £1 1s.

Week ending October 2.—"A.," £1; Mrs G. T., Lauder, £1; Killearn Woman's Guild, £5; Mrs M., Clydebank, 10s; Mrs B., £1; S. and S.F.A., £12 8s 7d; Miss R., Worcester, 3s 6d; "In Memoriam, Birthday Offering," 10s; A. O., £13 13s 6d; A little Girl, Shotts, per Miss T., 4s; Misses S., Uddingston, £2; Anon., 3s; Mr and Mrs B., 10s; "In loving memory of the 29th," £1; "In loving memory," £5; "Mother and Children in memory of Mr Quarrier," £4; "In memory of a loved one

gone home," £2; "In loving memory," £1; J. F., 10s; "K.," £2 1s 2d; Mrs G., £2; "Topaz," 2s 6d; Miss B., £1; (W. W. N., £3; Mrs B., 2s 6d), per C.O.S.; Mrs F., £1; Found in boxes at Bridge of Weir, £2 0s 1½d; Miss D., Kilmacollm, £1; "A. F.," £1 10s; Mrs M.M., 10s; Towards maintenance of children helped, £3 6s; Anon., 10s; Miss T. R., Newport, Fife, 2s 6d; F. P. M., Bridge of Allan, £2; Rosebank U.F. Church S.S., Cambuslang, £2 10s; Mrs F., Rothesay, 5s; Mrs S., 15s; Towards maintenance of children helped, £5 14s 5d.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Mr and Mrs B., 5s.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—Employees Rankin & Blackmore, Ltd., Greenock, £1 1s.

Week ending October 9.—Miss M., Forres, 10s; A. O., £24 7s 9d; S. and S.F.A., Falkirk, £5 1s 8d; S.N.S.P.C.C., Edinburgh, £20 15s; Miss G. K.'s penny a week box, Kilmacollm, 4s 6d; Mr N., Bridge-of-Weir, 10s; "Alice, Willie, and Jessie," £1; A. O., £12 2s 10d; F. L. H., Edinburgh, £4 1s 4d; J. F., Motherwell, £1 1s; Auchterderran P.C., £15 12s; Mrs U., Musselburgh, 10s; J. S. L., Langholm, £1 5s; Mrs A., Keswick, £10; Compensation money, £7 10s; J. M., Alloa, 10s; Miss H., Troon, 5s; W. A. C., £1; Mrs F., 7s; Largs Parish Church Work Party, £5; "M. E. Y.," 5s; Miss T. M., 1s; Miss C., Bridge-of-Weir, 10s; H. H. B., Rutherglen, £1 1s; "12th September, In memory of little Willie's birthday," 10s; Mr M.K., Edinburgh, £1 2s; J. H., Sowerby Bridge, 2s 6d; Westport Hall, S.S. Kilsyth, £1; Mrs W., 8s; R. P., £2 2s; Employees of S. Gilchrist, Hamilton, £1 1s; J. W., Hamilton, £1 1s; Dull P.C., £5; Mrs C., Giffnock, £1; Mary M.C., 5s; Mrs B., Peterhead, £1; Anon., Dundee, p.m., £2; Mrs R., Duns, £1; J. R. C. & Co., £2 2s; Nurse R., 10s; Laurencekirk P.C., £15; A. R. D., Darlington, £20.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Miss M., Forres, 10s; Employees of S. Gilchrist, Hamilton, £1 1s; J. W., Hamilton, £1 1s.

Week ending October 16.—"Inasmuch," 10s; A.L., Aberdeen, 2s 6d; Mrs M.K., Kennoway, £1; W. B., Highbridge, 5s; D. F., Crieff, £1; Miss Y., Brechin, £1; Mrs S., Culter, £1; Bengal Hall Harvest Thanksgiving Service, Lockerbie, £1 3s 6d; Hillhead Baptist Church S.S., £2 5s 6d; Wellpark U.F. Church Children's Service, £2 1s 7d; Miss M.C., £2; Rockvill U.F. Church B.C., 10s; A. O., £11 18s 6d; Pitlochry Parish Church S.S., £2; Miss R. M. A., Dunlop, £1; "A small offertory in Crawfordton Chapel," 9s 6d; A. M., Arbroath, £1; West Kilbride Parish Church S.S., £1 1s; Female Mission Sabbath Afternoon Meeting, Arbroath, 10s; Miss R., Aberdeen, 4s; Miss E. P. S., St. Andrews, £2 2s; Mrs H., Edinburgh, £5; Miss R. and Girls in Minister's Daughters' College, Edinburgh, £2; W. D., Dunning, £2 10s; G. M. H., Rutherglen, £5; J. B., 10s; R. H. M., Aberdeen, 10s; J. L. H., Thoralby, £5; J. G., Edinburgh, £1 1s; St. John' U.F. Church S.S., Dundee, £1 3s; Miss M. M.E., 5s; W. M.M., Beith, 2s 6d; Mr M.M., Carsphairn, 4s 6d; W. M. R., Musselburgh, 5s; Miss A. B., Burrelton, 2s 6d; High U.F. Church S.S., Dundee, 10s; Mrs F., Greenock, 5s; Misses M., Dalmuir, £1; St. Andrew's Place U.F. Church S.S., Leith, £1; Parish Church Junior Guild, Banff, £1; Mrs S., Grantown-on-Spey, £2 2s; A. O., £2 10s; Mrs R., £10; Mrs B., £1 10s; John and Guthrie D., £1; Miss H. M., Bucklyvie, £1; J. M., Alloa, 10s; "George and his Sisters," £3 11s; Mrs M., "a small birthday gift," £10; Mrs A., Grantown, £2; "In loving memory," £1; "In Memoriam, 16/10/03," £5.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Misses M., Dalmuir, 10s.

Week ending October 23.—Mrs C., Row, £1; S. & S.F.A., Falkirk, £6 10s; A. O., £4 14s 6d; Mrs A., £1; A. M.K., Biggar, £5; Miss J. M., Detroit, 5s; A. O., £11 8s 6d; Morningside Baptist Church Junior C.E., Edinburgh, 5s; "Alice, Willie, and Jessie," £1; Mr and Mrs J. C., High Blantyre, 10s; Morningside Parish Church S.S., Edinburgh, 10s; A. B., £1 1s; Mr and Misses J., Edinburgh, £1; Bothwell P.C., £5; "I.," 2s 6d; E. R., £1; D. B., Montreal, 12s 4d; J. Y. T., Edinburgh, 10s; Miss F., 10s; "J. H. R.," Bradford, £2; Mr and Mrs C., China, £2; Bellshill E.U. Congregational S.S., 10s; St. John's U.F. Church S.S., Gourrock, £1; "B. B.," 15s; Readers of the *Christian*, £8 18s 6d; A. O., £1; J. B., Greenock, £12; S.C.W.S., Ltd., £30; J. S. S., Kincardine-on-Forth, £1; "J. C. B.," £2 5s; "C. T.," 1s; Mrs M., Strathaven, 5s; S. and S.F.A., Kirkintilloch, £4 19s; J. A. B., Paisley, £10, and £25 (Emigration); An old worker's mite, 2s; Mrs J. M. H., Nelson, N.Z., 5s; Miss M.L., Forres, 5s; S.N.S.P.C.C., Edinburgh, £9 19s 6d; *Residue* of estate of the late Mrs Scott, per Mr W. F. Stewart, Turiff, £19 10s 4d; Mrs T., £1.

Consumption Sanatoria.—J. A. B., Paisley, £10.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—T. J. B., £2; J. A. B., Paisley, £5.

Week ending October 30.—D. T., £1; Miss W., Marple Bridge, 10s; Misses M.C., Dunoon, 3s; Mr and Mrs F., Holytown, 10s; Miss P., Edinburgh, £1; Millburn U.F. Church S.S., Renton, 10s; Ebenezer Hall S.S., Halfway, £1; J. M.L., £5 8s; Miss A., Dollar, £1; Towards maintenance of children helped, £5 5s; Miss R., 12s; Mr and Mrs C., Greenock, £5; Mrs M.D., 10s; Mrs H., Greenock, £10; "An aged widow," £1; S.N.S.P.C.C., £7; A. O., £12 8s 6d; W. R., Dumfries, £1 2s 6d; (J. F., £5; Mrs J. R. G. R., £1 1s; Col. J. S., £1 1s; T. M. S., Clydebank, £2; Miss S., 2s 6d; J. K. & Co., Ltd., 21s)—the above sums per C.O.S.; Mrs F., £1; Greenhead U.F. Church S.S., £1 10s; Glasgow Typographical Society, £2 2s; Battlefield Sen. B.C., £1; Mrs M., Newcastle-on-Tyne, "In memory of our dear Elsie's birthday," £1; Miss L., Stennes, 10s; Mrs E. L., Newton-Mearns, £5; Mrs R.'s B.C., Airdrie, 10s; Friends at Southport, £1; "W. G. L.," Swatow, £2; Dysart Parish Church S.S., £1; Wellpark U.F. Church S.S., £2 8s 6d; J. M., 10s; B. & S. and Employees, £2; G. R. B., Broughton, £1; Mrs M.M., 10s; S. and S.F.A., Falkirk, £6 10s; Yarrow & Co.'s Employees' Hospital Fund Committee, £10; G. & M. L. M., £12; Found in boxes at Bridge-of-Weir, £1 7s 9½d.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for ORPHAN HOMES between 1st and 31st October.—Queen's Cross U.F. Church S.S., 10s; J. S., London, £50; D. S. A., £2; Miss Weir's Trust, per Messrs Fyfe & Murray, £10; *Legacy* of the late Mrs A. Blair, Torrance, per R. A. Rennie, Esq., £45; *Legacy* of the late Robert Muir, Esq., per Messrs A. & R. B. Stewart, £351 15s; Queen's Park West U.F. Church S.S., £1 1s; H. E. F., £2 2s; *Legacy* of the late Mrs Elizabeth Sinclair, per Messrs Black, M'Clure & M'Donald, £18 3s 3d; Partick High U.F. Church S.S., £1 4s 7d; "R. G. L.," £5; Employees Clyde Paper Co., Ltd., £1 1s; Mr and Mrs R. D. F., £5 5s; Bellshill and District S.S. Union, £1; Stevenston C.S., Ltd., £1 1s; Thomas Porter Equipment Fund, £150; L. & Co., £3; J. G., Skelmorlie, £5; *Legacy* of the late Miss Agnes Fleming, Gourrock, per Messrs Cowan, Clapperton & Barclay, £508 19s 9d.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Mrs J. R. G. R., per C.O.S., 2s 6d.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for CONSUMPTION SANATORIA between 1st and 31st October.—J. S., London, £50.

DONATIONS OF CLOTHING, PROVISIONS, Etc.

Week ending November 7.—Marykirk Branch Y.W.C.A., 11 articles clothing; Miss L., Bo'ness, used clothing; Anon., used clothing; Mrs W., Selkirk, 17 articles clothing and $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen handkerchiefs; Trustees of the late Miss M'Master, box of used clothing; Mrs T., Lauder, 9 sections honey.

Week ending November 14.—Anon., used clothing; Miss P., Biggar, used jackets and skirt; Anon., used magazines; Miss M., used carpet and odds and ends; N.M., teabread; Anon., 4 pairs socks and 2 pairs stockings; S. M'D., used clothing; Miss B. G.'s Knitting Guild, 14 articles clothing; Miss O., 2 pairs socks and 4 pairs stockings; Chryston Senior Branch Y.W.C.A., 57 articles clothing; Miss A., Pittenweem, used clothing for Sanatoria; Miss L., Linlithgow, 2 barrels apples; D. P., 1 bag whole rice.

Week ending November 21.—Mrs R. C., Kirkintilloch, 1 suit and 1 costume; Mrs J. C., do., 2 suits; J. R., Largs, 34 packets flaked rice; Mrs W., Ayr, 11 articles clothing; Miss L. M., Ayr, 6 articles clothing; Miss M., Edinburgh, 8 articles clothing; Children's Aid Society, London, parcel of music; Miss A., Barrhead, clothing for Sanatoria; H. P., 500 "Gospel in a Nutshell," V. B., Ltd., 53 loaves; Miss M., old books; Workers at Glen Fincastle, 22 articles clothing; Uddingston Branch S.G.F.S., 17 articles clothing; Miss F., Campbeltown, 10 articles clothing; Mrs C., Giffnock, 14 articles clothing; Anon., Moffat p.m., used boots.

Week ending November 28.—Mrs F., Callander, 13 articles clothing and some used clothing; N. M., rolls and cakes; Anon., Largs p.m., used clothing; M. R., men's used clothing for Sanatoria; Y.W.C.A., Tobermory, 30 articles clothing; Mrs R., Cupar, 2 articles clothing; Additional from Workers at Glen Fincastle, 4 articles clothing; Mrs R., 4 articles clothing, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ yards flannel, and some used Christmas cards; Miss W., Dunning, 7 articles clothing and some used garments; Mrs F., St. Andrews, used clothing and sundries; Mrs P., Rothesay, used clothing; Rutherglen Baptist Church Junior C.E. Society, 24 articles clothing; Lauder B.W.T.A., 29 articles clothing; Miss K., Edinburgh, 4 pairs stockings.

Week ending December 5.—J. A., pies; T. A., Carleton, 3 cheeses; Miss M'C., Prestwick, neckwear with fur; Mrs J. S., 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen toys; Miss R., Edinburgh, 23 articles clothing; Mrs M'K., Kennoway, 4 pairs stockings and 1 pair cuffs; Miss B., Burntisland, 18 articles clothing; Miss T., do., 4 articles clothing.

Week ending December 12.—Miss M'A. M'illport, 4 pairs stockings; Miss J. S., Thurso, 6 articles clothing; J. G. F. & Co., used stamps; Miss R., Kilmarnock, 18 trimmed hats; Mrs B., London, 3 articles clothing, used gloves, collar, etc.; W. B., Dumbarton, 109 articles clothing; T. H., Maybole, 8 pairs boots, 3 pairs slippers, 2 caps, and 1 hat; Mrs K., Milton of Campsie, 6 used garments; Miss F., Balloch, 5 articles clothing; Religious Tract Society, London, books and other publications; Anon., Oban, used clothing; Miss F., 2 articles clothing; Anon., 21 books; Misses M. and H. C., Lasswade, 7 articles clothing; Mrs J. I., Cardross, used clothing; Mrs M., used rocking horse; Miss O., Anstruther, 22 articles clothing; J. & A. P., 2 tins apples; Miss M., Lanark, used clothing; R. C. M., Kilbarchan, toys, etc., from his little boy; Miss D., High Blantyre, 2 used garments; Anon., 2 pairs stockings for Sanatoria and 2s 1d in stamps for Colony; Miss W., Pittenweem, 6 yards flannelette, and 3 yards wincey; Annan Congregational Church, 27 articles clothing; J. S. B., Kelso, quantity of rope and some brooms; A. M., Arbroath, 12 pairs stockings; Miss B., Govan, 4 pairs stockings; Nurse M., Stoer, 1 dozen eggs; Miss E. R., Gourrock, 1 lb. sweets and 14 strings beads; Miss T., Helensburgh, 12 pairs stockings; Misses C., Sauchen, 4 pairs stockings and 1 garment; M., used post-cards.

Week ending December 19.—Miss L. C., Motherwell, 2 balls and 1 skipping rope; Mrs C. and Son, Beith, 11 articles clothing; Anon., 6 articles clothing and some pamphlets; Anon., 11 articles clothing and 37 booklets; T. G. C., 64 rabbits; Helensburgh Y.W.C.A., 22 articles clothing; Anon., booklets; Calico Printers' Association, trimming; Miss N. A. S., Edinburgh, 3 scrap books; J. M., Tullymet, men's used clothing; Mrs M. S. H., Penrith, 3 pairs socks; D. F., Crieff, 2 ivory frames and 2 ebony boxes; Anon., men's used clothing; Anon., used clothing; F. W. & T. G. W., Paisley, 2 dozen pairs stockings and 6 dozen garments; Mrs S., Helensburgh, 1 pair stockings; Miss R., Peebles, 9 brooches and 12 hat pins; A Friend, per Miss H. A., 18 articles clothing; handkerchiefs, belt, etc.; Miss W., Maryport, 5 articles clothing; Mrs MacG., Milnathort, 10 knitted balls; C. M., Cardross, 61 toys, books, etc.; Stromness North U.F. Church Work Party, 2 pairs stockings; 2 pairs socks, 2 small woollen vests; Mrs and Misses G., Edinburgh, 2 jerseys, 1 pair stockings, and 2 caps; Mrs F., 11 articles new and 7 articles used clothing and 3 books; Miss J. M. C., Edinburgh, 15 articles under-clothing; J. L., Kirkcaldy, 11 articles clothing; Mrs M., used clothing; St. Leonard's School, St. Andrews, 15 articles clothing; T. Bros., Kilmarnock, parcel clothing; Apsley Place Work Party, quantity clothing, dolls, toys, etc.

Week ending December 26.—Miss G., Liverpool, 1 book; N. M., 2 dozen white and 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen currant loaves; F. E. D., London, 108 pheasants; T. G. & Co., Airdrie, parcel of cloth; Mrs A., Grantown-on-Spey, 2 pairs socks and 2 body belts; Mrs and Misses R., Edinburgh, 6 dolls and 2 under vests; A. & G. W., Clydebank, 2 scarves; Mrs W., Swansea, 4 garments; Miss B., 2 overalls, 1 book, 1 pair stockings; Anon., parcel used boys' clothing; Miss N., Edinburgh, 6 articles new and 4 articles used clothing; Mrs Wm. T. and Miss S., 56 articles and 18 pairs cuffs; Miss M. W., Sandbank, 11 articles clothing; W. G., Johnstone, quantity boys' ties and collars; Mrs G., Newton-Stewart, 4 rabbits, 2 fowls, 2 lbs. butter, new and used clothing; Miss J., Edinburgh, 25 useful articles clothing; Miss R., Airdrie, 49 articles clothing, including socks knitted by old lady of 93 years; T. C. N., Ltd., 2 sheep; Miss N. K. M., Cupar, 1 used frock; Miss D., per Mrs T., 4 petticoats; Mrs F., St. Andrews, 11 articles clothing and gifts for Christmas trees; Cowdenbeath Y.W.C.A. Sale of Work, 6 articles clothing and 8 dolls; Miss M., Ayr, 5 articles clothing; 1 cot quilt, and 1 doll; Markinch Branch S.G.F.S., 16 pairs stockings; Mrs W., Aberdeen, 26 articles new and 9 articles used clothing; Misses G., Paisley, 40 articles clothing, 7 yards print, and 10 yards wincey; Miss W., 2 dozen crackers for Elim; Miss C. B., Selkirk, 4 small vests; Mrs G., 1 cake; Mrs M., Cardross, 4 vests and 3 pairs stockings; Church of Christ Dorcas Society, 12 articles clothing and 12 pairs stockings; Mr B., 1 sack oatmeal; Mrs R., Longforgan, 16 articles clothing; Mrs L., Dunning, 7 articles clothing; Mrs R. H., Dumbarton, 2 games and 2 picture books "for two wee Willies"; Mrs M., Gartly, 3 pairs stockings; Mr and Miss C., Cleland, sweets for Bethesda girls; Mrs L., London, 15 articles clothing; D. G. P., 9 packets and 1,000 loose bulbs; M. R. L., Selkirk, 3 hoods, 1 hat, and 2 dolls; Miss M'G., Edinburgh, 2 frocks;

Mr and Mrs W. A. C., bag of sweets for all the children and patients; Mrs D., Auchterarder, 18 articles clothing and 1 teapot stand; N. M., quantity loaves, rolls, and teabread.

Week ending January 2.—Morton Parish Church Women's Guild, Thornhill, 50 articles clothing, 4 remnants, tea, cakes, sausages, etc.; H. M'L., 32 articles clothing; Mrs M'D., quantity scones, etc.; Miss P., Largs, 2 articles clothing; Mr and Mrs P., Lenzie, Christmas gifts for children in Bethesda and Elise; Mrs F. S., 14 pairs combinations and 14 petticoats; B. Bros., 55 dozen currant loaves; J. M. & Co., parcel remnants; Teachers and Scholars, St. Ninians Church, Brechin, 74 articles clothing, toys, and books; Mr and Mrs M., Edinburgh, 5 cases oranges; Mrs M., Cardross, 6 pairs stockings; Miss F.'s, Y.W.C.A. Class, Stonehaven, 18 articles clothing, needle books, dolls, workbags, etc.; Mr and Mrs J. S., 30 books; Mrs R., 2 shirts and 2 toys; R. C., Ayr, 72 pairs boys' boots; Mrs C., Garelochhead, 21 articles clothing; W. T., Ltd., 6 footballs; Patients and Staff at Sanatoria, clothing, toys, books, etc., for Christmas trees; A. S. M., Brechin, foreign and other stamps; C. M., Cardross, 17 rabbits; Some members of Baptist Church, Cupar-Fife, 44 articles clothing; J. B., Sanitas products; Mrs S., Doune, 4 articles and 2 articles used clothing; Mr L., 1 basket of bread; Mrs J., 1 used boy's overcoat; Anon., 38 rabbits; Anon., Roseneath, 5 booklets; J. H. R., basket teabread and some loaves; Stevenson U.F. Church S.S., 2 toys; Mrs J., West Kilbride, 1 petticoat and 7 yards cloth; Miss A. W., Edinburgh, 41 articles and 5 used articles clothing.

Week ending January 9.—Mrs B., Helensburgh, used toys; Miss B.'s S.S. Class, North U.F. Church, Keith, 27 articles and 2 used articles clothing, ribbon, toy, and books; Hope Park U.F. Church S.S., Edinburgh, 36 articles stockings, gloves, etc., books, toys, and 1 dozen handkerchiefs; M. C., Kilmacolm, 6 dollies and a game; Mr J., 1 basket teabread; Mrs C., Monkton, 4 pairs stockings; Girls' Club, Gilcomston U.F. Church, Aberdeen, 10 dolls; Miss M. B. G., Shetland, 2 shawls; Candidates, Broxburn Branch S.G.F.S., 56 articles clothing, toys, picture books, and sweets; Broomknoll U.F. Church S.S., Airdrie, box of toys and sweets and fruit; Miss C., sen., Edinburgh, 2 yards tweed; Mrs T. G. R., Bournemouth, 2 dozen old Christmas cards and some used clothing; The Munches, Dalbeattie, 9 articles clothing; Mrs M., Anstruther, 4 articles and 12 used articles clothing; Mrs B., Edinburgh, 1 game, used dolls and clothing; Mrs J. W., Gourrock, 12 scarves; Largs Evangelical Mission, 254 articles clothing and 83 pairs stockings; J. C., Son & Co., Stewarton, 17 scarves and oddments; R. H., 1 cake; Mrs M. A., S. St. Fergus, 18 articles clothing and some oddments; N. M., 1 basket of teabread; A. & M'A., quantity of bulbs.

Week ending January 16.—Anon., 13 articles clothing; Sir R. W. B.-J., Lockerbie, 60 pheasants; Miss O., North Berwick, 15 jerseys; Hallside Parish Church S.S., 1 pair gloves, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen handkerchiefs, toys, and dolls; W. R., Aberdeen, 50 boys' shirts; Miss T., Edinburgh, little dresses; Miss E. M. B., 1 book; Miss L., Peebles, 2 knitted hoods; J. J., basket of rolls and basket teabread; Queen Mary Guild, 250 pairs socks; Mrs W., Dolphinton, 17 articles clothing; Miss S. L., do., 1 night-dress; K. & Co., quantity of bulbs; Dunning B.W.T.A. Work Party, 75 articles clothing; Miss R., Kilmarnock, 25 hats; Mrs S., Ealing, used clothing; A few Friends, Lochgilphead, 25 articles clothing; Miss B. D. L., Aberdeen, 16 articles clothing; Miss F. B., Berwick-on-Tweed, 7 articles clothing and 1 yard ribbon.

Week ending January 23.—Miss M., Berwick-on-Tweed, 9 articles clothing; Miss B., Greenock, used clothing; W. S., Melrose, 86 articles used clothing; Miss C. and Friends in Anstruther, 34 articles clothing; Miss D., Leith, used clothing and 1 cut worsted; Broughton Work Party, 201 articles clothing and quantity of provisions; V. B., hamper of Veda bread; A few Friends, per Mrs G., 142 articles clothing, collars, print, dolls, toys, and picture books; Miss W., 8 pairs stockings; D. & J. P., 1 case oranges; Lady B.-J., 40 pheasants; Miss L., used clothing.

Week ending January 30.—R. S., Alva, model of coal mine; Y.W.C.A., Cupar-Fife, 11 pairs stockings; E.B.D.B. and J.B., Blackshields, 22 articles clothing and cards; Mrs W., Aberdeen, 4 articles clothing; Mrs L., used clothing; Miss G., Paisley, 30 hats; Mrs G., Blairgowrie, used clothing; Miss M'K., Kennoway, 8 articles clothing; Additional from Miss C. and Friends in Anstruther, 12 articles clothing; Miss H. H. W., Leslie, 6 articles clothing and 3 ribbons; Mrs W., Gourrock, 1 vol. "Sunday at Home"; Miss W., Dunning, 10 articles clothing.

Week ending February 6.—Mrs M., Dunoon, 6 scarves; Workers at Glen Fincastle, 5 articles clothing; Mrs C., Tillicoultry, 8 pairs socks and stockings and 1 dozen handkerchiefs; R. B., 5 cases oranges; Miss T., Musselburgh, 30 articles clothing; Miss H., Paisley, 56 articles clothing, 3 yards wincey, etc.; Misses D., Strathaven, 2 parcels hats, etc.

Week ending February 13.—Kelvin Street Mission Children's and Young People's Meeting, 3 vols. "British Messenger"; Miss M., Laurencekirk, 43 articles clothing; Mrs M., New Pitsligo, 7 articles clothing; W. N., used clothing; Mrs M., Galashiels, used clothing; T. G. T., 54 rabbits; Miss G., Hawick, 20 articles clothing; Miss C. C., Helensburgh, 9 articles clothing and doll; S.G.F.S. and Friends, Callander, 400 garments, hats, books, cake, and sweets; Tayport Y.W.C.A., 15 articles clothing; Canmore Congregational Church Sewing Society, Dunfermline, 150 articles clothing, dolls, sweets, and picture books; Mrs G., Govan, 27 articles new and some used clothing; Miss F., Campbeltown, 31 articles clothing and 2 pairs used boots.

Week ending February 20.—W. R., Aberdeen, 20 shirts; Anon., $\frac{1}{2}$ chest tea; Mrs B., Dalry, 1 cheese; S. M'F., 46 tweed hats and caps; Netherton Laundry, Anniesland, used clothing and toys; N. M., tea bread; Mrs W., North Berwick, 3 pairs socks; Mrs R. S., Bridge-of-Weir, 6 used story books; G. I., 6 used story books; Miss G., Edinburgh, dolls' clothing; Cupar Y.W.C.A., 5 pairs stockings; Miss M. J. S., Holm, 1 pair stockings and 3 used garments; Mrs M'K., Chesterfield, 3 scarves; Miss F. S., Portobello, 2 dresses; Mrs S., Douglas, used clothing; T. G. C., 52 rabbits.

Week ending February 27.—Mrs C., 50 pairs stockings; Work Party, Lochgilphead, 16 articles clothing; Mrs M., Galashiels, 3 pairs stockings and 1 pair gloves; Mrs C., Giffnock, 32 articles clothing; Miss S., Larkhall, 9 articles clothing; Mr and Mrs S. M., West Kirby, 60 "Travellers' Guide"; Anon., 4 articles clothing, cloth doll, and dog; T. G. C., 36 rabbits; Miss W., Dunning, 13 articles clothing; West U.F. Church Women's Guild, Forfar, 20 articles clothing.

Week ending March 6.—N. M., teabread; Anon., 4 pairs stockings; R. B., Aberystwyth, 13 pairs slippers and 15 pairs boots and shoes; J. M'C., Wishaw, men's used clothing; M. H. M'B., Shettleston, cloth; C. M., Cardross, 1 case oranges; D. A., Kilsyth, used clothing; Miss D., Burntisland, 3 articles clothing; Miss L., Kilsyth, 1 dozen hats; M. & M. W., Edinburgh, 10 articles clothing;

Mrs S. B., Cardiff, used clothing; Mrs D., Holytown, used clothing; Mrs G., London, 11 articles clothing.

Week ending March 13.—Miss J. W. M'K., Bishopton, 2 scrap books and magazines; Mrs J. B. C., Tunbridge Wells, 5 articles clothing; A few Friends in Strathaven, 4 quilts, used jacket, and Christmas cards; Mrs K. and two Maids, Edinburgh, 12 pillow slips; Miss Y., Paisley, 24 hats and 20 caps; Mrs S., Port-Glasgow, 102 articles clothing; Mrs J. S. C., Strathaven, 3 articles clothing, scrap book, and pamphlets; Misses L., Paisley, 29 hats and 2 bonnets; Mrs L., used jacket and vest; A. & G. W., Clydebank, 18 pairs gloves; Anon., 4 dolls and 4 dolls' hats; Do., men's used clothing, cuffs, etc.; B. & P., Paisley, 11 boxes Zesto custard powder.

Week ending March 20.—Mrs R., Saltcoats, 35 articles clothing; Mrs L., Edinburgh, used Christmas cards; Mrs Y., Edinburgh, used clothing; Miss C., Kilmacoll, 11 articles clothing; kettle holder and 3 booklets; Campbeltown Branch Queen Mary's Work for Women Guild, 20 articles clothing; "Fellowship," 99 boxes kippers; Mrs S. B., Cardiff, used clothing; Miss J., Perth, 11 articles clothing; W. D., Dunning, 3½ tons potatoes; Mrs P., Kilmacoll, plants and shrubs; T. G. C., 40 rabbits; D. M. & Co., 57 articles clothing for Homes and 21 articles for Sanatoria; C. M., 30 articles clothing.

Week ending March 27.—Mrs W., Swansea, 21 articles new and used clothing, print, trimming, and crochet cotton; Mrs F., Paisley, 9 articles clothing; T. Bros., Kilmarnock, parcel of sundries; J. C., used clothing; I. S., Kilwinning, 6 picture books; N. M., teabread; A. F. R. & Sons, teabread; Mrs M'P., Helensburgh, used clothing; Mrs B., used clothing; Mrs B., 7 articles clothing and 7 hats and caps; W. D., quantity of magazines; Mrs G., S. Ronaldshay, 5 articles clothing; Miss O., North Berwick, 15 jerseys; A. R. & S. H., Glenluce, sundries; Mrs Y., Edinburgh, used man's coat; Miss E. G., Finzean, odds and ends of worsted; Anon., Inverkeithing p.m., 3 used hats; Miss C. C., 3 boxes hats.

Week ending April 3.—Auchingramont U.F. Church Ladies' Work Party, Hamilton, 121 articles clothing; W. M., Alexandria, used clothing for Sanatoria; Misses A., Wooler, 12 hats and 4 bonnets; Mrs L. D., Cardross, 100 articles clothing; Y.W.C.A., Moffat, 39 articles clothing; Mrs S., Elderslie, 8 articles clothing; Misses E. and I. H., Peebles, 4 pairs socks; N. M., teabread; Anon., Moffat, used shoes; Mrs E., Annan, 3 articles clothing; Mrs N., Annan, 11 articles clothing; Misses W., Dunning, 2 costumes and coats, 3 pairs stockings; Mrs C., Lochgilphead, used clothing; Lochgilphead Y.W.C.A., 30 articles clothing.

Week ending April 10.—Lockerbie Y.W.C.A., 46 articles clothing, 13 pairs stockings, etc.; The Miscellaneous Charity Sewing Club, Newport, Fife, 21 articles clothing; Miss C., Oban, 1 pair stockings; Anon., used clothing; Miss D., North Berwick, 16 articles clothing; Mrs P., Kilmacoll, quantity toys and books; W. A. & Sons, Berwick-on-Tweed, quantity of seeds; St. Leonard's School, St. Andrews, 14 articles clothing; Mrs A., Lochgilphead, 28 articles clothing; Miss M. T. S., 12 pairs stockings; Miss R., Edinburgh, 9 articles clothing, etc.; Mr J., rolls; J. A., pies; W. R., Aberdeen, 22 shirts; Mrs P., Strathmiglo, 1 pair stockings; Mrs L., Kilmacoll, used clothing; Misses G., 2 costumes and bag.

Week ending April 17.—Miss T., Montrose, 3 costumes and 7 articles clothing; Miss A., Wooler, 11 hats; Y.W.C.A., Kirkwall, 8 articles clothing; Miss C., Edinburgh, 5 articles clothing; A. & M'A., quantity plants; D. F., Crieff, 4 carved boxes; N. M., bread; Y.W.C.A., Kinross, 15 articles clothing; Misses C., Kilmacoll, magazines; St. Serf's U.F. Church Women's Guild, Almondbank, 31 articles clothing, etc.; C. S. & Co., Kelso, 1 dozen brushes and old rope.

Week ending April 24.—High School, Duns, 2 articles clothing, quantity used handkerchiefs and sand shoes; Miss M., Dennyloanhead, 2 articles clothing and cake; Mrs W., 12 petticoats; Cairns, U.F. Sewing Meeting, Stewarton, 72 articles clothing and quantity of print; Mrs C., parcel of books; Mr M., clothing and magazines; Anon., Stirling p.m., used clothing; Anon., old shoes; Miss O., North Berwick, used books; Miss F., Kilmarnock, used clothing; Mrs J., Crail, 7 articles clothing; Apsley Place Sewing Meeting, 54 articles clothing.

Week ending May 1.—Miss W., hats and trimming; A. O. E., jun., London, used suit; Mrs F., St. Andrews, used clothing, umbrellas, etc.; G. B., Bridge-of-Weir, old magazines; Mrs C., Tunbridge Wells, used collars and cuffs; Miss C., Largo, 36 articles clothing; Miss W., Aberdeen, 3 dresses.

Week ending May 8.—Douglaswater U.F. Church Sewing Class, 31 articles clothing; Miss H., Edinburgh, clothing; Anon., 25 caps; Some S.S. Scholars, Earlstoun, worked texts; Mrs F., 8 articles clothing, quantity used clothing, and books; Miss W., Portobello, used clothing; V. B., bread; J. T., quantity used clothing; Mrs C., Potterhill, 9 articles clothing; Master Jim A., Paisley, toys and book; Miss B., large quantity hats; Mrs F., St. Andrews, 1 article new and some used clothing; Miss H., Paisley, 12 bed jackets; S.G.F.S., Uddingston, 29 articles clothing and 3 iron holders; Mrs G. M., Dunfermline, used clothing, collars, caps, and leggings.

Week ending May 15.—Mrs B., Lerwick, 4 articles clothing; Mrs R., Saltcoats, used clothing; Miss R., Newmains, 3½ yards tweed; Mr C., Buchlyvie, used clothing; Miss B., Govan, 3 pairs stockings; R. H. & Son, bread; Miss S., Biggar, 78 articles clothing, some used clothing, books, and toys; Mrs M., Bridge-of-Weir, children's clothing; Miss G., Cupar-Fife, 12 pairs socks; "Duet," 11 pairs stockings.

Week ending May 22.—Mrs B., Campbeltown, 1 semmit; Miss J. S., Thurso, clothing; High Cross Church Sewing Meeting, Melrose, 85 articles clothing; E. H., Millport, used clothing; Mrs B., Port Ellen, 2 frocks and hat; Mrs W., Maxwell Park, croquet set; Mrs C., Biggar, used mattress; Miss C. M., 4 blouses; Miss F., Campbeltown, 4 articles clothing and some used clothing; Misses C., Lasswade, 4 blouses; Y.W.C.A., Kirkcaldy, 34 articles clothing; C. & H., 3½ box dried fruit.

Week ending May 29.—N. M., teabread; Girl's Work Party, Langholm, 109 articles clothing, books, and games; Mrs D., Kilmacoll, clothing; Miss W., Dunning, 2 shirts and 1 coat; J. L., Dunlop, used clothing, etc.; Miss B., quantity of hats and bonnets; Miss C., Edinburgh, used clothing; Anon., 4 semmits; Stow Branch B.W.T.A., 71 articles clothing; A. M., Arbroath, 6 pairs stockings; V. B., hamper bread.

Week ending June 5.—Mrs F., St. Andrews, used clothing; Miss E. W., Crieff, sundries; Shiloh Hall Mothers' Meeting, 16 garments and 41 pairs stockings; T. H., Maybole, 6 pairs kid shoes; Miss M., Whitehouse, 2 pairs knickers and some used clothing; Mrs H., Kilmacoll, used clothing.

Week ending June 12.—Mrs M'N., used coat and dress; Anon., used Bible, hymnary, N.T., psalm book; R. C., used clothing; Mr M'C., 2 cakes; Lauder B.W.T.A., 25 articles clothing; Mrs K., Kilmacoll, furniture; Anon., Ardrishaig, 3 used frocks; Mrs S., Ealing, used clothing; Miss W. Sandbank, used clothing.

Week ending June 19.—Mrs D., Saltcoats, used clothing; Anon., Helensburgh, p.m. 5 pairs stockings and 11 picture cards; A. & F. R., teabread; Mr D., Ardrossan, used clothing; Mr N., used clothing; Miss A. Keswick, 5 articles new and some used clothing; Some of the patients in Liberton Cottage Hospital, 37 articles clothing; A Friend, 3 pairs stockings and 1 used jacket; C. M., Cardross, 1 case oranges; Miss G., Kilmacoll, used periodicals; Mrs T., furnishings, travelling case, used clothing, books, etc.; Mrs M'P., Dalreoch, used clothing; Cumbernauld Branch Y.W.C.A., 47 articles clothing.

Week ending June 26.—Miss L., Greenock, 5 pairs stockings and 1 pair socks; Mrs R. D., used clothing; Anon., Kilcreggan p.m., used pinafores; Mrs B., Dalry, 1 cheese; Mrs B., Langholm, used clothing; R. M'F., 53 girls' hats and caps and 9 boys' hats; Miss C., Oban, used clothing; Misses B., used clothing; A. & G. W., 3 overalls.

Week ending July 3.—Killean Branch Woman's Guild, 24 articles clothing; Miss S. B., Reston, sundries; Mrs L., Kilmacoll, used clothing; Miss I. F., used clothing; Junior Branch Y.W.C.A., Montrose, 14 articles clothing; W. O. & Co., Edinburgh, 100 bags potatoes; A few members of Forfar Y.W.C.A., 17 articles clothing and 2 remnants cloth; Miss N., Uxbridge, 4 scarves, cap, cuffs, and doll; Mrs H., West Kilbride, for Sanatoria, 4 blankets, 2 pillows, and 1 shawl.

Week ending July 10.—Mrs C., Dunoon, used men's clothing and bed clothes; Mrs Y. Shanghai, clothing; Mrs J. M. D., Dumbarton, 27 articles clothing; Mrs L., used clothing; Members and Friends of Finstown Y.W.C.A., 13 articles clothing and some used garments; J. A., 6 slabs cake; Misses K., Dunblane, 5 scarves and 4 pairs socks; Anon., Leven p.m., used pamphlets; Misses G., Motherwell, 18 articles clothing; Miss H., Newton-Stewart, 2 hats.

Week ending July 17.—Mr M., 100 booklets; Mrs O., a scrapbook and some pictures and cards; Anon., used books; "M. G. B.," 6 pairs stockings; Mrs L., Coatbridge, 4 garments; A. P. & Co., 2 hams; C. & H., 2 boxes apricots and 1 box apples; Anon., Kilmacoll, used clothing; Mrs J. D., Dumbarton, 14 articles clothing.

Week ending July 24.—Mrs and Misses Y., cakes; Mr D., 54 hats and ½ dozen hoods; Mr G., books; Miss H., Newton-Stewart, used hats and collars; Mr J., rolls; Mr A., pies; Anon., Langholm, used clothing.

Week ending July 31.—A. C. W., Kilmacoll, 2 large cases earthenware; A Sympathiser, used clothing; Miss M., Newmains, 2 articles clothing; V. B., 2 hampers Veda bread; Mrs O., Bournemouth, 2 articles new and quantity used clothing; A. & G. W., Clydebank, quantity buttons, etc.; Anon., used men's clothing; Mrs R., Kirkintilloch, used clothing.

Week ending August 7.—St. Leonard's School, St. Andrews, 16 garments; Mrs G. C., Innellan, 5 articles clothing; Mrs T., Lauder, 12 articles clothing; T. Bros., Kilmarnock, sundries; Miss F., Campbeltown, 16 articles clothing.

Week ending August 14.—A. M., 81 jerseys, 43 pairs socks and stockings, and 22 caps; Mrs B., Holytown, 12 pairs stockings; Mr J., rolls; Miss G., Hawick, 29 articles clothing.

Week ending August 21.—Mrs S., quantity of clothing, toys, books, etc.; Miss H. M., Perth, 2 pairs stockings; J. A., Cambuslang, family Bible; Mrs L., Strathaven, used clothing; Miss B., Lochgilphead, quantity vegetables; A. R. D., Bishop Auckland, 151 dresses, 32 coats, and 14 hoods; Mrs M., Callander, 10 pairs stockings; Miss C., Sauchen, 9 articles clothing; Misses D., Strathaven, 36 hats, 13 ties, 2 blouses, and 7 collars.

Week ending August 28.—Mrs B., Dalry, 1 cheese; Miss K., Edinburgh, 8 pairs stockings; Anon., used clothing; Do., used clothing; Do., 39 hats.

Week ending September 4.—Miss M. S. S., 12 pairs stockings; Miss J. C. B., Hunter's Quay, 12 semmits; S. G., eye operating case and instruments; Mrs J. C., 1 child's cot, spring and hair mattress, 2 baby's chairs, pictures, blankets, sheets, etc.

Week ending September 11.—T. W.-L., Airdrie, 29 boxes buttons; Glasgow Juvenile Football Association, 1 used football; Miss T., Kilmacoll, fruit for Elise Hospital; "A Wellwisher," 5 articles clothing, game, etc.; J. M'F., New Cumnock, 10 pairs rabbits; M. A. H., Falkirk, 2 pairs stockings; "J. B. M.," Perth, 2 pairs stockings; J. M. D., quantity used clothing, etc., for Sanatoria J. C., rolls; Mr N., used clothing; B. Bros., 4 dozen bread.

Week ending September 18.—B. Bros., 20 dozen bread; Miss H. H., Mid-Calder, 9 articles clothing; Mrs S., Brodick, 6 articles clothing; Mrs S., Paisley, clothing and apples; Springburn and District Juvenile Association, 1 used football.

Week ending September 25.—A. & G. W., Clydebank, samples of hose; V. B. Co., 1 hamper bread; Miss K., Lenzie, 24 pairs stockings; Miss C., 1 nightgown; Miss G., Hawick, 43 articles clothing; Mr N. 2 used overcoats.

Week ending October 2.—Anon., 1 pair stockings for Homes and 1 pair for Colony of Mercy; Miss M., Arbroath, 5 articles clothing; Mrs R., Dunfermline, used clothing; Misses D., Linlithgow, 5 articles clothing; Mrs Y., Pollokshaws, used clothing, bed, and trunk; Lady M., 13 pairs rabbits; W. S. B., Dundee, 3 boys' suits and costume; A. R. D., Bishop Auckland, 74 frocks; Miss J., 1 shirt; A few Friends at Hillside, 6 articles clothing.

Week ending October 9.—A Friend, used clothing and boots; Anon., used clothing, hats, etc.; Dumgoyne Cottage Knitting Guild, 15 articles clothing; Miscellaneous Charity Sewing Club, Newport, 8 dresses and 3 pairs socks; Mrs W. L., Helensburgh, used clothing and hats.

Week ending October 16.—Mrs S., Paisley, 1 box pears; Miss F., jacket and hat; Anon., 7 volumes, drawing slate, and book; Left by the late Miss Turnbull, quantity of used clothing; Miss A., Pittenweem, 10 articles clothing for Sanatoria; The Willing Helpers' Society, Uddingston, used clothing, etc.; Miss G., Thurso, 29 articles clothing, 2 towels, and 3 New Testaments; Misses C., Lasswade, 6 garments; Mrs F., St. Andrews, used boots, vest, quilt, etc.; Mrs C., Largs, used clothing; Anon., used clothing, boots, and slippers; Mrs W., Millerston, a feather bed.

Week ending October 23.—Miss F., 12 pairs socks; Miss E. R., Bridge of Earn, used clothing; A. K., Beith, 1 bag oatmeal; Mrs M., 4 articles clothing; C. F. H., Carnoustie, men's used clothing; Newton Woman's Guild, Dalkeith, 17 articles clothing; Mrs M., Strathaven, 9 articles clothing and some used teaspoons.

Week ending October 30.—Mrs M'N., used clothing; Mrs L., Kilmacoll, used clothing; Miss W., Marple Bridge, 1 dress; Mrs S., Kilmacoll, a tin box; Mrs M., New Pitsligo, 5 articles clothing; etc.; Mrs F., St. Andrews, used clothing; C. & H., 2½ bags nuts; Miss F., Balloch, 10 articles clothing; Miss M., Dundee, 12 articles clothing, Marion and Mary, Killin, 6 lbs. nuts; Mrs M., Milnathort, 12 knitted balls.

ORPHAN HOMES OF SCOTLAND. BRIDGE-OF-WEIR, AND CITY HOME, GLASGOW.

Abstract of Income and Expenditure for Year ended 31st October, 1915.

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GLASGOW, 24th November, 1915.—We have audited the Books containing the Intrusions for the year ended 31st October, 1915, in connection with the Orphan Homes of Scotland, Bridge-of-Weir, and City Home, Glasgow, compared the relative vouchers, and the various acknowledgments of Donations, etc., as detailed in the Annual Report, and we hereby certify that the above is a true abstract thereof, that it is correctly stated and vouched, and closes with a balance in Bank and on Loan of Twenty-four Thousand Five Hundred and Twenty-three Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Elevenpence Halfpenny Sterling.

M'FARLANE, HUTTON, & PATRICK, C.A.

ORDIAN HOMES OF SCOTLAND HOME AND FOREIGN MISSIONS FUND, 1914-1915.

1914.—Nov. 1.—To Balance,	-	-	-	-	£161	16	2
1915.—Oct. 31.—Donations,	-	-	-	-	1,008	15	0
" Collections at O.H.S. Church,	-	-	-	-	310	19	4
" Bank Interest,	-	-	-	-	11	8	1
					£1,492	18	7

GLASGOW. 24th November, 1915.—Examined and found correct.

M'FARLANE, HUTTON & PATRICK, C.A.

CONSUMPTION SANATORIA OF SCOTLAND, BRIDGE-OF-WEIR.

Abstract of Income and Expenditure for Year ended 31st October, 1915.

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To Balance for Maintenance, Buildings, etc., on 31st October, 1914,	£3,724	14	11½			
„ Payments for Patents, Donations, and Legacies,	..	10,734	2	1		
„ Interest,	..	..	78	3	4	
By General Household Expenses and Salaries of Staff,					£9,172	12
„ Repairs, Furniture, Insurance, Proportion of Cost of New Electric Storage Battery, etc.,					580	10
„ Rates, Taxes, and National Insurance Stamps,					152	11
„ Sundry Charges, including Printing, Stationery, Postage, etc.,					76	2
„ Balance for Maintenance, Buildings, etc.,					4,555	4
					0	0
					£14,537	0
					4½	

GLASGOW, 24th November, 1915.—We have audited the Books containing the Intrmissions for the year ended 31st October, 1915, in connection with the Consumption Sanatoria of Scotland, Bridge-of-Weir, compared the relative vouchers and the various acknowledgments of Donations, etc., as detailed in the Annual Report and we hereby certify that the above is a true abstract thereof, that it is correctly stated and vouched, and closes with a Balance in Bank and on Loan of Four Thousand Five Hundred and Fifty-five Pounds Four Shillings Sterling.

M'FARLANE, HUTTON & PATRICK, C.A.

COLONY OF MERCY OF SCOTLAND FOR EPILEPTICS, BRIDGE-OF-WEIR.

Abstract of Income and Expenditure for Year ended 31st October, 1915.

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To Balance for Maintenance, Buildings, etc., on 31st October, 1914,	£4,752	17	0
" Donations for Maintenance, Buildings, etc., and Payments for Colonists,	2,095	10	2
" Rent of Farm, etc.,	287	1	0
" Interest,	110	9	3
	£7,245	17	5
By General Household Expenses and Salaries of Staff, .. .. .	..	..	..
" Repairs, Insurance, Proportion of Cost of New Electric Storage Battery, etc., .. .. .	..	..	..
" Rates, Taxes, and National Insurance Stamps, .. .. .	..	..	..
" Printing, Postage, etc., .. .. .	..	..	..
" Balance for Maintenance, Buildings, etc., .. .. .	..	..	..
	£7,245	17	5

GLASGOW, 24th November, 1915.—We have audited the Books containing the Intrusions for the year ended 31st October, 1915, in connection with the Colony of Mercy of Scotland for Epileptics, Bridge-of-Weir, compared the relative vouchers and the various acknowledgments of Donations, etc., as detailed in the Annual Report, and we hereby certify that the above is a true abstract thereof, that it is correctly stated and vouched, and closes with a balance in Bank and on Loan of Four Thousand Six Hundred and Ninety-Three Pounds Five Shillings and Eightpence Sterling.

M'FARLANE, HUTTON & PATRICK, C.A.

SUMMARY OF THE YEAR'S WORK.

ORPHAN HOMES OF SCOTLAND, BRIDGE-OF-WEIR, AND CITY ORPHAN HOME, GLASGOW.—On 1st November, 1914, there were resident in the Homes, 1,336 boys and girls. During the year 383 new cases were admitted, making a total of 1,719 dealt with.

These have been disposed of as follows:—Outfitted and sent to domestic service, trades, and situations, 44; outfitted and sent to Canada, 33; deaths, 7; children under 5 years of age adopted, 9; returned to relatives now in a position to provide for them, 114; left to go to relatives, etc., 42; enlisted, 26; sent to other institutions, 2; leaving in the Homes on 31st October, 1915, 1,442; of whom 813 are boys and 629 girls.

From the above it will be seen that 86 boys and girls were provided with outfits, given a start in life, and placed in positions to make their own way. The older girls having been trained for domestic service, situations were found for them, and the older boys were apprenticed to trades, or sent to Canada. These sent to other institutions were mentally defective or in other ways unsuitable for the Orphan Homes. Amongst those returned to friends many were old enough to work, and where necessary, we helped with outfits, so that a large proportion of these might be added to the number of the permanently helped.

CONSUMPTION SANATORIA OF SCOTLAND.—The year began with 140 patients in residence. 316 were admitted, 311 discharged, and 10 died, leaving 135 in residence on 31st October, 1915.

COLONY OF MERCY FOR EPILEPTICS.—The year began with 97 colonists in residence; 31 men, women, and children were admitted; 26 were discharged, and 4 died, leaving in residence on 31st October, 1915, 98.

THE YEAR'S INCOME.

The amount received during the year is as follows:—For the General Fund, which includes the maintenance of the Homes at Bridge-of Weir and the City Home, including £808 7s. 9½d. earned by working boys, and sundry amounts, as per Cash Statement, £28,344 16s. 3d., for Consumption Sanatoria Fund, £10,812 5s. 5d., for the Colony of Mercy for Epileptics, £2,493 0s. 5d., for Home and Foreign Missions Fund, £1,331 2s. 5d., making the total amount for all purposes £42,981 4s. 6d., besides large quantities of clothing, provisions, and other useful gifts.

For the work accomplished we are, under God, indebted to our devoted fellow-helpers in the various Homes, and to the practical generosity of friends throughout the country; to ministers, evangelists, and all who have aided in the Church services and other gatherings; to Sabbath School superintendents, teachers, and scholars; to ladies who have made up garments for our little ones; to the Press which has given notices of the work; to the members of the Medical Advisory Board, and the Doctors who have freely given their time and skill for the benefit of the sufferers in the Sanatoria and Hospitals; and to the accountants Messrs. M'Farlane, Hutton & Patrick, who very kindly act as Honorary Auditors.

IN CONCLUSION.

THIS Narrative opens with a doxology and it must be closed on the same level. Our hearts are, and may well be, filled with gratitude to God for His wonderful goodness to the work in our hands during another year. Housekeepers do not need to be told of the greatly increased cost of all food stuffs and other household requisites; the cost of maintenance for our big family has on an average increased 10 per cent., and still prices have a steady upward tendency. How good it is to know that we are dealing with a God who knows nothing of "contingencies," but is prepared for every possible emergency in our lives. A careful study of the foregoing financial statements will make clear to all interested friends how wonderfully this has proved true once more, and so, as we look forward on the year which lies before us, if the Lord will, we need have no fear nor anxiety. Its probable needs are:—

£30,000 for maintenance of Orphan Children in Glasgow and at Bridge-of-Weir.

£3,000 for Emigration and maintenance of the Canadian Home.

A Seaside Home of Rest for workers and children.

£2,500 each for additional Cottages for the Orphans.

Gifts towards maintenance of Consumption Sanatoria.

Gifts towards maintenance of Colony of Mercy.

£2,000 for Home and Foreign Missions Fund.

Consecrated Christian men and women to fill vacancies as they occur for "fathers and mothers" in the cottages.

We can never fail to remind the multitude of our valued helpers throughout the land—and indeed throughout the world—that while every gift they so kindly send from time to time is highly esteemed and carefully used, yet, beyond every other kindness they can show to this work, is that they constantly and earnestly pour out their hearts before God on its behalf in prayer. Only those who are every day, year in and year out, in the midst of the work know how essential prayer is, and how much grace and wisdom are required, which can only come down from "the Father of Lights with Whom there is no variableness neither shadow cast as by turning;" trusting in Him we go forward.

FORM OF BEQUEST TO THE ORPHAN HOMES OF SCOTLAND

(OR CONSUMPTION SANATORIA OF SCOTLAND)
(OR COLONY OF MERCY FOR EPILEPTICS).

"I leave and bequeath the sum of _____ pounds to the ORPHAN HOMES OF SCOTLAND (or CONSUMPTION SANATORIA), (or COLONY OF MERCY FOR EPILEPTICS), Glasgow and Bridge of Weir, originated by the late WILLIAM QUARRIER. I appoint the same to be paid (free of or less legacy duty) at the first term of Whitsunday or Martinmas after my death; and to be applied for the purposes of such Orphan Homes (or Consumption Sanatoria), (or Colony of Mercy for Epileptics); and the receipt of the Treasurer of the said Homes (or Sanatoria), (or Colony) for the time being shall be a sufficient discharge to my executors."

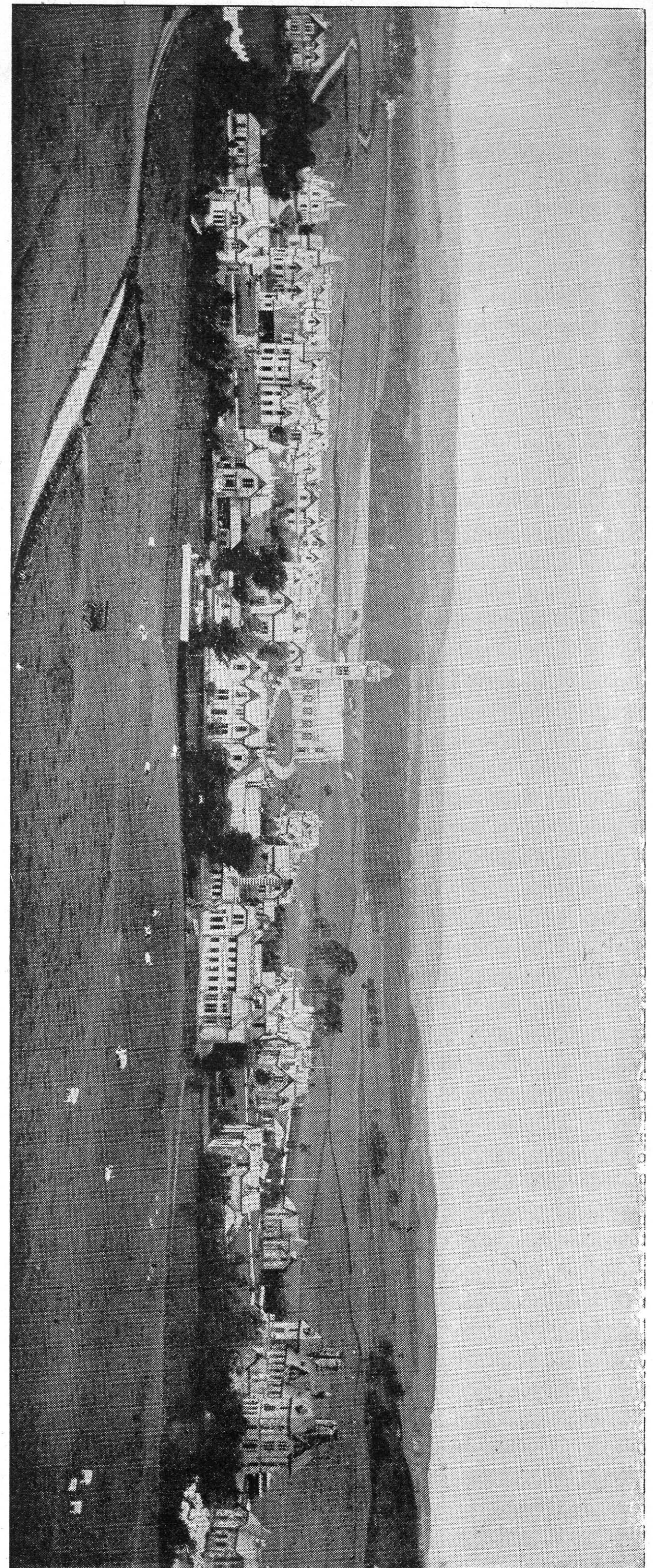
To prevent mistakes and delay, all letters relating to the Homes or Sanatoria or Colony for Epileptics should be addressed to Miss Quarrier, Orphan Homes of Scotland, Bridge of Weir. Cheques and Orders to be made payable to Miss MARY QUARRIER, Orphan Homes, Bridge-of-Weir, or to the Hon. Treasurer, Sir J. P. Maclay, Bart., 21 Bothwell Street, Glasgow. If more convenient, donations can be left at City Home, 13 James Morrison Street, Glasgow, or paid into the Union Bank of Scotland, 32 Union Street. Donations in money may also be left with Pastor D. J. Findlay, St. George's Cross Tabernacle. Clothing, provisions, etc. may also be sent to City Home, 13 James Morrison Street, Glasgow; or, if post-card is sent from any part of the city, a messenger will call for parcels. Telephone numbers are 80 Bell and 34 Bridge-of-Weir.

All donors whose names and addresses are sent with their donations will receive the Annual Report, and others desiring one or more copies can have them forwarded.

Friends sending Money can have it placed to whatever part of the work they name—(1) to the General Fund, which includes the maintenance of the Orphan Homes, Bridge-of-Weir, and of the City Working Boys' Home, (2) to Emigration Fund, (3) to the Orphan Homes Building Fund, (4) to the Consumption Sanatoria, (5) to the Colony of Mercy for Epileptics, or (6) to the Orphan Homes of Scotland Home and Foreign Missions Fund. If left to our discretion, it will be applied to whatever object is most in need at the time. Friends sending their names and addresses will have their donations acknowledged privately in due course, and failing to receive this should communicate with Miss Quarrier at once, in case the money has gone amissing.

Reproduced from a photo taken from the Bridge-of-Weir Road. Many of the Homes are not in view, but it will give friends some idea of the "Children's City." The Consumption Sanatoria are situated to the south and the Colony of Mercy to the west of the Homes, and are not seen in the picture.

PARTIAL VIEW OF HOMES.



ORPHAN HOMES OF SCOTLAND, CONSUMPTION SANATORIA OF SCOTLAND, AND COLONY FOR EPILEPTICS, BRIDGE-OF-WEIR.
There are 78 Buildings already connected with the work.

"Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these, ye have done it unto Me."

A NARRATIVE OF FACTS

RELATIVE TO WORK DONE FOR CHRIST,

IN CONNECTION WITH THE

ORPHAN HOMES OF SCOTLAND,

FOR

FORTY-FIFTH YEAR, ENDING 31st OCTOBER, 1916.

ALSO

CONSUMPTION SANATORIA OF SCOTLAND,

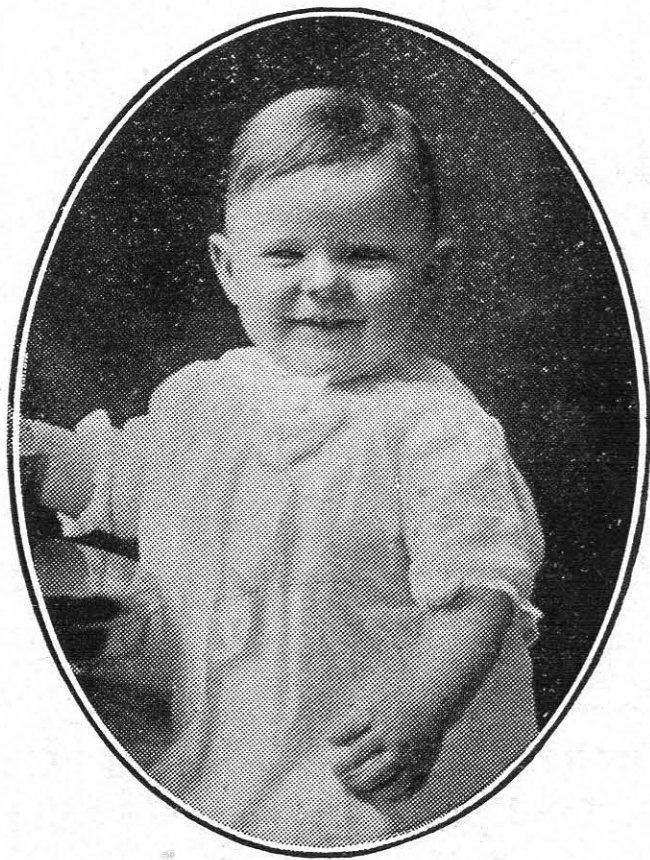
AND COLONY OF MERCY FOR EPILEPTICS,

FOUNDED BY WILLIAM QUARRIER.

ORPHAN HOMES OF SCOTLAND,
BRIDGE-OF-WEIR,
RENFREWSHIRE.

—
OSWALD AND ELIM HOMES
AND ELISE HOSPITAL
FOR
INVALID ORPHAN CHILDREN,
BRIDGE-OF-WEIR.

—
CANADIAN DISTRIBUTING HOME,
FAIRKNOWE, BROCKVILLE, ONT.



CONSUMPTION SANATORIA
OF SCOTLAND,
BRIDGE-OF-WEIR.

—
COLONY OF MERCY FOR
EPILEPTICS,
BRIDGE-OF-WEIR.

—
CITY RECEIVING HOME
AND
WORKING BOYS' HOME,
13 JAMES MORRISON ST.,
GLASGOW.

1916.

"Whatsoever thy hand findeth to do, do it with thy might."—Ecc. ix. 10.