

"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-SEVENTH YEAR, ENDING 31st OCTOBER, 1918.
ALSO
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1918.

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

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GLASGOW AND BRIDGE-OF-WEIR.

NARRATIVE OF FACTS.
1918.

THE eleventh hour of the eleventh day of the eleventh month of this year of grace will live in the memory and history of mankind to the latest generation, for at that hour the last shot was fired in the great world war, which for fifty-one months has drawn out its unspeakable agony. No wonder that, as we write these words, the city, the country, and indeed all civilized lands are ringing with expressions of joy and thanksgiving. Never before have we witnessed such scenes, and it is our deepest prayer that we may never see such again. In fellowship with hundreds of thousands of others, our own joy has been chastened by the price we have had to pay for victory, but it is not less deep and real for that reason. Now that the war is over, and we can look back calmly on the period of its duration, our wonder and gratitude at the way in which we have been led and provided for are beyond words. Who would have dared to forecast that the great family at Bridge-of-Weir could have lived through these four years of scarcity and soaring prices, and that at the end of them our testimony would be that not one need has gone unsupplied, but that all were met in our Father's own overflowing way, so that at the end of the period our books are closed with a larger balance on hand than at its commencement? And yet this is the actual condition of matters to-day, so that our hearts are filled with gratitude and our mouths with praise to the Wonderful God, who has done all this and much more for His great family of needy ones.

“Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host,
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.”

Our family at the beginning of the year numbered 1,775—in addition to workers—comprised of 1,534 orphan children, 140 consumption patients, and 101 epileptics. During the year we have received 420 children, 271 patients, and 32 colonists; leaving us with a family of 1,771 on 31st October. For the feeding, clothing, nursing, and caring for all these we have received the following amounts, including payments:—

I. For the Orphan Homes,	£47,209	3	4
II. For the Consumption Sanatoria,	13,345	11	7
III. For the Colony for Epileptics,	3,142	5	3
IV. For Home and Foreign Missions,	1,391	16	1
Total,	£65,088	16	3

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, 16,639 children have passed through the Homes, 6,398 of whom were sent to Canada. Something like £1,238,018 has been received; £305,000 of that sum has been expended on buildings, land, etc., and £882,689 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.

It has again been our privilege in the past year to take charge of a large number of children of soldiers, whose fathers were fighting at the front, and a considerable number of whom have been killed. In all we relieved 903 of such boys and girls, and at present 611 remain with us. This large number—in addition to our own big family—have strained the accommodation of the Homes to the utmost; but we have felt it a special privilege to be able to minister to our brave fighting men in this way. When the Army is demobilised doubtless this class of children will gradually disappear from our midst, and in this way openings will be provided for the other needy ones who are never wanting in ordinary times.

It has been a joy to us to receive throughout the year letters from almost every corner of the world, telling of the cheer brought to the writers by the perusal of this story of God's grace. We trust this year's Narrative will not be behind those which have preceded it in such ministry, and in order to encourage the hearts of our friends we subjoin a few brief extracts from the daily diary of the work.

NOVEMBER, 1917.—Looking backward through the years, especially the one just closed, during which God has so bountifully supplied our every need, our weak faith is strengthened and we take fresh courage to "run with patience the race that is set before us" in the new year on which we have entered, "looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith." If the reading of this new chapter in a story increasingly wonderful brings as much blessing as the privilege of writing it, yet another blessing will be ours and to Him shall be the praise. In a letter from a friend in the Transvaal, enclosing a postal order for one pound,

the proceeds of some work done by the little girls in her small Bible Class, are these lines—

All that He hath spoken,
He will surely do.
Nothing shall be broken,
Every word is true.

From Portland, Oregon, has come £2; from a lady in Brisbane, Australia, £20; from Sydney, N.S.W., £1; from an anonymous donor in Annan, 10s.; from a Junior Guild in Banff, £1; from a Galashiels Sunday School, another £1; from North Wales, £2; from Lerwick, £10; from Islay, 20s.; from a Sunday School in Dublin, 15s.; and from Dunoon, 3s., with the words, "Faithful is He who hath called you, who also will do it." Five guineas is in memory of a brother; £5 12s. 6d. of a son, an officer in the H.L.I.; £100 from his wife and family in memory of a West Kilbride friend; and £150, the half-yearly contribution for the upkeep of Oswald Home for invalid girls, is a reminder of the donor's father.

An anniversary gift of £5 has been sent by a lady from her mother in Carlisle. Among the gifts in kind are six pairs nice black stockings knitted by an old lady in her eighty-ninth year. An old friend sends £5 from a helper in Inverallochy; a Birmingham Sunday School, £1; a Women's Missionary Society in Lockerbie, £2; a grown-up member of our family who went to Canada in 1893, £3 from his home in Saskatchewan; a helper in Troon, £1 instead of a gift of woollen cloth; a lady in Ayr, £10; another in Paisley, £100; two others in Greenock and Crieff, £5 each, both sums to be divided between the Homes, the Sanatoria, and the Colony; and our old friends, Alice, Willie, and Jessie, 30s., with the cheering exhortation, "Let us with a gladsome mind, praise the Lord for He is kind."

A Chaplain on Active Service sends £7 13s. 10d. from the officers of his Highland Regiment; and another, writing from General Headquarters of the British Armies in France, says :—

At the Presbyterian service held here this morning, at which the Commander-in-Chief and various members of his staff were present, the collection was devoted to Quarrier's Homes. As the result of this I have much pleasure in sending you here-with a cheque for £3. Please accept it as a small token of the appreciation which some of us out here feel for the excellent work which is done at your Homes.

Our thoughts and prayers are ever turning to the brave men—our own dear boys and multitudes unknown to us—who are in the forefront of the battles, whilst we "carry on" at home. During this month no fewer than twenty-four soldiers' children have been added to our family.

The letters from our boys and girls now out in the big world beyond the bounds of our quiet village are always full of encouragement. A girl says, "I sometimes dream of the days at the Homes, and I don't think that I have much to regret being there, although I did not think that at the time. Many a good lesson we were taught that has been of great value to me in life." A lad who has almost completed the first year of his apprenticeship as a blacksmith writes, "I suppose you will be preparing for Hallowe'en again. I remember fine the fun we used to have, but I will not have so much fun here as I would have had if I had been in the Orphan Homes." Another of the boys in this country

has sent ten shillings as a token of his gratitude. "I feel glad you are interested in my little Sunday School class," says one of the girls, seriously handicapped, yet doing her utmost cheerfully to work for the Master. Another, who had seemed somewhat of a disappointment, in a letter recently to hand tells us that "I think very, very often about the Orphan Homes and think if only I could come back and begin all over again. I know now everything was done for the best, and I can say that being in the Homes for ten years has done me a world of good, although I did not think of it at the time."

The red-letter day of November for us is the one on which is held the annual public meeting in Glasgow. For the sake of friends unable to be with us on the 30th inst., we reprint the following from the *Glasgow Herald* :—

At the annual meeting held in Glasgow yesterday in connection with the Orphan Homes of Scotland and associated institutions, it was intimated that Sir Joseph Maclay, the Shipping Controller, who had been announced to take the chair, had been obliged to cancel his engagement owing to the fact that he had had to accompany the Prime Minister on his visit to Paris this week. Pastor D. J. Findlay, Glasgow, who presided at the meeting, said that the Prime Minister evidently felt that he could not face the first Supreme War Council meeting without having with him the strongest and most capable man in his Ministry. He read a letter from Sir Joseph Maclay in which he said that he had hoped to have avoided the necessity of cancelling his engagement for their meeting that day, but the Prime Minister wanted him to go with him, and of course he could not stay. Sir Joseph added that he "loved the Homes more with the passing days," and referred to his "personal ties with the beloved ones who carried on the work." At a later stage in the proceedings Mr. W. M. Oatts said that Lady Maclay was present, and he suggested that she might convey to the Shipping Controller a message of appreciation of the effective work he was doing in his important office. A letter was also read from Sir Thomas Glen Coats, Bart., expressing regret at his inability to attend.

The annual report of the Homes showed that at the beginning of the year the inmates numbered 1,709—1,463 orphan children, 144 consumption patients, and 102 epileptics. During the year 411 children, 269 patients, and 32 colonists had been received, leaving a family of 1,775 on 31st October. For the feeding, clothing, nursing and caring for all these children the following amounts, including payments, were received :—For the Orphan Homes, £48,338 5s. 8½d.; for the Consumption Sanatoria, £12,316 13s. 10d.; for the Colony for Epileptics, £3,282 14s.; for Home and Foreign Missions, £1,386 5s. 10d.—giving a grand total in income of £65,323 19s. 4½d.

Sir Samuel Chisholm, Bart., in moving the adoption of the report, said that the village at Bridge-of-Weir was the most beautiful by far of any village he had seen, not only in Scotland or England, but abroad. Mr. Oatts seconded, and the report was adopted.

DECEMBER, 1917.—The Christmas spirit and the homeward turning of the thoughts of friends abroad at this season of the year has brought a large number of gifts in cash and kind from every part of the world, from every walk in life, and from widely differing surroundings. The largest single amount is a £1,000 instalment of a legacy by a friend, who, in his lifetime, was keenly interested in emigration. Five more legacies total £627 3s. 3d. Two ladies have contributed £10 to the funds of the Sanatoria, along with £180 for the half-year's upkeep of the boys' Home, which was their gift many years ago. Among the smallest amounts are 1s. from Edinburgh; 3s. from Carlisle; 2s. 6d. from Lesmahagow; 2s. from Aberdeen; 2s. 6d. from Lancashire; and 2s. from a "Friend of the children." The sender of the last writes, "An old lady in lowly

circumstances read your report and handed the enclosed 2s. to me to send to you." Far be it from us, even to appear to array the gifts that come to us according to their relative value. The day for which we earnestly pray alone will reveal, and only the Master Himself is able truly to estimate the value of His servants' stewardship. Five dollars is from British Columbia; £5 5s. for the Sanatoria from Basutoland; £5 from Oporto; £3 instead of the usual £2, "as things are dear these days," from friends in Chefoo; £2 from Bilbao, Spain; 7 dollars 50 cents from two friends in Calgary; 10 dollars from other two friends in Ontario; 10s. from New Zealand; £5 from South Russia; and £10 from one of our grown-up boys in Macedonia, where he has been for sometime in command of a large rest camp, having joined Kitchener's Army in the early days of the war as a private and earned his commission. "Just a little thank-offering for the past," he calls it. An order for 10s. is enclosed in a letter from the eldest of a family of five orphan children, four of whom were admitted to the Homes, two of them having been sent to Canada. Referring to the two youngest, who are still with us, he says, "My brother wrote and told me sometime ago that he and Jim had given their hearts to the Lord. I hope it is true. At any rate, it means a lot that he should have written such a letter."

One of our Canadian girls has sent fifteen dollars "to buy eggs, or for anything more urgent that you see is needed." The last day of the year brought £1 enclosed in a letter from one in London, who says, "I was glad to read of all the good you have been doing during the year, and to know that every need of the great family has been supplied. The number of old boys on active service for our country is a record to be proud of. It is almost as many as the total number of boys and girls in the Homes in my time, nearly 27 years ago."

The following extracts are from two of our girls in this country :—

These are just a few things I made and am sending to you for the good of the Homes, which I know will be acceptable, but hope to do a little more by next year. I am sorry I have never written to you since I left, but I have never forgotten all that you did for me. I often long for a look of the dear old Homes again, and the first time I get the chance I hope to come back to see them. I have been here since May, and am getting on all right, only I feel a bit lonely at times, especially when the other girls go out to see their friends, and then is the time I let my thoughts travel back to Bridge-of-Weir most. My brother is in Aberdeen training with the Gordon Highlanders. Now I will stop and may God bless you all.

This being my first Christmas away from the Homes for the last nineteen years, I will be feeling rather like Robinson Crusoe on his lonely island, for I always enjoyed that season down there. This style of cosy is something I learned here. I am sending a postal order for 4s. and one for 1s. The one is for Mr. Wilkinson's annual collection. His mission appeals more to me than any other. Why, I do not know. M— had also a great interest in that mission and we often had a talk together, and is it not splendid that Britain has been used to take Jerusalem? I have read General Allenby's entry into the capital. The reading was exciting enough, so what must the actual thing have been to the inhabitants. Well, I can picture you all down there at this time and how happy all the children are at this season. I know when I was a child I thought fifty-two weeks was a long time to wait before another New Year would come round.

One of our old boys paying a visit to the old home left ten shillings; the aunt of another who was killed on active service has sent another ten shillings; one of our Canadian boys spending his furlough in the village,

£1; a lady, £1 from her aunt, who is doing Y.M.C.A. work in France; an officer with the Ambulance Corps, £3; two friends on Naval Service, 10s.; one who used to contribute in his boyhood days, but now big enough to be a soldier with a Highland regiment, 8s.; "For the children's work, from someone in France," £5; a gunner with the R.N.A., £1; a sister and her two brothers on Active Service, 10s.; a member of the British East African Expeditionary Force, £1; and a parish minister, £5, being "collected at a combined service on Christmas morning in the Parish Church for the Royal Flying Corps and conducted by the U.F. Church minister, the Episcopal chaplain, and myself."

How much the nation owes to its Godly mothers! It behoves us to follow the example of a donor, who writes, "My mother used to send you at different times little parcels for the children, and to keep her memory green, please find enclosed P.O. for 20s." The words of the wise man are still true—"Her children arise up and call her blessed." Another friend has sent £25 in memory of a brother, who was also a contributor to the Homes; one, whose wife and son helped, the latter having been killed at the Dardanelles, £1; 5s. in loving memory; a member of a Glasgow firm, £2 2s. to continue his deceased partner's annual donation; three children, 3s. in memory of their uncle, who was killed in France; 10s. in memory of a dear old lady who helped us greatly and interested many others in the work during her long life; a lady in Hull, £1 in memory of her brother; another donor, £2 for the building fund "in memory of mother;" and a friend in Belfast, £1 in memory of her mother, an invalid for sixteen years. The sender of the last says, "The only request she made to me was that as long as I was able I would remember your work, and if possible keep up the little help she was able to give."

Four pounds instead of three pounds has come from a friend in Auchtermuchty; 7s. 6d. from Carnarvonshire; 2s. 6d. from Somerset; £1 10s. from a very regular donor in Arbroath; 5s. from an anonymous helper; 20s. from Worthing; 5s. from two friends in Durham; 20s. from another very regular contributor in Crieff; two guineas with 10s. 6d. of war bonus and £1 from his sisters, from an Edinburgh friend; £1 from a lady "who saves up her weekly war bonus for your good work;" £1 with 10s. for the Colony from Aberdeenshire; £2 16s. 6d. from a few girls in a Hawick factory; 10s. for the Sanatoria from a branch of the Y.W.C.A.; 2s. 6d. from an old friend in her 82nd year; £20 in a registered envelope bearing Peterhead postmark; £2, a "thank-offering for the Lord's goodness in 1917," from two of our helpers; 10s. from a former worker in the Homes; £5 from a Dundee farmer; 10s. from another former member of the staff; 12s., "which I save in my bank weekly," from a little girl; £3 from one who writes, "Feeling that my usual will not go so far to-day, I have extended it a little;" 7s. 6d. from Sutherlandshire; 5s. from Radnorshire; 20s. from a Sunday School in Tain; 2s., a thank-offering; 10s., "In thanksgiving for a fine little baby boy sent to us to replace one who was lost two years ago;" 10s., "A token of thanksgiving for boys preserved;" £10 for Christmas purposes; £1 from a helper who reminds us that in spite of the gloom that overshadows the grown-ups, "Christmas is really a children's joy-time;"

5s. from Lerwick, also for the Christmas tree; and £25 from a lady in London who is always mindful of the children at this season. She writes, "I have much pleasure in enclosing £25 for the children's Christmas tree. Some think that there should be no festivities this year, but a child is only a child once, and I think their little lives should be made as happy as possible. The dark days for them will come soon enough."

In a letter enclosing £5 another friend says, "Great honour was put on Mr. Quarrier when the thought of such work was given to him and the way opened up for him to enter in, and so many hearts opened to help and other generations carrying on the work with the Lord's blessing so manifest." So in spite of necessary war economies and the inclination of older folks to shun the customary festivities, such gifts as those we have mentioned have enabled us to give the boys and girls their usual Christmas treats, but with us who follow the old Scots fashion it is to New Year's Day that they look forward.

From an old friend of the Homes, a widow of 88 years, has come 20s.; and from Port-Glasgow with another pound a sample of many letters received since the publication of the 1917 Report, saying, "The reading of it helped to strengthen my faith." It does encourage and gladden our hearts to know that the simple story has been a blessing, but with the Psalmist we would say, "Not unto us, O Lord, not unto us, but unto Thy name give glory. The Lord hath been mindful of us; He will bless them that fear the Lord, both small and great." Not the least of all our manifold blessings are the remembrances that come in greatest numbers at this season from members of our widely scattered family. Two grateful girls send 10s.; another, 2s. 6d.; two others, 7s. 6d. and 10s.; one of the Canadian boys who has been for 12 years with the same employer, 10 dollars, with 10 dollars more from the employer, and giving good news of his sister and brother, also in Canada; another boy in this country, 2s.; still another, with his wife, £10; and a family gift of £2 15s. from another. With our fellow-workers we spent the last hour of the old year, meditating on all the way God has led us during 1917, confessing our unworthiness and failure, and uniting with the Christian Church the world around in prayer that the nations may acknowledge Him and there may speedily come the peace we so much desire. Were it not for the sweet memories of the past and the faith that can penetrate even the dense clouds of war to see beyond them the loving face of our Heavenly Father, who still reigns and ordereth all things for His own glory and our good, the sadness of this sorrowing world would overwhelm us. "The Lord reigneth; let the earth rejoice."

JANUARY, 1918.—Long before daybreak of the first day of the year, the young folks were awake in anticipation of a round of treats, which the loving kindness of their Heavenly Father had provided—special fare for breakfast, dinner, and tea; the trees loaded with gifts for each member of the family, and the evening's entertainment in the Church. The thoughts of thousands have turned to-day toward our peaceful village, and ours have been of them, as round the family altar we have sought a special blessing on the absent members of our family scattered

the world wide on land and sea. From the Western Front one of our grown-up boys writes:—

It is with an honest indescribable pleasure I write you. Forgive my long silence if you can. No one regrets it more than myself, nevertheless I was always in touch with the old Home, and above all never afraid to say that I am one of your old boys. I got all the news from my sister. I always lived so far away from you, but often one longed for a chance to have just another look at that happy and peaceful place, and to-day, amidst this turmoil my heart and thoughts are centred on those days and the foundation of my great hopes arise from your tuition. I pray as you taught me to pray. I can't ask God to spare me. I ask Him to help me to abide by and face His will bravely and to accept it smilingly, and when I think of the Homes and say a wee prayer I'm as happy as a lark. I've been in France fifteen months, in all actions that my battalion has been in during that time and no worse off to-day. Don't you think I'm a lucky chap? I keep looking for familiar faces, especially amongst Canadians, but no luck. I know they are there. Who wouldn't be? "Wha sae base as be a slave?" I'm with an English regiment. This is how they tricked me. However we're a' Jock Tamson's bairns, so what odds? Your work must be cut out for you these hard times. Honours can be awarded for distinguished services in war, but those are only worldly. Would that I could only half express myself to explain what you deserve, but I can only say, God bless you and yours and all connected with the work and all who ever gave towards its upkeep. I dare say a lot of my old school-mates are doing their bit somewhere. Should you have a Roll of Honour I'd be so pleased to have a copy. I can't expect my name to be there seeing I've never told you. I shall be disappointed but it's my own doing. Yours is the only roll that I want my name on. Did you know I am married and have two little daughters. The baby I haven't seen yet. She was born very soon after I landed in France. I've hopes, if spared, to see them soon. My wife is all that a good woman should be. And now I'll thank you for your kind and generous parcel. Dear me, I couldn't believe my eyes. I don't allow my wife to send things, times are hard enough for them, so I never expect parcels. So you'll have an idea what a pleasant surprise I had, and dear me, the old Christmas pudding too. What a treat, quite like our old Christmas dinner with you. I was like a kiddie with a new toy, I can tell you. I was disappointed there being no letter inside, but I got that to-day. I and a few chums had a rare old tea party, and to-day we are sporting the heather, thanks to your wonderful goodness.

Among the gifts to hand on New Year's Day are £7 from one of the Canadian boys on active service, followed by another gift of £1 on 18th inst.; 5s. from a grateful girl; 5s. in loving memory of a dear friend; 2s. 6d. each from a family of six children; £1 from a fellow-worker; £3 3s. from a Women's Guild Work Party; £5 5s. from a Glasgow firm whose annual donation has come most regularly with the first or last post of the year for a long time; £1 1s. 6d., a New-Year offering from infants, juniors, and teachers of a school; £20 for the Sanatoria from the employees of a Paisley firm; £5 for the same object from employees of a Glasgow firm; and various sums from Sunday Schools in Perth, Camelon, Peterhead, Grangemouth, Airdrie, Coldstream, Port-Glasgow, Greenock, Stevenston, Blairgowrie, and Wick.

Not only the gifts encourage, but the words that accompany often cheer us on the way. A mother, enclosing £1, with 10s. from her eldest son (unfit for military service), and 5s. from her soldier son, says, "Your report is the most cheery report I ever read. I thought I must write and tell you so." £1 is "part of the tithes" of a fellow-worker's income; 2s. 6d., "your share of my tenth," from Yoker; £5 "is the Lord's tenth," from a helper in New Stevenston; 10s., the contribution of a Sunday School, and sent by one who was a worker with us

30 years ago; £1,000 is to maintain the Elise Hospital and be divided among the other branches of the work; £30 is from a Glasgow friend, who has read the report with interest and now wants to visit and see. It is always a pleasure to show interested friends through the Homes. Some, who have helped us by prayer and gift for years, have never come to "see." Others have not visited for a long time and would now be able the more to rejoice with us in all the Lord's goodness as they look around on the growth and improvements of the village.

Some children at a Sunday School Christmas entertainment in Gibraltar have sent 7s. 6d.; others in an Indian Home, £2 2s. 5d.; an old lady of 82 years, 2s. 6d.; "an old worker" in Edinburgh, 10s.; one of our girls in Winnipeg and her husband, £1; a soldier home from France, after nineteen months, 4s.; a friend in Belgian Congo, £1; another in Southern Oregon, 5 dollars; three friends in Massachusetts, a guinea; a missionary in Nyasaland, £2 10s.; another in China, £2; one of the old girls, 10s.; a husband and wife in Philadelphia, £1 1s. 8d.; Matthew vi. 3, "When thou doest alms, let not thy left hand know what thy right hand doeth;" a farmer in Aberdeenshire, per the firm from whom we have been buying oatmeal, £1; three friends in Durban, £3; some little girls in the Transvaal, £1; a friend in Lovedale, S.A., £1; another in Vancouver, 5s.; a Newcastle-on-Tyne Sunday School, £1; a Captain of R.A.M.C. in France, £1; two friends in the city, £1,000 each; one who often helps, £20; the aunt of some children helped, 10s.; a mother in memory of her son killed in action, 5s.; a former patient in the Sanatoria, now well and working every day, 5s. for the Homes with 5s. for the Sanatoria; a Londonderry minister, 10s.; one who was a worker in the Mission in connection with the City Home, £1; a few children in an Irish Sunday School, 10s.; a friend in Orkney, 3s.; another in Queensland, 10s.; a fellow-worker, £2 10s.; "a small thank-offering in loving memory;" a lady in Bath, £1, with 10s. for the Sanatoria; a mother in memory of her daughter's birthday, 20s.; two children, 2s., and their father, £100.

Here is a letter from a soldier, who went from us as a boy to Canada in 1906. The sergeant of whom he writes is another of the same party who has been awarded the Military Medal:—

It does give me great pleasure to write you. I thank you for the parcel and New Year Letter. I rejoice with you all that you have been able to pull through another year with success, and my earnest wish and prayer is that the year 1918 will go well. I remember the text written on the front page of the Bible presented to me on my leaving for Canada. These are the words—"In all thy ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct thy paths." Dear friend, I realise the great difficulties that you have to face on account of this infernal war, and so my earnest prayer is that the hearts of the people will be touched and that they will give liberally to the most noble cause, which was started by your beloved father. What a blessing it must be to the soldier who comes out here and has a family depending on him, to know that in the event of anything happening to him, there is such a place as the Homes at Bridge-of-Weir. I met Sergt. — the other day. He is looking quite well. I understand there are a number of O.H.S. boys in his battalion.

In the New Zealand mail is a very nice letter from one of our girls, enclosing orders for 30s. from her aunt, her two sisters, and herself. One of the older boys in the village, who has been with us since infancy, has given 5s. from his savings; one of the girls, in a situation in this country,

15s.; a helper in Otago, £40; a lady friend, £25 to support two children, "as a small token of my thankfulness for the blessings I have received during 1917;" a city firm, 1,000 daffodil and 350 tulip bulbs to brighten the village in the coming spring; another of our girls, £1; two friends, £12, to support a girl in the "James Wilson Home," "in memoriam E.M.S.;" two missionaries in North Africa, £1; a city baker, 100 dozen loaves; one of our girls in this country, 10s.; a Sunday School in Lerwick, £2; another in Stornoway, £1; the children of missionaries in Livingstonia, 25s., "the money is from our little ones' own savings, so that they may learn to be givers;" and a family, who have remembered our needs for years at this season, 21s., which they collect at the family table in a cap on New Year's Day. The sender of it explains that, "Only one daughter (a soldier's wife) and our little grandson left to make up the collection. The boys in France and Mesopotamia don't forget their youthful 'cap' collection."

FEBRUARY, 1918.—On our donation list this month we find £1 from Janetta, "A mite for the little ones;" 10s. 6d. from a friend in Cardiff, who says, "These are certainly dark days, but it is good ever to bear in mind that the love of our unchangeable Friend is as great as His power, and knows neither measure nor end;" £1 15s. 6d. from friends in Annan; £2 for the Homes, and £1 for the Sanatoria, from a donor in Ayr; 10s. from a Mission Bible Class; £5 from a Workmen's Charity Fund; £50 from an old friend in Ayrshire, who writes, "Everything is so dear now it must take a lot to keep a household like yours going;" £2 from Edinburgh, "to assist you in your ministry of love and material help to so many needy ones;" 10s. from a helper in Anstruther, with 5s. from a friend; other 10s. from a Sabbath School in the North; £43 for the Homes, with £7 for the Colony of Mercy, from two friends labouring for the good of our soldiers in Malta; £1 7s. 6d. from two little girls, who write, "We have gathered this amount during the past year by having a small entertainment every Saturday evening. We both hope it will be of use to you in your good work."

The following is part of a letter from one of our old boys in Canada, enclosing a gift of five dollars:—

Just a line as an annual reminder that I am still in the land of the living. Myself and family are enjoying good health at present. Hope this finds you and all connected with the Homes well and happy. I received the hymn book all right and thank you ever so much for it. It seemed like renewing acquaintance with old friends. We are having some very cold weather here just now, the most severe we have had for some years. Our winter set in four weeks ahead of time, and has been cold every day since. Our oldest boy is still in the old land on active service. He got over his wound all right, and we pray and trust the war will end before he or many other brave fellows will get a chance to get wounded again. Enclosed you will find postal note for five dollars. I had hoped to increase the amount this year, but it seems to take so much with so many demands for money, we have to share as well as we can.

Among gifts "in kind" are 10 articles of clothing and 13 pairs socks from a Campbeltown friend; 10 lbs. rice from an anonymous donor, and a six-pound tin of tea from another; 60 dozen bread from a Glasgow bakery; 5 garments and 2 pairs stockings from two helpers in Sauchen; a splendid gift of 214 articles of clothing and 42 pairs of stockings from our faithful helpers in Largs; 12 pillow slips from Edinburgh, and 10

cases evaporated milk from a business firm in the same city; 19 articles of clothing from Paisley, and a box of biscuits from an anonymous donor.

Other items on our donation list are £1 from a friend who keeps poultry, who writes, "I always send what I can off my egg money;" 2s. from a Catterick mess table; 10s. from a Railway Mission Sabbath School in Dumbartonshire; £2 from a Troon Sabbath School, and £1 from a Mission Sabbath School in Stranraer; £5 from a Glasgow gentleman; £25 from another in Motherwell; 17s. is a share of the contents of a Y.W. Bible Class box. The sender writes, "My sisters and I thank God that the young people have the teaching on the good old lines;" 5s. from Falkirk, with the words, "It is small, but 'every little mak's a muckle';" 2s. 6d. from Ayr; £1 from a donor who expresses her "thankfulness to be able to take a little share in the work;" £1 1s. is "my wee bit towards your great work;" £1 from a friend, with 4s. 6d. from "my little daughter not yet 9 years old, who sent 1s. from her money box last year, but resolved to do better this year. She made lavender bags and sold them, getting 4s. 6d., which she sends with her best wishes;" 10 dollars from two helpers in British Columbia; a friend in Kinross sends £5 as a thank-offering for returning health; £1 "To help one of His little ones;" £5 from a lady in Aberdeen; £2 from a Women's Work Party in the same city; £1 1s. from two new donors in London; £30 from a local friend; £5 from one in Mauchline, who says, "It must take a lot these trying times to keep things moving."

The following brief letter with gift enclosed is from one of our soldier boys in this country:—

I received your parcel on Sunday morning and thank you very much for it. You will see by my address that I am back in E. again, but I am wondering where my next shift will be to. I was reading some of the short letters of the boys and girls who are helping in the work of the Homes, so I will send on £1 to help some other one. I am quite well, and getting along all right.

An Army Major sends £25 for the Homes and £25 for the Sanatoria; a Lance-Corporal, £1 on his 19th birthday; a sister continues her late brother's gift of £5; "M." forwards £20; a soldier boy who spent his leave in the village, £1; a father and mother in memory of their baby, £2; a daughter, in memory of her dear mother, £2; a friend who visited the Homes about Christmas time sends 10s., and says, "What we saw on that occasion will not quickly fade from our memories;" £20 is the increased gift of a friend and his family for the support of an orphan girl. He writes as follows: "You have many anxieties at this time with cost and rationing of food, and the dearness of all material, but I rejoice to see by your report that 'my God shall supply and has supplied all your wants,' and that by prayer;" 10s. is the widow's mite from an old contributor over seventy. The largest gift this month is £1,000 from an anonymous donor as "A thank-offering to God for hearing and answering my prayers," and two legacies of £1,008 16s. 8d., and £2,000 which fell due helped to increase the total.

The following letter from one of our old City Home girls exemplifies the truth of the text, "Cast thy bread upon the waters, for thou shalt find it after many days." She says:—

Please excuse the liberty I take in writing to you. I am one of Mr. Quarrier's old girls. I was two years in James Morrison Street Home in Mr. and Mrs. King's

time, and I really think it was the happiest time of my life. I am cook in this place nearly four years now. I came across a book of Mr. Quarrier's life, and the thought struck me that I had never tried to do a little in return for all I had got done for me. So I am sending £2; it will perhaps help some poor child.

MARCH, 1918.—The annual school demonstration and prize-giving took place on the 26th inst. The class rooms were thrown open to visitors in the afternoon, and a display of gymnastics and semaphore signalling was given in the school hall. We were pleased to have Sir Samuel Chisholm again in the chair at the evening entertainment, and a programme of songs, recitations, and musical drill was admirably carried through and much enjoyed by all present. In the absence of Lady Chisholm through illness the prizes were presented to the winners by Lady Maclay. The work done by the children, and the way in which they took their parts in the various exercises, bore evidence of much patient work on the part of the teaching staff.

Gifts for the work reach us from all parts of the world, and this month we are cheered by a gift of £5 15s. from a number of missionaries in Africa, who, amid their own labours, have thought of the needs of the fatherless children; £1 is "A thank-offering for all God's goodness to us," and another £1 "In memory of E. L. M.;" 10s. is the gift of a new donor in Forres, who says, "I hope although it is the first, that it won't be the last;" £1 is "In memory of our dear mother who took a keen interest in your great work," by her daughters; £1 for the Colony of Mercy, from Stirling; £7 from a Women's Foreign Mission in Bathgate. One of our old girls in a situation in this country sends 5s., and writes:—

I drop you this note to let you know that I have not forgotten you, and also enclose five shilling order, and will send it every month, and more if possible, for I have not forgotten what was done for me when I was in the Homes. I hope to see them again some time in the summer. I received your letter and other little things at the New Year, and was pleased to get them. I hope this finds you all well.

Friends in Strathblane and elsewhere send £14 10s.; a medical missionary, £20; a helper in Cleland, £1 as a thank-offering; £5 from Crieff; 5s. for the Colony of Mercy, from a new donor in Helensburgh; 10s. from a Boys' and Girls' Religious Society; £1 from a Junior Christian Endeavour Society in Larbert; £5 from two ladies in Edinburgh as their donation for 1917, which they were unable to send; £52 10s. from a new donor in Glasgow; £1 from a friend in Natal, with the words, "There is no want to them that fear Him," and "no good thing will He withhold;" £1 from New Zealand; £7 10s. from Australia; other £4 from two friends in New Zealand; £6 from Queensland; £25 from a Glasgow gentleman; £1 from one who says, "God bless you in your work. I can well remember your dear father in the old days;" £10 from Greenock; £3 from a new giver in Dumfriesshire, who says, "Please accept the enclosed as a gift from the Lord, for it is He who prompted me to give it, and I do so gladly unto Him;" a mother in Edinburgh sends £1 10s., with £2 from two of her boys home on leave, and 10s. from a married daughter; £1 from Keith "as a thank-offering for the mercies of the past year."

Among gifts "in kind" are a large quantity of useful clothing, hats, etc., from a branch of the S.G.F.S.; 5 pairs stockings and a pair of gloves

from an anonymous donor, with the words, "a few little stockings for a few little feet;" a quantity of vegetable seeds from a firm of seedsmen; a large gift of bread from a Glasgow bakery; 10 articles of clothing from a branch of the Y.W.C.A.; 36 garments from a girls' school in Fifeshire; 71 articles of clothing, etc., from a "Y" branch of the British Women's Temperance Association; 70 girls' coats from a friend in England, who sends us valuable help in this way from time to time; 2 pairs of stockings from one who says, "I wish it were twenty instead of two."

A new helper in Aberdeen sends £5; a friend in Polmont, £2; "In memory J. M.," £5; a Border lady, £7 10s., with the words, "The gold and the silver are Mine, and the cattle upon a thousand hills;" 10s. from Berwick-on-Tweed; 2s. 6d. from Renfrew; £5 from Carluke; £1 4s. from a Sabbath School in Clarkston; 5s. from a husband and wife in Edinburgh, "in memory of our own who are with Christ;" 10s. from a new donor in Clydebank; 10s. for the Sanatoria, "in loving memory;" 5s. from one who says, "In these days of stress and strain your needs must be greater, but you have a wonderful Provider;" £2 from India; £1 from the Sanatoria from a friend in Rutherglen, who says, "I continue in prayer for the inmates that our blessed Lord will restore many to health again;" £2 from Dundee, in memory of a dearly loved son. The mother writes, "We are living in dark and difficult days, but 'God is our refuge and strength,' and our expectation is from Him. May He abundantly supply your needs out of His riches in these trying times;" £1 from two servants. The sender says, "What a God is ours, and, oh! what joy one has in doing the things that give Him pleasure." The payment of three legacies this month has added £950 to the funds of the Homes.

The following is part of a letter from one of our girls in Canada:—

Just a little letter to let you know how I am getting along. I have been very lonely. My brother J. died of his wounds received at the battle of Lens. He was wounded in seven places. He went through several operations. Poor lad! he suffered quite a lot. I really think he did his bit. I am sending you a dollar as a little donation to help you on with your good work. I will send another later on.

APRIL, 1918.—A friend in Birkenhead sends 10s. and writes, "We rejoice to know all your needs have been so gloriously met this past year as before. Surely songs of praise should ascend to Him—Emmanuel—from all who know how His name of Wonderful has been shown unto you and your helpers;" £1 is from a Glasgow lady in straitened circumstances, who is often laid aside by illness; 5s. from one of our old girls in this country, and other 5s. from another; £5 for the Homes, and £2 for the Sanatoria, from Dollar; 2s. 6d. from two helpers in Stranraer; 10s. from a lady who has one of our girls as a maid in her home. She writes regarding her, "A. is quite a help in the house; is of a happy disposition and pleasant to work with, and I thank you heartily for letting me have her. She often speaks of the Homes and has a very kindly remembrance of them." Nothing gives us more pleasure than to hear that our children are doing well and earning a good name for themselves. £1 is from a Wishaw Bible Class; 5s. from another in Buckhaven; 3s.

6d. from W. P. T., Greenock; £1 from a member of a girls' "Y" Class, "who has worked all winter making and selling fancy work to raise this money;" £25 from a father and mother, and £5 from their two daughters; an aged friend sends £5 and writes, "As I have now passed the four score years, I don't expect to be long here now, and as I have a few pounds of my own I wish to dispose of it myself, as it might not be done as I wish after I'm away;" a friend in Glasgow, who says, "I always remember the Homes in prayer every week," forwards £1, with 14s. 6d. from a Junior Bible Class; £10 from North Berwick; £15 from a new donor in Hastings; 10s. from Blantyre is "just a few crumbs for you and your dear children;" £100 from a Glasgow business gentleman; £200 is "In loving memory of Winnie," who often helped the children; £4 from a Sabbath School in the United States.

The following letter, with gift enclosed, is from one of our girls in a situation in this country:—

I am in just a lovely Christian home with everything I need, and I am quite unable to thank you and the other friends at Bridge-of-Weir for the five years of tender care and help I received whilst there, and also for sending me to this lovely home. It is now five weeks since I came here, and I have received one pound which I am sending on as a small thankoffering to the One who did so much for me.

A friend in Aberdeen sends 25 boys' shirts; another in Biggar, £4 and a quantity of useful clothing; 19 girls' hats come from Kilsyth and 17 garments from a branch of the Y.W.C.A. in Dumfriesshire; a U.F. Church Women's Guild forwards 29 useful garments and a donation of £1; an Edinburgh Dorcas Society, 12 articles of clothing; and two sisters in Peebles, £1 and five pairs of socks, with the words, "I was a stranger and ye took Me in, naked and ye clothed Me." "Inasmuch as ye did it unto one of the least of these my brethren ye did it unto Me."

Other items on the donation list are 5s. for the Colony of Mercy, from "One who is interested in all that is done in the service of the Master who did so much for us;" 10s. from a new donor in Coventry, who says, "I have just been reading a life of William Quarrier and a sketch of his work, and should like to give the enclosed towards the general work under your charge;" £1 16s. 10d. from a Thurso Sabbath School; £5 from one who spent some time as a patient in the Sanatoria; £2 from a lady in the United States, who says, "God still lives, and has never failed any who put their trust in Him." We gladly bear witness to the truth of these words in our own experience even in these difficult days and years of war through which we have passed. A friend in South Africa sends £1 1s.; a Pumpherston Bible Class, £1; "Of Thine Own," £2; "Inasmuch" sends £2 10s., and writes, "I have pleasure in again being permitted to send this token of His unfailing goodness. Having lived to prove David's confidence, 'I shall not want,' I hope, pray, and believe that all who trust Him for daily mercies will find them never failing. He daily loadeth us with His mercies, therefore we will raise our Ebenezer;" 7s. for the Homes, and 3s. for the Colony of Mercy, from one in Dundee, who says, "I received, the other day, a small sum of money unexpectedly; the enclosed I give as a thank-offering to the Lord;" £3 is "in continua-

tion of the subscription formerly given by my late aunt;" £15 from Ayr; £25 from Darlington; £1 from a worker in an orphanage in the Transvaal, who says, "How our hearts went out in praise to God when we saw how blessedly He had met all your needs during the past year with such trouble all around;" £10 from Dunblane; 10s. from an Ecclefechan Sabbath School; 5s. 6d. from a helper in Oban; £10 in a registered envelope under Peterhead postmark; 10s. from a Junior Branch of the Y.W.C.A.; £20 from a husband and wife in South Australia, who say, "We are glad to be able thus to increase the amount, as we feel sure the need must be great in these terrible days;" £5 from China; and £1 1s. from a Gourrock Sabbath School. The payment of a legacy of £3,500, and another of £859 4s. 9d., have helped to augment the total for the month.

MAY, 1918.—A husband and wife who adopted a little girl ten years ago send 10s., and write, "Just a note to say that M. is getting on nicely and is growing a fine big girl. She is in her fourteenth year now, and is a great help to us;" £15 is from "Leith Friends" for the support of a girl; £5 from a gentleman in Hamilton; £1 1s. from a Bible Class in Mid Calder; £1 from one of our old girls; 5s. from a Greenock Sabbath School; 5s. from a Senior Bible Class in Glasgow. We value above everything the prayers of God's children, and so the following sentence in a letter by a Glasgow gentleman, who sends £5, strengthens our hands in the work. He says, "I pray for you all each morning." Two friends in Falkirk send £2 towards the maintenance of the five hundred soldiers' children under our care; 3s. 1d. is from Rendals Nigger; £1 from a Sabbath Morning Fellowship Association in Edinburgh; 10s. from an anonymous donor in New Zealand; 10s. for the Homes, and 10s. for Foreign Missions, from an aged saint of over 85 years, who says, "God is good, and has been good to me all the long journey of life. I am over 85 years old, and can do lots of work for myself and others, and go to church and market."

The following letter, with gift enclosed, is from one of our old girls in a situation in this country:—

Again I have the pleasure of answering another of your most welcome letters received some few days ago. By it I see your family is still growing larger. The cottages and school will be quite full now. The school prize-giving I see has taken place this year again, and the prizes, I'm sure, wouldn't be few. I don't think I know the boy and girl who won the dux prizes, but I knew the girl who won it last year; we were all in the classes together till I left school. I didn't manage to get any further than Miss D.'s class. When there I received a prize which I still have. "Florence Nightingale" is the name of the book. I had no schooling till I went to the Homes. It was there I got all my education. Please find enclosed P.O. for £1 to help provide for your big family. It comes with all good wishes for the work you have now in hand.

The following are a few of the gifts "in kind" which have reached our stores this month—18 articles of clothing from a few of the members and associates of a branch of the S.G.F.S.; £5 and 30 pairs of stockings, etc., from a friend in Thurso; 8 spencers from Shetland; half chest of tea from an anonymous donor; half ton of soda from a Glasgow gentleman;

2 coats and a pair of stockings from one who says, "Every little helps, and I'm glad to be a 'help';" 3 frocks from a helper in Aberdeen, and 9 pairs of stockings from an invalid confined to her room for six months.

A Women's Guild in Barrhead sends £1 1s.; a lady in Edinburgh, 10s., "in remembrance of my mother;" £1 from a wellwisher; 5s. from a Dumfries helper; a friend who along with his wife visited the Homes and saw our large family in church, forwards £2 and writes, "I had often heard of the splendid services you had in the church on Sabbaths, and longed to see it for myself. Now I can say that beautiful, well-filled church of bright, happy faces will live in my memory for many a day, and as I travel up and down the country wherever I hear people speak of Quarrier's Homes I will tell them of that inspiring sight." A missionary and his family in Cape Colony send 10s.; a Hamilton Sabbath School, £1 10s.; a Junior Christian Endeavour Society in Edinburgh, 5s.; a business firm in Glasgow, £15; a lady in Wemyss Bay, £25; a birthday thank-offering, £1; a frequent helper in California, ten dollars; £10 from Grangemouth, "In memory of little Alick;" 13s. from a family in Queensland; £25 from one in Dumbarton, who says, "At this time I should imagine there are special claims upon you, and I send you this cheque as a mark of my sympathy;" and £5 anonymously from one who signs "Christian," Queensland.

JUNE, 1918.—A friend in Edinburgh sends £2, and says, "It is delightful to see the many and various things that God puts into people's hearts to send you, and I am sure the Report helps to strengthen the faith of others;" an old donor in Gourock, £1; a Senior Bible Class in Cambuslang, 3s.; a Ballater Sabbath School, £1; a helper in Kintore, 4s.; another in Partick, who says, "I trust you are being wonderfully helped during these difficult and troublous times," £1; one of our old girls, £1; a gentleman in Staines, £10; two friends in Glasgow, other £10; "Birthday" sends 5s.; a branch of the Y.W.C.A. in Kirkwall, £1, instead of the usual gift of garments; 5s. from an anonymous donor, who says, "May God bless and prosper you in your good work;" 10s. from Troon; a father sends £45 from his son in India; 5s. from a new donor in Sussex; £5 from Gretna Township School, being part proceeds of a concert towards the parcel fund for our Canadian soldier boys; 10s. from a Mission Bible Class in Greenock; 2s. 6d. from a new helper in Swansea; £1 anonymously, "To help to feed the large family of bairns;" £3 from Glen-garnock; £1 10s. and 11 articles of clothing from a branch of the Y.W.C.A. The secretary writes, "I trust the articles will be found useful. I only wish the parcel had been larger, but I suppose you find all the little help."

One of our boys writes:—

It is a long time ago since I wrote to you, and it is a pleasure now to do so once more. I hope the Homes are going on all right. My two sisters are getting on splendid at their work. I am still in the G.E.R. and am getting on all right. I have given my heart to Jesus as He will lead me in the narrow way. The minister through whom I was converted died about three weeks ago, and it was a sad blow to all of us who deeply mourned him. I am enclosing a 2s. P.O. towards the Homes, which have done so much for me. I hope to send more next time I write.

The following are a few of the gifts "in kind," which are greatly appreciated in these days of dear prices and scarcity of material: 30 pairs of stockings and 14 garments from a Glasgow Work Party; 17 articles of clothing made by the servant of an aged friend, who writes, "I am now 87 years of age and cannot do the cutting and sewing, but can still have the privilege of supplying the material;" a box of sundries from Glenluce; 8 flannel garments from Paisley, and 59 articles of clothing from a Church Work Party in Melrose.

A Young People's Bible Class in Edinburgh sends £1 12s. 2d.; a friend in New Stevenston, £6 10s., which is the Lord's tenth; a lady in Edinburgh doubles her annual gift and sends £1 instead of 10s.; an old worker, 10s.; a Mothers' Meeting, 5s.; £2 3s. from a Gospel Hall Sabbath School in Queensland. The sender writes, "It is pleasing to note that the needs of the Homes have been met notwithstanding the most trying times you are passing through, and when so many demands are being made on the community. It just shows how unchangeable God is, and that His promises are true and no circumstances take Him by surprise." A daughter in Greenock sends 3s. "in loving memory of a loving, true, and just father;" an old worker, 10s., with 10s. 6d. from his Sabbath School Class; a "Soldier Brother in the Lord," 10s.; a friend in Walkerburn, £1, with 3s. from her little niece; 5s. as a thank-offering from a family in Bucksburn; £25 from one who gives no address, but asks that the gift be acknowledged in *The Witness*; £8 18s. 6d. from friends in Largs, Fairlie, and Manchester; £1 from two old-age pensioners in Wick; £23 7s. 6d. from friends in Campbeltown and district; £25 from a gentleman in London; 10s. from a new donor in China; £2 from Nyasaland; 2s. 6d. from Galashiels; 10s. from a Govan Y.M. and Y.W.C.A.; 5s. from a Mother's Meeting in Dunfermline, collected in halfpennies and pennies; £5 from an old donor in Wick, who says, "I do not remember how many years I have been sending my mite to your good father, and now to you;" 10s. from two Glasgow friends, with the words, "He faileth not," and £120 from a bakery firm in the same city to be divided between the Homes, Sanatoria, and Colony of Mercy. One of our old girls in a situation at home sends £1 from her sister and self, and writes:—

I had a letter about four months ago from my brother in Canada, and he was telling me he was getting on fine. He was exempted from the Army because he was doing agricultural work. This war is awful; it seems so hard that so many young lives should be lost through it; still we must just keep praying and trusting in God for all things, and He will not fail us. I enclose a small gift from M. and myself. It isn't much I know, and it seems still smaller when I look back and think on all the care that was bestowed upon me, and the many happy days I spent in the Homes.

JULY, 1918.—A few of the girls in a Hawick warehouse send £2 8s. as a summer donation; £1 comes from a Paisley mill girl, who says, "I was glad you managed so well last year, and hope to hear the same next time;" £1 10s. from a Penicuik Sabbath School; 2s. 6d. from an old friend in Shetland; 10s. from one in Caithness who has been presented with a sum of money and sends a share of it for the orphans; £1 from

the Infant Class of a Mission Sabbath School in Glasgow; £50 for the Sanatoria from a new donor in Lochgilphead; £3 "for your great and God-honoured work," by a Glasgow pastor; 10s. for the Sanatoria from Galashiels; other 10s. for the Homes from "Tweedside;" 2s. 6d. from a helper in Glasgow; £1 from Belfast is "In memory of my beloved and sainted mother," by her daughter; 10s. from a mother in London, who writes, "As Friday, 5th, is the birthday of our little daughter whom the Lord gave us just to see for a moment or two and then took to Himself. I enclose our little gift in memory of her towards your grand work;" 7s. 3d. is sent anonymously under Stirling postmark; 7s., "as I didn't manage to send you anything at New Year time," from an Edinburgh donor; £3 8s. from a few friends in Natal, and £1 from the same country from another friend, "for the children of soldiers who have been killed in the war." Among gifts "in kind" are 50 boxes of kippers, a valuable and welcome gift in these war days; 6 pairs of socks, to send to our soldier boys, from one who has been raised up from a serious illness, who says, "I thank God He has lengthened my days and that my hands now are able to hold the wires;" 14 dozen loaves from a Glasgow baker; 29 articles of clothing from a friend in Campbeltown; and 2 hams from a Glasgow firm.

A number of friends in Largs send £13 7s. 6d.; a Y.M.C.A. in Motherwell, 10s.; an anonymous donor, 5s. "extra this year to help for cost of increased prices;" a friend in New Jersey has collected £4, which, she says, "is only a drop in the bucket." But the bucket is filled by such drops. £1 comes from Newton Stewart for the Colony of Mercy; 6s. from one of our old girls; £25 from a Glasgow gentleman; £6 from two brothers in Edinburgh; £1 from a Children's Service in Melrose; £12 15s. from a 2nd Lieutenant in the Army; £2 from Derby; 5s. from Scotstoun for the Sanatoria; £1 is "a thank-offering to the Lord for His goodness to our soldier boy in keeping him thus far" (Rom. v. 28), by a Glasgow father and mother; 5s. from a friend in Aberdeen; 7s. 6d. from a U.F. Church Bible Class in Caithness; £1 2s. 6d. from a lady in London for the Invalid Girls' Home; an anonymous donor in Edinburgh forwards £75 and says, "I am sure you can say from the heart 'Hitherto hath the Lord helped us' even in these anxious days;" £133 10s. comes from Hong Kong, the result of a Church Jumble Sale; £20 from the workers of a munitions factory; £3 from a new donor in Belfast is "a trifle towards your Orphan Homes and the good work that is being done;" one of our old boys now grown up and in business on his own account sends £10 from his wife and himself, and writes, "We are leaving to-day for holidays in England, and trust you will find this useful for the little ones. I don't forget all the kindness that I received whilst a boy at the Home, and pray that God will abundantly bless you;" another grown-up member of our family in Canada, who sent a gift of £3 in November last, now sends a bank draft for 100 dollars, "which," he says, "will be a help to feed some little children;" one of our old girls sends £5, being part of a small legacy left her by her brother who was killed in the war. An old donor and his wife, with two of their children, visited the Homes

for the first time this month, and on sending on his gift of £2 he gives their impressions of their visit in the following lines, "Yesterday along with my dear wife and two of our children, we were enabled to pay a long-talked of and much-longed-for visit to the Homes. The visit exceeded our expectations. Having had a good look round we joyfully say God is, God loves. 'This God is our God for ever and ever.'" 5s. is the mite of a working man in England, who says, "I pray that God will give you strength to carry on;" other 5s. is a thank-offering from two brothers, former members of our family; 10s. from an Helensburgh Band of Hope; £1 is "for the orphans' food bill," from Wigtown; and £100 from one in Orkney, who writes, "May our loving and gracious God spare you to carry on the business which is, and has been, such a blessing to many."

AUGUST, 1918.—Another year of awful war has run its course, and we have still the same testimony to bear to God's faithfulness in providing for every need of the large family in the Homes. "His compassions fail not. They are new every morning: great is Thy faithfulness." We have the same answer to return to our Lord on this fourth anniversary of the beginning of this world war as the disciples of old, when He asked them, "Lacked ye anything? And they said, nothing." "The Lord of us hath mindful been, and He will bless us still."

A friend in Helensburgh sends 10s. "to help a little bit in the great work of saving the children;" a school class after visiting the Homes, 2s., being pennies they had got to spend on themselves; £1 from an old donor in Orkney, who says, "God grant His richest blessing on your large family, and yourself, and every worker in your blessed Homes is my daily prayer;" £5 for the Homes, and the same for the Sanatoria from a business gentleman in Glasgow; £3 for the Homes, and £2 for the Colony of Mercy, from Lanark; £4 5s. from readers of *The Christian*; a friend, whose wife was for some time a patient in the Sanatoria, forwards £1, and writes, "Your Home has always been before me as God's provision for the poor, and truly my wife and I were very poor, but being children of a rich Father we are now able to send our first thank-offering to your magnificent Homes;" one of our old girls, 10s.; a Railway Mission Sabbath School in Dumbartonshire, 10s.; a branch of the Y.W.C.A. in Orkney, 14s. 3d. and a parcel of socks; a mother in Stirlingshire, who has lost one son in the war, sends 10s. as a thank-offering to God for bringing her other son home safe; a Working Boys' and Girls' Religious Society, £3 2s. 6d.; an anonymous donor in Edinburgh, 10s.; two friends in Glasgow, £10; a lady in Dundee, £5 from her boy in France, "to help to feed your large family in these strenuous times;" 5s. from "Sympathy;" £10 from Troon; £1 from one in Montrose, who says, "It has been laid on my heart to send you enclosed;" £5 from "George's sisters" for their orphan; 5s. from Swansea; £2 13s. from an Uddingston Sabbath School to be divided between the Homes and Sanatoria; £14 "In memory of Lance-Corporal R. D.;" £1 from a nurse in Motherwell; £1 5s. 6d. from a helper in Keith, who says, "I often think of and pray

for you in these trying times ;” £2 anonymously under West Kilbride postmark ; 2s. 6d. from a gunner in Italy ; £2 from Dundee as a thank-offering for prosperity in business ; £10 is the joint offering of a lady in Edinburgh, who is recovering from a serious illness, and her sister ; £1 from a Mission Sabbath School in Keith. Among gifts “in kind” are 99 girls’ coats and 55 frocks from Darlington ; 6 boys’ shirts from a lady in Kennethmont ; 60 boxes kippers from “Fellowship” ; 8 pairs stockings from a Women’s Guild in Perthshire, and a hamper of teabread from a Glasgow firm. £500 is sent by a War Charities Committee in Hong Kong ; 3s. 6d. by a contributor in Mull ; £1 by a friend in Cleland for the Sanatoria ; £1 5s. by a lady in the Transvaal ; £2 12s. is the amount of collection in an Edinburgh Gospel Hall ; an aged friend in New Zealand seemingly drawing near the end of her pilgrimage journey sends £2 ; “a widow nearly 80 years old, and almost 54 years converted,” forwards 10s. and a pair of shoes, and says, “Praise Him for His goodness to me, for I have good health ;” £1 10s. from the son of a donor in Darlington, who is a Lieutenant in France ; £5 from a Major-General in memory of his wife who took a deep interest in the Homes ; £20 from a new donor in Fraserburgh, with the words, “God is a very present help in trouble ;” £10 from the same town, from one who wishes to be entered as “A Fisherman in Fraserburgh, a lover of the Work ;” £100 from a new donor in Glasgow in memory of his mother ; and £50 from another gentleman in the same city.

SEPTEMBER, 1918.—Very reluctantly we had to give up the idea of holding the usual public Biennial Thanksgiving and Memorial Day this year, on account of the prevailing war conditions. The 29th inst., the anniversary of the beloved founder’s birthday, falling on a Sabbath, the services on that day took the form of Thanksgiving and Memorial. Rev. Dr. Smellie of Carluke was the preacher, and his addresses were very helpful and greatly enjoyed.

A Glasgow lady sends £1, and writes, “We often remember you in prayer, and are occasionally at the Service on Sabbath when in Bridge-of-Weir for a week-end. It is one of the most inspiring days one can have, and is a great encouragement to faith as we battle on in this great city ;” a friend in Lesmahagow, £18 ; one of our old girls in a situation at home, 12s. ; a Peebles Sabbath School, £2 10s. ; a new donor in Lanarkshire, £10 ; a Pleasant Sunday Afternoon Meeting, £3 ; another new donor in Perth, £2 ; 5 dollars come from Vancouver, from “a loving friend,” who says, “I do send my best wishes and pray that your efforts will be blessed ;” an old boy and girl now happily married, 10s. ; Children’s Seashore Services at Dunoon, £2 ; Friends in Moffat, £6 9s. 6d. ; a friend in Edinburgh who was unable to send his gift last year on account of illness now sends £1 10s., having doubled his usual amount and added 10s. for extra expenses ; £1 comes from Dunecht ; £12 from two friends in Whiteinch ; 10s. from a husband and wife who have been interested in the work for the past twenty-seven years, and £30 from one of the Lord’s

stewards in Glasgow. The following is part of a letter, with gift enclosed, from an old girl in the United States :—

I suppose you will be thinking that I have forgotten all about Bridge-of-Weir, but you will see by this that I have not. I wonder how everything is ; I suppose just about the same as it was when I left in 1910. Do you feel the effects of the war very much in the village ? Undoubtedly you do, but still we have the assurance, “The Lord will provide.” I am well and getting along nicely. I came over to the States two years ago and started to take up nursing, but after I had been nursing for about a year and a half I began to feel the effects of it as it is very hard work. So now I am doing office work. I was married a year ago last 11th May. I have got a dear, good, Christian husband, so have been very fortunate, as nowadays they are hard to get, especially in this country. The Lord has certainly been gracious to us. We have a lovely place here and every comfort. My husband is the electrician, so we are getting along very nicely. We were over in Canada last June for three weeks vacation, and had a nice time. I consider Canada my home now. I love Canada. We are enclosing five dollars to help some little bit at the Homes, and hope to be able to send some more soon again. Now closing with heartfelt thanks for all you have done for me, and kindest regards from my husband.

The following gifts “in kind” have reached our Stores—48 hats from Paisley for some of our girls ; 6 pairs of stockings from a friend in Arbroath ; 31 eggs and 2 pats of butter from an anonymous donor ; 33 articles of clothing from a lady in Banchory ; and 17 nice hand-knitted articles from another in Penzance.

A friend near Moffat sends 10s., and writes, “Trusting God, who giveth us all things richly to enjoy, will continue to bless and prosper your noble work ;” £2 from a Dundee lady is “in aid of your grand work for the temporal and spiritual welfare of the bairns ;” £5 from two helpers in Balfour ; 5s. from a Christian Union Girls’ Class ; £10 from Kong Kong ; £12 from an anonymous donor ; £1 from a Baptist Church Sabbath School. The sender says, “Our prayers go with the donation that God will bless you in your noble work ;” £6 from a Boys’ and Girls’ Religious Association ; 4s. from Stromness ; fifteen dollars from British Columbia ; £1 is a “Birthday In Memoriam ;” 4s. from a friend in Edinburgh ; and £10 from a husband and wife in India, who write, “We send this with our best wishes for the great and good work carried on by the Homes, and trust that in the midst of all the trials and difficulties of the present time you are having the wherewithal needed for your large family.”

OCTOBER, 1918.—We have now come to the last month of another year, and what was said by Moses regarding the Promised Land is equally true of the Children’s City, “The eyes of the Lord our God are always upon it, from the beginning of the year unto the end of the year.”

Each day reveals His constant love,
With “mercies new” from Heaven above.

Among the tokens of His constant love and care are the following :—10s., “Sept. 12, In memory of little Willie’s birthday ;” 5s. from a friend in Edinburgh ; £1 from “an old wellwisher ;” £3 from a new donor

in Macduff; £5 from a Mission Sabbath School in Edinburgh. The sender says, "It has usually been sent abroad, but this year it was suggested by the teachers to send it for your bairns." A Scotch woman in London sends 5s.; a helper in Bradford, 10s., and writes, "So thankful you have had your every need so bountifully supplied. You can have no misgivings for the future;" a Sabbath School in North Bute, 10s.; a new contributor in Glasgow forwards £1 and says, "I hope it may help your good cause, at least a tiny bit;" another in Dundee, 5s.; and still another in Edinburgh, who says, "I have found great help in reading in 'William Quarrier' of God's faithfulness," £1, "to help feed a few of your bairns." A lady in New Zealand forwards £1; a Glasgow gentleman and his family, £25; an Edinburgh Sabbath School, £1 5s.; one of our soldier boys spending his leave in the old Home, £4; another new contributor in Nottingham sends £2, and writes, "I have had it laid on my mind to send you the enclosed to help you in the work of your orphans. 'As you have freely received, so freely give, is the word of the Master;" 5s. is a "small offering for the children" from Glasgow; 2s. towards the expenses of the Hallowe'en treat from an old boy who remembers these happy occasions. Hallowe'en was held on the 28th inst., when the children had a school holiday. In spite of the difficulty of supplies and prices a small quantity of apples was procured, and along with grapes, cakes, and a gift of sweets, and, of course, the indispensable potatoes with their strange ingredients, the young folks had a very happy time.

A branch of the Y.W.C.A. forwards 24 articles of clothing; a Glasgow helper, £1 and 12 pairs socks; a lady in Thurso, 4 useful girls' coats, with 8 pairs socks and stockings and 1 towel; a Dunoon friend, 6 scarves; a Kilmarnock firm, a useful parcel of sundries for our Stores; and 28 skirts from Aberdeen.

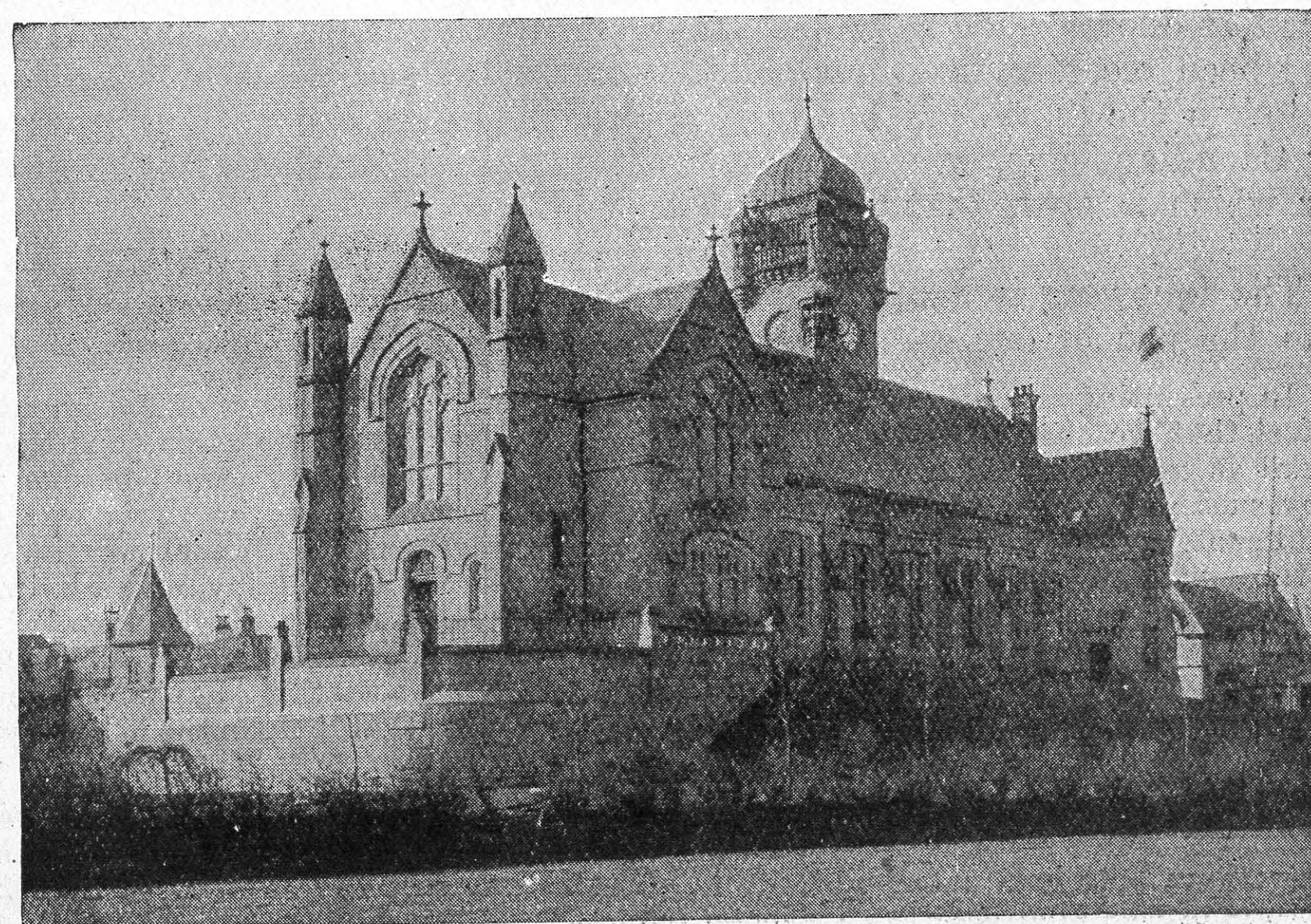
Other money gifts which have been received are 5 dollars from a friend in British Columbia; 30s. from a Glasgow Boys' and Girls' Religious Society; £1 from a Kilbarchan Sabbath School; a father sends £2 from his daughter, and writes, "My daughter writes from her hospital in France that she had a dream about, and had been thinking much of your Homes, and the good work you are carrying on for the Master, and requests me to send for her two pounds;" £2 for the Homes and £2 for the Colony of Mercy from Reston; £1 from British Columbia; £1 from a Cambuslang Sabbath School; another £1 from a Sabbath School in Lockerbie. The sender says, "Although our numbers are not so great the collections keep good, and show the interest the pupils have in your work." An Army Captain sends £1 1s., and says, "I am in the wilds of the Himalayas, but I am still not forgetful of your splendid work, and happy still to be able to send my usual subscription;" two young friends in Largs, £2; a new contributor in Fort Augustus, 5s.; "In Memory 14/10/1904," £100; a British Women's Needlework Guild in Siam, £35; a lady in New Zealand, £5; a Ladies' Missionary Association, £2; a mother, who tells of the loss of her second son in the war, sends 10s., and says, "May God's blessing rest on you and all associated

with you in the great work of preserving the dear children, and preparing them for the battle of life;" 5s. is from an invalid in Ireland; other 5s. is a part of the proceeds of the sale of some apples; 10s. from Holytown, "In memory of our little girl;" 2s. 6d. from a friend in Exeter; other 2s. 6d. and 39 articles of clothing from one who says, "As I am not very strong I feel the Lord has given me strength above my asking. His promise is 'As thy days so shall thy strength be.'" Two friends after a visit to the Homes send £1 1s., and write, "My wife and I were much impressed by all we saw on our visit to your fine Homes yesterday. The extensiveness, beauty, and arrangement of your splendid work, carried on among such lovely surroundings, and the general appearance of happiness and well-being far outshone our anticipations."

We trust that the foregoing Narrative, in which we have feebly sought to "show forth His praise," will be used by God for His own glory and the blessing and encouragement of His people to trust more fully in Him. We are sure all the multitude of our friends and helpers the world over will unite with us as we conclude in ascribing "Blessing and glory, and wisdom, and thanksgiving, and honour, and power, and might, unto our God for ever and ever. Amen."

Another year of mercies,
Of faithfulness and grace;
Another year of gladness
In the shining of Thy face.

Another year of service,
Of witness for Thy love;
Another year of training
For holier work above.



THE CHURCH.



FAIRKNOWE HOME,

EMIGRATION WORK.

THIS department has, of course, been again at a standstill in the past year, so far as active emigration is concerned. We have had no touch with Canada except through the medium of the Post Office, and even this has been working in far from a satisfactory manner. Now that the war is over we shall look forward—if the Lord will—to re-open the Canadian door as soon as proper arrangements can be made. Many letters have been received from our children across the sea, some of which are quoted in the diary. It has been a pleasure to see a goodly number of our Canadian boys, who came overseas to take their share in the great war which is now, thank God, at an end.

The following is a brief report of the work at our Canadian Home, from the pen of our good Superintendent, Mr. C. A. Winters:—

In presenting an outline of the work of our fourth year in charge of Fairknowe, we feel that we have little that is new to report. Practically the same conditions prevail as were reported last year. If written in detail the story would be one of many successes and many evidences of the importance of the work. It is true it would contain records of many difficulties and discouragements, and much weariness, yet through it all a golden thread runs. Above all there is abiding joy, and a living, growing sense of the great privilege it is to be "Workers together with Him," by whom, I trust, we are called and chosen for this corner of His vineyard. When the burden seems too heavy, and the complications too great, something happens, something develops, something opens up, and we see once more that "Upon the helm there rests a Hand other than mine."

One special feature of the work this year has been the supplying of our wards and former wards with letters bearing record of their birth-dates. The various registrations, both in Canada and the United States, gave rise to this need. Hundreds of letters of this kind have been sent on request.

Naturally, the reduction in our actual working list (*i.e.*, comprising all boys and girls under eighteen years of age) has continued. This now contains 382 names. However, for various reasons, we have been in correspondence with an increased number of former wards. It should be remembered, too, that a very considerable number between the ages of 18 and 21 years are in close touch with our office.

In regard to applications, it may be said that more than sufficient are available for our needs, in the placing of the children who return. As stated last year, it has become fairly well known throughout this end of the Province that no boys or girls are coming to Canada, and, consequently, the many who would be glad to have our children do not take the trouble to write us as formerly.

The boys and girls have been enabled to save well in spite of the extremely high cost of living, as their wages are more than double those of pre-war days. One boy, aged 17 years, during six months saved \$108.95. The school children, too, have continued the good record set last year; a good percentage being successful at the Entrance Examinations. Ten have been attending the continuation classes or High Schools during the last year, and several have resumed studies by entering Commercial Colleges. The education of our children has received due consideration, and the results have justified the efforts put forth.

More than 400 names are on our Roll of Honour, fully ten per cent. of whom are known to have fallen on the battlefield. Scores have been wounded or are prisoners of war. Honours, too, in the form of D.C.M. or M.M. have come to our lads "over there."

The visiting of the children in their homes is progressing and reveals that, with few exceptions, they have real homes where their welfare is sought. This visitation is one of the most important and most interesting of our duties.

Fortunately we have no deaths to report. The health of our family as a whole has been good. Eighteen marriages have been reported to us since our last report.

We have made rather extensive efforts to make our land provide vegetables, etc., and have had considerable success. This, of course, is a "side line," but war conditions make such efforts a necessity and a duty. Expenses in connection with the carrying on of the work are almost startling when comparison is made with pre-war days, but prices here, as in other parts of the world, are abnormally high, and whether in connection with the maintenance of the work or in visitation, we are compelled to pay twice or more than twice as much as formerly. But there is no doubt when the results are considered the expenditure is well worth while.

HOME AND FOREIGN MISSIONS FUND.

APART from the good which is done by this fund in its ministry to the needs of missionaries in many parts of the world, its influence as an educative force in the lives of our children is not the least of the benefits connected with it. Living as many of them do for years in a quiet country village—some of them from childhood until they go forth to make their way in the world—the tendency would be to become very parochial and circumscribed in their outlook. One of the means for fighting and overcoming this undesirable condition is our system of inspiring in them an interest in God's work, in many other fields than that in which their happy lot is cast at Bridge-of-Weir. Every Lord's Day they have the opportunity of contributing their money to some department of home or foreign mission service, outside of our own gates, and in the past year these weekly offerings have aggregated £362 17s. 10d. Altogether the fund has amounted to £1,391 16s. 1d. Ministering this fund has involved the writing of many letters and receiving many from almost every part of the mission fields. The six missionaries for whom

we are fully responsible—in China, Morocco, Brazil, and Peru—have all been kept in health throughout the year, and each reports a year of earnest service in the Gospel, with some good measure of encouragement.

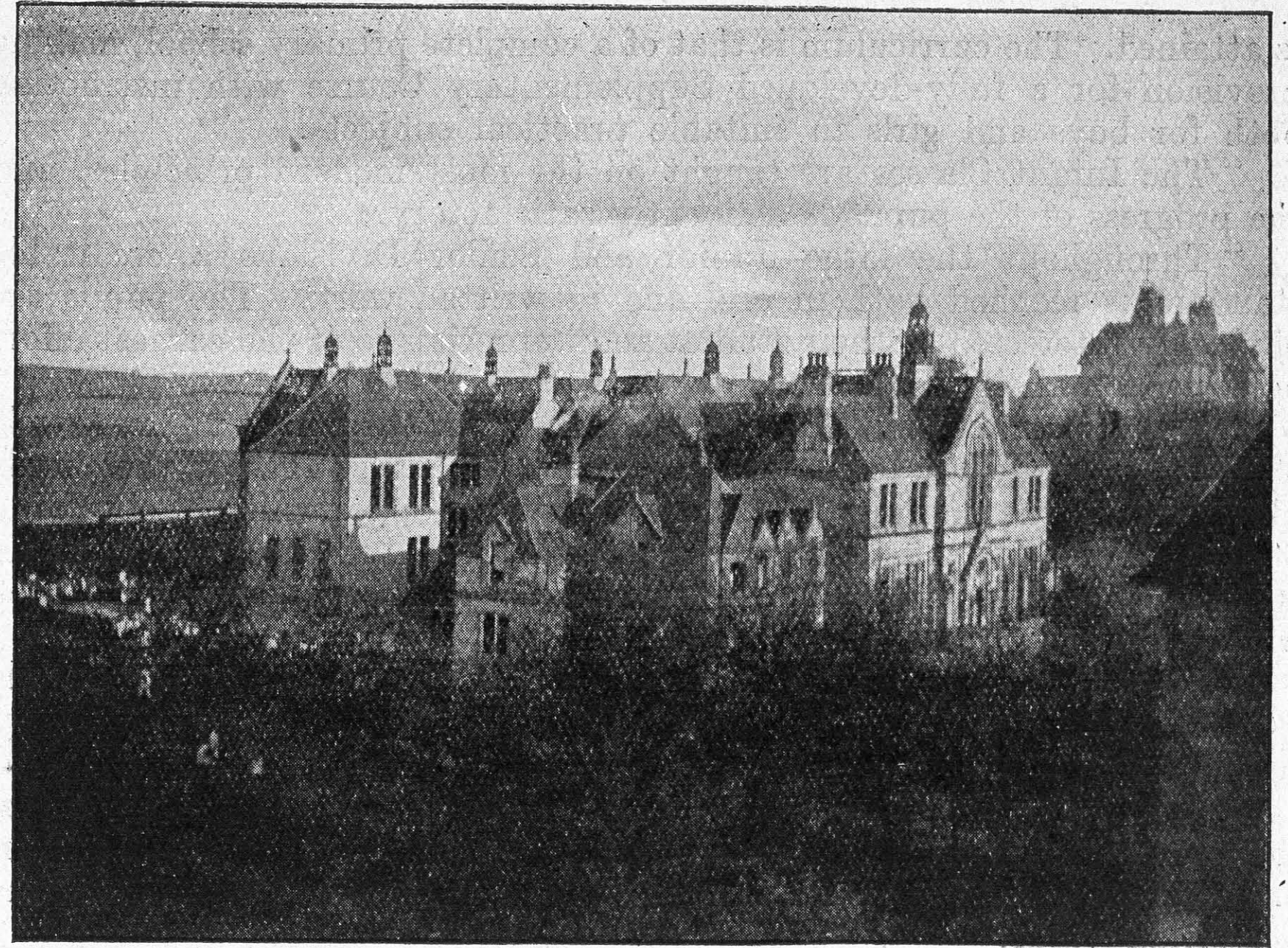
No money is ever used for missionary work unless specially earmarked for that purpose, but all gifts which reach us for this fund go, without any deduction, to the support of men and women who are devoting their lives to the spreading abroad of the knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ, amongst those by whom He is not known.

Here is an extract from a letter just to hand from our lady missionary in Brazil, Mrs. J. H. Haldane :—

Your letter to my husband of 19th July reached us by last mail. He wrote you about a fortnight ago, so I am acknowledging the cheque from the Orphan Homes of Scotland Home and Foreign Missions Fund enclosed with your letter. Thank you very much, and the friends and children who contribute to that fund. It has nearly all been spent already on very necessary articles—such as shoes, stockings, socks, handkerchiefs, calico, dress material, and umbrella. If the friends at home could just take our place for a little time and experience our gratefulness for these gifts, they would feel it was worth while. But we know it is just one of the ways our Lord uses to load us with benefits, and we praise Him and thank you. Our work goes on steadily but not much new to report, except that at Afogadas we now have an evening service on Sundays. If we had competent men to take charge many extensions could be made. As it is, my husband has too much to look after, and it is quite a problem sometimes to know how to arrange speakers for the different meetings. Quite lately too, a C.E. Society has been started in Afogadas. It is our most promising suburban congregation and should really be an organised church. About ten days ago we had the Sunday school children here for the afternoon. They had a fine time running, jumping, marching, and playing games; the swing was a great attraction, but it was comical to see some of the attempts at skipping. The young men from the Bible Class were also present and helped to keep things lively. J. ought to tell you more about his young men. The other Sunday I went down earlier than usual to the Sunday school and found the door of the lesser hall fastened. I peeped through the keyhole and saw a number of the young men met together for prayer, and it made me feel glad.

In his latest letter our missionary in Peru, Mr. John Ritchie, says :—

Herewith I enclose the report of our church in Lima for the year ending 30th June, 1918. In it we report ten baptisms for the year, and seven candidates awaiting baptism (these have since been baptized), a membership of fifty-three effective members in Lima and environs, and about as many definite adherents. The Sunday school has eighty-three scholars and teachers. Since baptizing the seven candidates above referred to, we have formed a new candidates' class which will have at least ten applicants for baptism. We are having a steady stream of new-comers, and always some of them returning again, and coming back so to speak to stay. We gather to communion now more than we used to get on a Sunday evening to the preaching service in my first year back from furlough. Another phase of our developing life, which cheers me very much is the zeal of many of the brethren for the spread of the Gospel. We now have some other meetings going in the vicinity, in private homes. Our open-air meeting has been stopped by the police, but I keep pegging away in the effort to get permission to re-start it. Among the recently baptized was one bright young negro who was converted at the open-air meeting, converted right out of drunkenness and adultery into a clean, straight life, and a bright testimony.



REPORT ON THE ORPHAN HOMES OF SCOTLAND SCHOOL.

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

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

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

In presenting their Fifteenth Annual Report, the Managers are again in a position to show that good progress has been made in all the various departments of this school.

For the year to 15th October, 1918, the numbers and attendances of the pupils stand thus—

	Average Roll.	Average Attendance.	Per Centage Attendance.
Primary School,	1,164	1,089	93.5
Special Classes at Epileptic Colony,	22	19	86.4
Continuation (Sewing) Class, ...	20	18	90.0

During last year 127 pupils passed H.M. Inspector's Examination for enrolment in a Supplementary Course. In the same period 49 pupils, having completed at least one year's study in the classes of the Supplementary Course with satisfactory progress, character and conduct, were awarded the Education Department's Certificate of Merit.

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

"The difficulties inherent in a school of this type present problems the solution of which requires a combination of skill and sympathy on the part of the headmaster and his staff. It is a pleasure to be able to state that a very gratifying measure of success has attended their efforts during the current session.

"In regard to both classification and instruction, as near an approach to normal school circumstances as is possible under the circumstances

is attained. The curriculum is that of a complete primary school, making provision for a fully-developed Supplementary Course with instruction both for boys and girls in suitable practical subjects.

"The Infant Classes are taught on the most modern principles, and the progress of the pupils is eminently satisfactory.

"Throughout the large Junior and Senior Divisions a creditable standard is reached both in oral and in written work. The pupils are obviously interested in their studies and appreciative of the earnest effort bestowed on their instruction.

"The appearance made by the candidates for enrolment under Article 29 I. of the Code was commendably good, while the ages of the pupils are such that the majority of them will have an opportunity of obtaining at least a year's instruction in Supplementary Classes, a result which is specially pleasing in view of the variety of attainment and experience with which they reach the school.

"In the Supplementary Classes, every effort is made to equip the pupils as far as possible for their after school work. Instruction in elementary subjects more or less assimilated in previous years is confirmed and extended by methods calculated to develop initiative and self-reliance on the part of the pupils, and is supplemented by a course of training in practical subjects which has a high educational as well as an obvious utilitarian value.

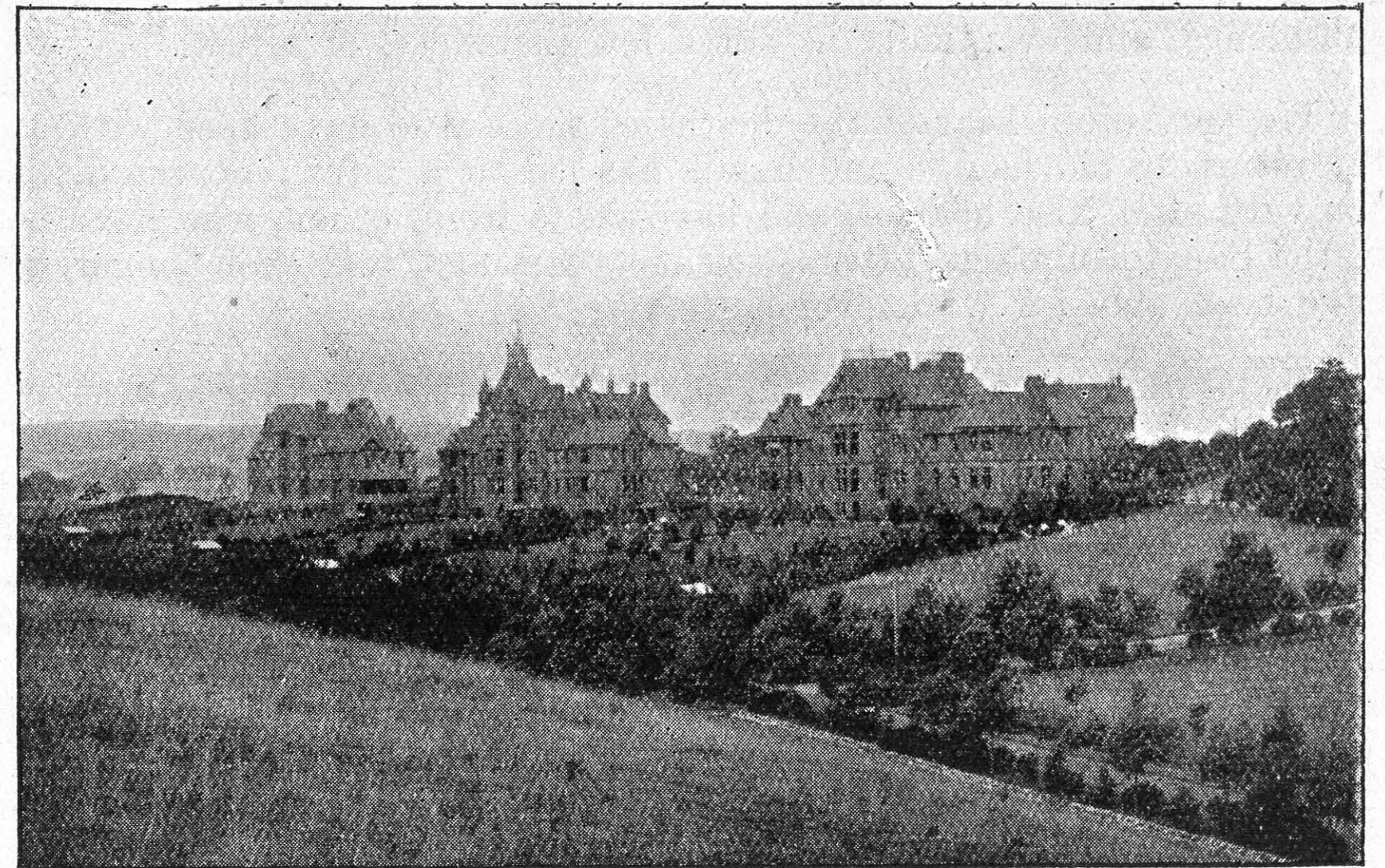
"The tone of the school throughout is a pleasant one."

Owing to circumstances created by the war, the 2nd Bridge-of-Weir Company of The Boys' Brigade, and the No. 1 Bridge-of-Weir Company of The Girls' Guildry, have been in abeyance during the past session. Since the outbreak of war many of the former pupils while on furlough have revisited their old school, and it has been gratifying to learn from their own lips how valuable they found the training here received as members of The Boys' Brigade when engaged in the great "Fight for Right" on the battle-front.

On the work of education the Managers' expenditure for the year ending 31st January last amounted to £3,930 16s. 9d. Against this they have received from the Education Department—Grant in relief of school fees, £689 12s.; Aid Grant, £163 10s.; Parliamentary Grant, £1,699 12s. 2d.; from Grants to discontinued Continuation Classes now transferred to Day School, £83 3s. 1d.; Bank interest, £17 13s. 6d., and from subscriptions, £1,277 6s. The expenditure on the Continuation Class to 31st July last, £12 18s., has been defrayed by grant for last year, £8 10s. 10d., and from subscriptions, £4 7s. 2d.

The Managers feel that mere figures fail to set in their proper perspective the position and influence of the school. To rightly appreciate these, it requires to be seen when the scholars are busy with their lessons, or when, in ordered lines, they dismiss for the day or at the "demonstration," the school's own annual gathering, when, after song and recitation, the "dux" boy and girl are acclaimed by their schoolmates. These things speak of the spirit in which the work is done and which pervades the classes and divisions.

To the headmaster and the twenty-six members of the staff the Managers accord their thanks for faithful service during the year.



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

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A REVIEW of the work accomplished at the Sanatorium during the year ending 31st October, 1918, gives one a kaleidoscopic picture of much sorrow, great suffering, incalculable disappointment, and irretrievable disaster to many on the one hand, and of renewed hopes, restored energies, and assured efficiency for the future to many others on the other hand.

A sanatorium for consumption such as this, although it aims at dealing only with early and curable cases of the disease, cannot but net in a large percentage of cases in whom the disease has advanced to a hopeless degree. These no power on earth can help. With both lungs affected and largely destroyed, with other organs also involved, their suffering might be alleviated; symptomatic treatment might prolong their existence for a few months or even years. The inevitable, however, cannot be kept

off for long. Early cases, intermediate cases, even advanced cases where one lung is chiefly involved, very frequently after months of effort and resort to innumerable remedies, encourage us by presenting signs of subsidence, and eventually in not a few instances, of arrest.

We very often hear of the deaths of those who have been with us—the return to old haunts and habits has led to a return of the disease. We very often also hear of, and have visits from, others who have been in the Sanatorium ten, fifteen, twenty years ago, and even longer, who have been able for work ever since.

The work of the Sanatorium convinces us the more firmly as year succeeds year, of the sound basis on which sanatorium treatment for phthisis is built. Let the disease be diagnosed sufficiently early, before the toxins have undermined the general condition of the patient, let the person affected be removed from the environment that has caused the predisposition to be created and made the patient to be susceptible to the infective organism and its development in the tissues, and let him have a residence in an improved environment, such as a sanatorium with trained physicians and nurses presents almost to perfection, and there will inevitably result, we are convinced, in the majority of instances, cure. The tubercle bacillus in the early stages of phthisis lives a very precarious existence in the human tissues. Improvement of the general condition through fresh air, abundant nourishing diet and regulated exercise, stimulates the tissues to create antibodies which counteract its effects and eventually destroy it.

The solution of the problem of tuberculosis, our experience in the Sanatorium proves, depends on three things:—

- (1.) The education of the public as well as of the medical profession to recognise the disease in its earliest stages, in order that treatment may be begun in time.
- (2.) The segregation of advanced and hopeless cases in suitable institutions where they will not infect their fellows.
- (3.) The improvement of housing conditions, not only in towns, but also in country districts, in order that a predisposition to the disease may not be created.

At the beginning of our present year we had 140 patients in residence, 56 males and 84 females. There are in residence at the end of the year 141 patients, 62 males and 79 females. Throughout the year there has been a keen demand for beds. On the average there have been 144 patients in residence each day.

Two hundred and seventy patients were treated during the year in the Sanatorium, 134 males and 136 females. Eighty-two of that number were married, 31 were children, the remainder were single men and women. Ten of that number, 8 males and 2 females, for one reason or another, did not remain for more than a few days. The others were with us for an average period of 155 days.

Two male patients did not suffer from tuberculosis. One, a soldier, had been gassed in France; the other, a minister, had suffered from empyema. On admission their condition was doubtful.

The age distribution of the patients was as follows:—

	Under 14	15-20	21-25	26-30	31-40	41-50	51-60	
Males, -	0	16	28	26	34	15	5	124
Females, -	31	28	25	24	17	8	1	134
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The social condition of the patients reflected the state of affairs in the land. The Army, Navy, munitions, and military nursing service have contributed a fair proportion of those we have been called upon to treat.

The condition of the patients on admission, unfortunately, as we have indicated, leaves much to be desired. Nearly 36.4 per cent. were suffering from an advanced stage of the disease; in only 18.6 per cent. was the disease early. The figures are as follows:—

	Early Stage.	Intermediate Stage.	Advanced Stage.	Total.
Males, -	14	61	49	124
Females, -	34	55	45	134
	48 18.6 per cent.	116 45 per cent.	94 36.4 per cent.	258

Ten cases had the whole five lobes of the lung affected; 47, four lobes affected; 72, three lobes; 101, two lobes; and 28, one lobe. These facts in most instances were confirmed by X-Ray examination:—

A family history of the disease was elicited in 46 per cent. of the cases. Careful inquiry showed that this did not at all imply that these patients were, as is popularly supposed, born with the disease. They probably had not even a predisposition to it, any more than others had. They acquired the disease through being compelled to live with those who suffered from the condition, and were centres of infection.

The insidious nature of phthisis as well as its chronicity is demonstrated by the figures which we have compiled of the duration of the disease prior to coming to the Sanatorium. It must be noted that in most instances the patients kept at work until admitted; usually they had no idea regarding the nature of their ailment, until a short time previously.

70, i.e. 27.1 per cent. suffered from the disease under six months.
 49, i.e. 19 „ „ „ „ for 6 to 12 months.
 96, i.e. 37.2 „ „ „ „ for 1 to 5 months.
 11, i.e. 4.2 „ „ „ „ for 6 to 10 months.
 32, i.e. 12.4 per cent. suffered from the disease for an indefinite period, in some instances at least twenty years.

There is little doubt that these figures are not exact. Although we fixed on certain symptoms as indicative of the onset of the disease, the

disease was probably present long before. The histories of the various cases seemed to indicate that the development of the disease was probably, as a Continental writer puts it, "the end of a song which the luckless patient learned in the cradle."

The results of treatment were on the whole encouraging—53, *i.e.* 20.5 per cent. had the disease apparently arrested; 127, *i.e.* 49.2 per cent. were improved; 72, *i.e.* 28 per cent. were not improved. Six male patients died in the Sanatorium. In more detail:—

	Apparently Arrested.		Improved.		Not Improved.		Total.
	Men.	Women.	Men.	Women.	Men.	Women.	
Early, - -	7	17=24	6	14=20	2	3=5	49
Intermediate, -	10	14=24	43	32=75	7	9=16	115
Advanced, -	1	4=5	13	19=32	29	22=51	88
	18	35=53	62	65=127	38	34=72	252

Looking at the results from another point of view on admission. 112 men and 130 women were unfit for work; 9 men and 4 women were fit for light work. On discharge, 71 men and 82 women were fit for work. In most instances these had been doing a considerable amount of work in the vegetable garden, in the grounds, amongst the poultry, or the rabbits, previous to going away.

There have been no new measures adopted in treatment. We have relied mainly on abundance of fresh air, regulated rest and exercise, and plenty of nourishing food. This last, in spite of war restrictions, has not been seriously interfered with, as is evidenced by the fact that 92 men and 113 women gained in weight during residence, many of them very considerably.

Chemiotherapy has mainly been relied upon for symptomatic measures. Tuberculin we have used largely in suitable cases, and frequently with encouraging results.

Artificial pneumothorax, when conditions have indicated it, we have induced usually as a last resort, and have, in certain instances, seen patients greatly helped by it.

To the Medical Advisory Board, for sympathetic advice and help throughout the year, we give cordial thanks.

I acknowledge very gratefully the continued loyal assistance and co-operation of the medical and nursing staff in carrying on this work, beset as it very often is with difficulties which cannot be embodied in any report.

JAMES CROCKET, M.D.

COLONY OF MERCY FOR EPILEPTICS.

THE work at the Epileptic Colony during the past year has proceeded quietly along the usual lines. The children have attended their special school, the adults have pursued such occupations as are most suited to the mental and physical capacity of each individual—housework, laundry work, garden work, etc.—the aim being, while attempting everything possible for the cure of the disease, to keep each patient fully occupied. Idleness in epileptics invariably leads to degeneracy, mental and physical.

Anyone visiting a Colony such as this cannot but have his attention arrested by two things—

First.—The helplessness of the condition. The sudden change in epilepsy from apparent health to senselessness, the piercing, terrifying scream caused by the tonic contractions of the respiratory muscles and the forcing of air through a closed glottis, the falling to the ground as if struck, the fearsome convulsion, then the period of exhaustion and sometimes of stupor ere normal health is again restored, the frequent recurrence of such seizures, the total inability of the patient to stay their onset and the impotence of medical science—it being impossible with certainty to do more than modify the severity of the attacks by drugs—cannot but sadden one with a sense of utter hopelessness and helplessness.

Second.—The happiness of the patients. As one goes in and out amongst them, the spirit of contentment and real happiness is everywhere present. They seem oblivious to their terrible handicap in the race of life. They obviously get not a little enjoyment in a quiet way from day to day in their environment.

There is little doubt that the next best thing to cure for a patient suffering from this awful malady is colony life, such as is to be had at Bridge-of-Weir. There, free from worry and excitement, protected morally and physically from dangers attendant on the disability, provided with employment of a safe and suitable nature, with regulated diet and regular hours, the epileptic can make the most of his life and be happy and contented.

We began the year with 101 patients in residence, 66 males and 35 females. There were discharged 25 males and 10 females. Two patients, one male and one female died. Thirty-two patients, 22 males and 10 females were admitted. At the close of the year there are 96 in residence, 62 males and 34 females.

Regarding those discharged:—a number had to be removed to mental hospitals on account of the progressive dementia and mania which is so often attendant on the long standing and severe types of the disease. Others were removed by friends whose circumstances enabled them to have them once more at home. One or two, we are glad to report, were discharged because the fits had been arrested for a period of two or three years, and they were apparently able again for work.

We are very grateful to all who, by gifts and by visits to the institution, have helped us to do something to make the lives of those committed to our charge brighter and more useful than they otherwise could have been.

JAMES CROCKET, M.D.

In Memoriam.

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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 3.—Margaret, "In quietness and in confidence shall be your strength," £2; Mrs S., 15s; Mrs S., Coulter, £1; Miss K., Natal, £1; Mrs R., £4 2s 2d; Mrs A., Johnstone, £1; Employees, J. Bennie & Sons, £1 1s; Miss M.E., 5s; Banff Parish Church Junior Guild, £1; Head Street Church S.S., Beith, £1; N.B.R. War Fund, 10s; Misses S., Prestonkirk, 5s; Mrs W., £2; "From the Lord," £1; Miss H., Troon, 5s; A.O., £158 17s 8d; Mrs G., Ayr, £10; A. G., £2; Wishaw C.S., Ltd., £1; Mrs H., Dunfermline, 10s; A. S. P., Portland, O., £2; "Helpers Together," 5s; Anon., 10s; The Wife and Family of the late John Lochhead, as a memorial of him, £100; Miss H., Edinburgh, 10s.

WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 10.—Mrs F. A. S. H., Edinburgh, £5; Wenman Street S.S., Birmingham, £1; Miss M., 10s; Trinity U.F. Church W.M. Assoc., Lockerbie, £2; T. F., £2 12s; Mrs R., £10; Mrs H., £10; Miss P., Kirkcudbright, £1; Turriff U.F. Church Work Party, £1; A. W., Jedburgh, £5; Mrs G., £2; R. H. M., Aberdeen, £1; A. Wellwisher, £1; D. F., Orieff, £1; J. C. B., £2 10s; Miss M.C., 3s; Port Elphinstone S.S., 10s; J. A. T., Bothwell, 10s; A. L., Aberdeen, 3s 10d; A. Christian, Queensland, £5; Greenhead U.F. Church S.S., £1 10s; A. W., Cambuslang, £3; Employees, Stephen Mitchell & Sons, £2 2s; J. L., Johnstone, £10 10s; A. M., Arbroath, £1 10s; Mrs H., Greenock, £10 10s; Per A. R., Kennethmont, £80; Mrs K., Brisbane, £20; "In loving memory of father," £2; A. O., £130 0s 6d; Govan P.C., £25 16s; Mrs J., Kirkcudbright, £5; Kilbirnie P.C., £3 5s; *Legacy* of the late Mrs R. Robertson, per Messrs L. Mackinnon & Son, £50; Lily, Thelma, Kitty, Winnie, Pearl, and Mary, Volksrust, Transvaal, S.A., £1; Mrs H., Gourcock, £1; R. H., £20; Denny P.C., £12; Rothesay P.C., £1 10s; Houston P.C., £4 5s; Miss N., Ochiltree, 10s.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Miss P., Kirkcudbright, £1.
Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—J. D., Edinburgh, £1.

WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 17.—Alice, Willie, and Jessie, £1 10s; Sandyhills U.F. Church S.S., £1 17s; Rayne P.C., £18 15s; Compensation money, £42 15s; H. L. O., £1; W. M., Wiggins, Sask., £3; Mrs W., 14s; J. C., Dunoon, £1 10s; Mrs H., £10; Auchtertool P.C., £7 10s; Langton P.C., £5 4s; Greenlaw P.C., £13 0s 6d; Payment to Account of *Legacy* of the late Miss Campbell, Ryde, per Messrs M'Grigor, Donald & Co., £175; Mrs A., Partick, £5; Victoria Street Baptist Church S.S., Galashiels, £1; W. A., Ayr, £3; Mrs Q., Birkenhead, £5; Miss K., Edinburgh, £5; Miss S., Helensburgh, £1; F. C. B., £1; Mr and Mrs J. A., Darvel, 10s; J. R., Shettleston, 5s; Mrs S., Henley-in-Arden, £2 2s; "Off Thine Own," £2; Elie P.C., £7 16s; Larbert P.C., £6 10s; N.B.R. War Fund, 10s; Argyle Place U.F. Church S.S., Edinburgh, £1 6s; Wallaceston Glencairn S.S., £1 10s; J. W., £30; Dysart Parish Church S.S., £1; Mr and Mrs N., Arbroath, 10s; Motherwell Baptist Church S.S., £3 1s 6d; Mr and Mrs M., Wednesbury, £1; Low-Waters South U.F. Church S.S., £1; "In memory of R. T. R.," Miss R., Innerleithen, £5 5s; Greenock Wesleyan S.S. and B.C., 15s; Buittle P.C., £13 13s 6d; "In memory of our son who fell while leading his platoon at Beaumont Hamel, 18/11/," £5 12s 6d; Mrs D., Edinburgh, 5s; R. Y., £1; J. M'W., Cambuslang, £2; Miss M.K., Kennoway, £1; Slamannan P.C., £3 18s; Swinton P.C., £3 5s; Kirkcaldy P.C., £18 4s; "An old worker's mite," 2s; Mrs S., Cowdenbeath, £5; Miss S., do., £1; Miss M., Edinburgh, £5; A. O., £105 9s 10d; R. W., Aberdeen, £1; Middlebie P.C., £9 2s; Miss B., Troon, £1; Mrs W., Sydney, £1; A Friend, £1.

WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 24.—Uddingston Y.A.U., £5; Mrs A., 5s; J. O. H., £5; Mrs M., Falkland, £1 2s 6d; Pte. Alex. H., £2; Mrs G., Bothwell, 2s 6d; Mrs S., Gourcock, 7s 6d; Mrs G., £2; J. L., Gourcock, £1; Miss G., 5s; J. S., Lerwick, £10; R. A., Campbeltown, £5; Miss M., Portobello, 5s; *Legacy* of the late Mrs M. Chalmers, per Messrs Kippen, Ritchie & Campbell, £100; Two visitors, 4s; Employees, Anderston Foundry, £2 2s; Mrs S., £6 10s; Carruthers Church S.S., Ecclefechan, 7s; J. M'F., Islay, £1; Prestonpans P.C., £23 8s; Rose Street Chapel S.S., Kirkcaldy, £1 10s; Nicolson Street U.F. Church S.S., Edinburgh, 10s; Mr and Mrs A. P., Shettleston, 10s; Mrs D., Saltcoats, 5s; J. W. G.-O., Beaulieu, for upkeep of Invalid Girls' Home, £150; Miss C., £1; Miss M. A. N., Colwyn Bay, £2; Miss M. A., Kirkcaldy, £2; St. Columba S.S., Helensburgh, £3 10s 7d; Mrs C., Cheltenham, £3; Collection at Presbyterian Service, France, £3; Misses F., Edinburgh, £1; Mrs C., Paisley, £100; J. H., a grateful girl, 10s; John J., 10s; B. B., 10s; R. A., £9 6s; A. D., Fraserburgh, £5; Miss A., Edinburgh, 10s; Miss M.K., Oban, 10s; A. O., £110 19s 3d; Miss J. T. H., Hawick, 2s 6d; Mrs M., Helensburgh, £1 1s; Dunfermline C.S., Ltd., £10; Miss M. W., Arbroath, 10s; Miss I. W., do., 10s; Mr and Mrs J. R. S., Langbank, 10s; Newton Place S.S., Partick, £2 11s 6d; Kildalton and Oa P.C., £5 5s; Miss T., £1; Miss B., £4.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for ORPHAN HOMES between 1st and 30th November.—L. & Co., £5; Camphill U.F. Church S.S. Soc., £1 5s; Mrs D. I., £2; S.C.W.S. Amalgamated Charitable Funds, £9 7s; St. Andrew's Parish Church S.S., 15s; J. P. W., Edinburgh, £1; *Legacy* of the late Miss M. Anderson, Arbroath, per Messrs Clark, Oliver, Dewar & Webster, £100; Giffnock U.F. Church S.S., £2 4s 5d; "D. L.", £1; *Legacy* of the late Mrs Dunn, Pollokshields, per Messrs Fyfe, Maclean & Co., £200; Westbourne Church S.S., 10s; "M. W. D.", £1 1s; Miss A. E. Richardson's Trust, per Messrs Kidston, Watson, Turnbull & Co., £3 12s 6d; E. W. T. C., £3; Carntyne U.F. Church S.S., 18s; H. M'C. & Co., £25; Belhaven U.F. Church Mission S.S., £1 17s 9d; Employees, R. Lytle & Co., Govan, £1 1s.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for CONSUMPTIVE SANATORIA between 1st and 30th November.—S.C.W.S. Amalgamated Charitable Funds, £4 2s; Calico Printers' Assoc. E.I.F., £1 1s.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for COLONY of MERCY between 1st and 30th November.—Employees, R. Lytle & Co., Govan, £1 1s.

WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 1.—Alice, Willie, and Jessie, £1 10s; Gordon Officers, France, £7 13s 10d; Mr and Mrs B., Kilmaccolm, £5; Cowan's Close Children's Service, Edinburgh, 3s 6d; Miss D., Edinburgh, 10s; Eglinton Street U.F. Church S.S., £1 10s; Miss M. R., 10s; Mrs T., £1; Mrs T. U., £1 10s; Miss H., £7 8s; T. W., £3; Employees, Buchanan Street Goods Station, £1 1s; Collected at West of Scotland Trout Farm, £1 17s 3d; Lower Abbey Street U.F. Church S.S., Dublin, 15s; Miss B., B.E.F., £1; J. M., 5s; R. R. C. S., £3; Rothesay P.C., £1 4s; N. F. C. and J. M. C., £2; J. N. Broxburn, £1; Mrs M., Edinburgh, 10s; L. H., Sowerby Bridge, 2s 6d; Mrs J. T., Dundee, £2 15s; W. J. S., Keith, 5s; J. W., Cathcart, £1; M. C., Ltd., £5 5s; Mrs G., £3; N.B.R. War Fund, 10s; Proceeds of Lantern Lecture by J. E., Macduff, £1 5s; Muckhart U.F. Church S.S., Dollar, 6s; New Cathcart U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Johnstone U.F. Church S.S., £3 5s; G. S., £2 10s; Miss D., Cardonald, £1; Kirkpatrick Irongray P.C., £5 17s; Pte. James S., £1; A. O., £95 17s 1d; South U.F. Children's Church, Paisley, £1; Mrs J. G., Dumbarton, £5; St. David's Children's Missionary Band, Bathgate, 10s; Miss B., Greenock, £2; Portland U.F. Church S.S., Troon, £1; J. B., Busby, £1; Mrs M., Crieff, £3; A. M., 10s; A Friend, 2s 6d; T. W., £1; (H. R., £10; J. K. & Co., £2 2s; Miss R. S., 2s 6d; A. M., 20s; J. S. P., 21s; J. T., Fairlie, 21s; T. M. S., Clydebank, £2 2s; L. C., 21s; Mrs M. I., 5s)—per C. O. S.; Found in boxes at Bridge of Weir, £2 16s 5½d; "In Memory of C. S. R., Watten," 10s; P. R. A., Coatbridge, £1 1s; A Friend, Lancashire, 10s; Left by Mrs M'Caskell, Airdrie, £3; Rentirew P.C., £10 8s; E.U. Congl. S.S., Bellshill, 10s.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Thornliebank C.S., Ltd., £1 1s; Miss B., Greenock, £2; J. B., Busby, £1; Mrs M., Crieff, £2.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—Miss B., Greenock, £1; (J. E. M'F., 2s 6d; Mrs M. I., 2s 6d)—per C. O. S.

WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 8.—D. H., Hamilton, £2 2s; Miss M., Carlisle, 10s 6d; Misses H., Edinburgh, £2; Miss S., 5s; Ayton P.C., £5 5s; Mrs R., £4 2s 2d; Mrs C., Vancouver, B.C., £1 0s 10d; Dumfries, £1; Mrs T., Edinburgh, 10s; W. P. C., £3 15s; Mrs M., Ayr, £1; A Friend at Annual Meeting, 2s 6d; H. K., Southland, N.Z., £2 10s; Mrs R., Partick, £2; Mrs B., £2; Mrs I., London, for Xmas Trees, £25; J. S. A., California, £1; Mrs B., Newport-on-Tay, 10s; G. A., Greenlaw, 10s; Inasmuch, 2s; Ebenezer Gospel Hall, Wishaw, £1; W. T. W., £1 10s; Mrs B., Partick, 10s; Miss F., Galashiels, 2s 6d; M. S. C., Edinburgh, £1 1s; Mrs W., Dolphinton, £2 2s; J. D., 2s 6d; Miss D., Ayr, £2; Mrs W., Clynder, £1; Two young friends, 1s; Mrs K., Kati Kati, N.Z., £3; A. M., Appin, £1; Mrs R., Wellington, N.Z., £2; Mrs J., do., £2 10s; E.U. Congl. Church S.S., Duke Street, Leith, £2; Misses W., Thornhill, £2; W. N., £2; Mrs G., Liberton, £2; Miss Y., Brechin, £1; Mrs G., £2; Mrs W., Uddingston, £1; Amon., 5s; Lenzie U.F. Church S.S., £1; Miss A. J., Ayr, £1; F. C. B., £1 10s; F. J. S., 10s; Mrs R. B. G., Langholm, 10s; T. C., Shettleston, 15s; B. O. & Co., Ltd., £10; A. M., Arbroath, £1 10s; From the Lord, 10s; S.P.C.K., Hamilton, £5 4s; Cambuslang Parish Church S.S., £2 18s 9d; Mrs J. D. M., Edinburgh, £10; Sheima, 10s; Mrs S., Bournemouth, £10; Misses M., Arbroath, 10s; Miss M'F., £2; J. and Misses R., £10; Miss M'E., Springburn, 5s; J. J. R., Greenock, £1 10s; Mrs C., Kilmaccolm, £1; U.F. Church S.S., Southend, Kintyre, 10s; Govan P.C., £6 10s; J. S., £5; A. O., £145 18s 5d; J. L., London, £52 10s; J. S. S., Newport, £2; C. C., Rothesay, £1; An old friend, 5s; Shotts Kirk S.S., 11s; North U.F. Church S.S., Dumbarton, £1 5s; Miss A. F., Dunshalt, £4; Misses L., Lanark, £2; Miss F., Perth, "in loving memory of my sister," £8; Mrs F. P., £100; E. F. P., India, £20; R. A. S., Motherwell, £1; J. O., Alloa, £1; A Friend, £1; W. A. R., £1 1s; J. M. H., Coatbridge, 10s; R. M., £20; Marion and Jeanie M'T., two grateful girls, 10s; Miss M'K., Ayr, £2; Mrs R., Edinburgh, 5s; Mrs C., Lochgilphead, 6s; W. S., Edinburgh, 10s; W. G. W., Nevin, 7s 6d; Mrs H., Carnoustie, 5s; Miss O., Anstruther, 10s; Miss W., Crieff, £1; W. M'G., Kilmarnock, £2; Mrs J. G. T., Milborne Port, 2s 6d; Mr and Mrs M'N., Tighmabruaich, £1; Kilfinnan S.S., £1; Mrs D., Coatbridge, 14s 6d; Miss M. A., do., 10s; A. L. Aberdeen, 4s 4d; A. C., £2; Employees, P. & R. Fleming, £2 2s; Kilwinning O.S., Ltd., £1 1s; Miss B., Kilmaccolm, £1; M. E. Y., 10s; S. B., Stromness, £1 10s.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Mrs S., Torquay, £1; Mrs P., Helensburgh, £1; Mrs J. D. M., Edinburgh, £4; Misses L., Lanark, £1; Employees, P. & R. Fleming, £1 1s; Miss B., Kilmaccolm, £1.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—Mrs S., Torquay, £1; Miss B., Kilmaccolm, £1.

WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 15.—T. G., Whiteinch, £1; J. M'M., Balloch, £2; Mrs B., Kilmarnock, 10s; Miss W., £1 10s; Mrs K., Ayr, £3; Miss K., do., £2 2s; J. D. B., Greenock, £1; J. N., £15; J. R., £25; W. M., Dunfermline, £10; R. S., £10; Misses D., Nairn, £2; Mrs T., for Xmas trees, £1; Alice, Willie, and Jessie, £1 10s; James W., 10s; Miss W., 2s 6d; Miss M. I. W., 2s 6d; E. B. A., Tewkesbury, 5s; W. W., Bowling, £5; E. M., £1; Mrs H., Paisley, 10s; Miss M'L., Hamilton, 10s; Miss J. M'L., do., 10s; Mrs S., Gourrock, 5s; G. M. H., £5; W. P. C., Kirkintilloch, £11 5s; Bristo Place Baptist Church Y.W.B.C., Edinburgh, £1; Miss E. K. P., Edinburgh, 5s 6d; W. J., Carlisle, £2; Miss C., Lundin Links, £5; Mrs B. S.,

Lenzie, £1; Miss B., 10s; D. A., £5; C. B. M., St. Andrews, 10s; Mrs M'K., £1; Mrs T., 10s; Mrs M., £1; Miss W., Kelso, £2; Miss J., Thillacoutry, £1 10s; J. D., Kilmarnock, £3; Mrs D. D., do., £1; Miss P., Helensburgh, £1; Mrs A. S., Dundee, £5; J. C., Kintore, 10s; J. M'G., Old Cumnock, £1; J. H., Lockerbie, 10s; Misses E. and A. L., Dundee, £5; H. S. B., £5; J. Y., £1; J. S., Perth, 5s; Miss A., Edinburgh, £1; Mrs M., Ayr, £5; W. H., Patricroft, £2; 2s 6d; G. M'I., Dunblane, 7s 6d; Miss M'K., do., 2s 6d; Queen Anne S.S., Dunfermline, £2; A. M., Musselburgh, £1; Innerleven U.F. Church S.S., Methil, 10s; Anon., £1; Two friends at Lilybank, Prestwick, for Xmas treat, 10s; Miss M., Dunscore, £2; Miss B., Chirnside, 2s 6d; Mrs W., do., 2s 6d; Miss B., Kirkcaldy, 5s; J. R., Fraserburgh, 10s; Mrs W., North Berwick, £2; West U.F. Church B.C., East Kilbride, 10s; Mrs S., 10s; Miss T., £2 2s; J. H., Hawick, £1; A Friend, Kirkwall, £1; A grateful invalid, Toronto, 10s; Gillespie U.F. Church S.S., Biggar, £1; L. C. M. W., Corstorphine, £1; Miss B., 10s; Daisy R., Canada, £3 2s 6d; Hutchesontown U.F. Church S.S., £1; Isobel and Nancy, 10s 6d; A. B., Edinburgh, £50; A Friend, Armadale, £1; J. S., Kilmarnock, £5; Mrs R., Duns, £1; Mrs M., Helensburgh, £2; Miss J. H., Airdrie, £1; J. R. L., £1 1s; J. R., Maybole, £10; W. W., Crosshill, £1; Mrs M., Cupar, 2s 6d; "Medicus," £1; T. M. L., Annbank, £1; A Friend, Giffnock, £1; J. R., Edinburgh, £2 12s 6d; Miss R., do., £1; Misses S., Edinburgh, 10s; Misses C., Lasswade, 10s; A. M. H., Aberdeen, 3s; J. C. A., Edinburgh, £1; Miss W., 5s; Miss O., £1; Mrs S., Ayr, 10s; Miss S., Lesmahagow, 2s 6d; Mrs R., Durham, 2s 6d; Miss T., do., 2s 6d; A. D., Strathaven, £1; M. M., Worthing, £1; Miss O., £1; Mrs H., Aberdeen, 2s; Mrs B., "In Memoriam," £1; Misses B., Stirling, £1; Miss B., Maxwelltown, 5s; E. M., 5s; Mrs F., Port-Glasgow, £1; Miss M'A., Millport, 5s 6d; Leith W.P.C., £74 10s; G. & G., £3 15s; Railway Mission, Springburn Branch, £1 6s 1d; M. M., Kilmaccolm, £1; "In Memoriam J. S. S., 30th December," 10s; The Household at 78 Fountainhall Road, Aberdeen, £1 10s; Free Middle B.C., Paisley, 10s; Anon., Paisley, 3s 6d; T. A., Stanley, £5; Miss B., £2; North U.F. Church S.S., Kirriemuir, 15s; J. W., £2; W. C. C., Bowling, 10s; N. F., Arbroath, £1; Miss M., Edinburgh, £1; Mrs R., Helensburgh, 10s; Miss R., do., 10s; M. S., 5s; Mrs F., St. Andrews, £1; Mrs H., Edinburgh, £1; T. W. M., £1; Mrs J. L., Paisley, £6; D. F., Crieff, £1; J. A. W., Caldercruix, £3 3s; An old friend, £1; E. M., Dundee, "in memory of my brother," £25; J. R., Dumfries, 10s; D. T. E., £7 7s; Mrs H., Edinburgh, 5s; Mrs Y., Corstorphine, 5s; Mrs B., Wishaw, £5; Braidwood S.S., Carmuke, £2; Mrs R. G. L., £5; N.B.R. War Fund, 10s; M., Dumbarton, 10s; L. W. C., Broughty Ferry, £1; Miss P., Edinburgh, 10s; Miss M'D., Newbiggin, 3s; Cathcart Road Gospel Hall S.S., £1; Mrs R.'s B.C., Airdrie, 10s; Miss L., 7s 6d; A. & C., £2; Mrs O., Congleton, for Xmas treat, 5s; Mrs and Miss G., Perth, £1 10s; Holm Street Mission S.S., 10s; T. R. R., £10; Mrs D., North Berwick, £1; The United Collieries Workmen's Contribution, £10; Wee Willie and his proud mother, 10s; Mrs H., Edinburgh, £5; Miss S., do., £20; Mr and Mrs L., do., 10s; Mrs C., Dunblane, 3s; Miss M., Hyndland, 2s 6d; Mrs R., Rutherglen, £2 2s; Miss H., Edinburgh, £3; Misses E., Leslie, 5s; Miss B., Helensburgh, £5; F. E. P., Bristol, £1; Mrs L., Edinburgh, £1; Miss G., Juniper Green, £1; Luncarty U.F. Church Work Party, 5s; M. G., Luncarty, 10s; Miss G., do., 10s; D. S. A., £2 2s; J. F. A., £2 2s; W. R. P., Paisley, 5s; M'A. Bros., £5 5s; Miss B., Lochgilphead, 5s; J. W., Milngavie, £5; Miss M., Dumbarton, £1 1s; D. S., Mossend, £2 2s; Mrs L., Dundee, £5 and 10s for Xmas trees; Mrs F., £5; J. S., Riddrie, £1; Mr and Mrs A. F. P., £60; Mrs M., Edinburgh, 10s; Mrs M., Oporto, £5; C. F., Galashiels, £1; Mrs M'G., Port Appin, 5s; T. B., Rutherglen, £1; "A widow's mite," 4s 6d; Mrs J. M., Greenock, 10s; Mrs K., Alyth, £1; A. O., £106 2s 9d; J. P., Kilmarnock, 5s; D. P., Colinton, 2s 6d; Mrs P., New Barnet, £5 5s; Mrs M., Inmellan, 5s; Mrs L., Govanhill, 5s; Mr and Mrs W., Edinburgh, £2; Grateful, 5s; C.M.B., Kilmaccolm, £2 2s; Tweedside, 10s; Miss K., Helensburgh, £1; Saffronhall A.B.U.F. Church S.S., Hamilton, £2; Mrs G., Bearsden, 10s; Miss S., Thurso, 5s; Miss C., Kirkmuirhill, £1; Mrs M., Cardross, £1; C. C., Surrey, £5; Misses H., £180; J. B., Carlisle, 10s; Miss D., Langholm, 10s; Miss D., Midlothian, 3s; J. G., Craigellachie, 10s; 135th Glasgow Co., B.B. Bible Class, £1; Rothesay P.C., £2 8s; Mr L., 10s; Miss R., Belfast, £1; M. H., Shaw, £1 1s; R. M., £3 10s; W. A. V. S., Liverpool, £1; W. B., Bangor, £1 1s; P. S., £1; S. W., Kilmarnock, 5s; Buchanan Memorial U.F. Church S.S., £1; Mrs C., London, £1; Mr and Mrs R. W. A., £3 3s.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Employees, Hydepark Foundry Co., Ltd., £1 1s; Mrs S., Mafeteng, £5 5s; J. G., £10; Mr and Mrs A. F. P., £5; Misses H., £10.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—Mr and Mrs A. F. P., £5.

WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 22.—Mrs R., The Island, "A token of thanksgiving for boys preserved," 10s; Mr and Mrs P. W., Ayr, £2; Miss C., Buckhaven, £5; Miss T., Helensburgh, 10s; Mrs P., Strathaven, £1; Mrs M., Newburgh, £1; Misses E., Ayr, 10s; Miss S., Ayr, £2; T. C., Musselburgh, 10s; Mrs J. A., Edinburgh, 5s; Miss L., Greenock, £2; R. M'I., Edinburgh, for Xmas treat, £1; W. T., Peebles, £5; Miss A., Partick, £1; Broxburn East U.F. Church S.S., £2; G. S. S., Dalkeith, £1; Mrs J. B., £3; J. D., 10s; Mrs T., Montrose, 5s; Mr and Mrs C., Chefoo, £3; Oban Parish Church S.S., £1; Miss M., Strathaven, 10s; Mrs M., 10s; T. D., Coatbridge, £5; Mrs K., £13; Miss K., £3; "An old-age pensioner," Kilwinning, 4s; A few of the girls in Lytle & Scott's, Hawick, £2 16s 6d; R. M., Dirleton, £1; Mrs W., 8s; J. S., Helensburgh, 2s 6d; Mrs S., do., 5s; Miss F., Alloa, £1; Mr and Mrs J. G., Coalton, 5s; J. A., Grimsby, 5s; "His companion, a thankoffering to God," 5s; Mr and Mrs M'N., £1; Miss M'N., 5s; Mission Hall S.S., Thornliebank, 10s; J. M. S., £3 3s; G. W., Edinburgh, 1s 8d; Miss M., Bridge of Allan, 5s; Miss M., Girvan, £1; Miss M., Laurencekirk, £1 1s; A Friend, 5s; J. R., Dumbarton, 10s; Mrs A. R., 5s; Mrs M., Colintrave, 10s; "In Memoriam I. M.," £1; N. O. F., for Xmas treat, £2; Mrs D., Dundee, for do., £1; Mrs H., Broughty Ferry, £5; T. A., Dailly, £7; Mrs D., Lerwick, 5s; J. B., £2 2s; A. G. S., for Xmas treat, 5s; Mrs P., Anstruther, £5; Miss W., Alloa, £10; Miss M'C., Prestwick, 5s; Mrs M., Motherwell, £2; Mrs S., Auchinleck, 10s; Mrs W., Wishaw, 10s; Mrs A., do., 10s; Nitshill U.F. Church S.S., 7s 6d; Crossford S.S., 10s; J. F., Greenock, for Xmas treat, £10 10s; Crosshouse C.A., Ltd., £1; J. S. W. I., C.F., B.E.F., £3; Miss H., Braemar, 5s; Mrs J. A. B., Airdrie, 18s 6d; Mrs B., sen., do., 2s 6d; Mr and Mrs S., Sheffield, 10s 6d; Chalmers Church S.S., Larkhall, 10s; Misses M., Dalmuir, £1; Mrs B., Balfour, 10s; Miss J. M. M., do., 10s; Mr and Mrs C., High Blantyre, 10s; Miss S., Edinburgh, 10s; Miss S., Brechin, 10s; J. A.,

Tarbolton, £10 10s; Oldmeldrum U.F. Church S.S., 9s; Miss H., Ayr, 10s; Mrs K., Aberdeen, £1 10s; J. H. H., £10; "Strathbungo," £1; T. M'N., Slidery, £1; Mrs G., Irvine, £1; J. A., Ardrossan, 2s 6d; Mr John Dewar's Trust, per Nelson & Mackay, share of revenue, £1 13s 2d; J. Y. & Sons (Springfield), Ltd., £1 1s; John Scott and Employees, £2 2s; Mrs P., Pittenweem, 10s; Mrs G., £2; A. R., Dunfermline, 2s 6d; Miss D., Dollar, 10s; Miss P., Lockerbie, 5s; St. Outhbert's U.F. Church S.S., Catrine, 7s 6d; "In memory of my aunt and father," £2; C. R. L., £10; Ancrum Parish Church S.S., 17s 6d; Trossachs Parish Church, £1; Mrs. B., Edinburgh, £5; R. M., North Berwick, £5; Mrs H., Langbank, £1; H., 10s; J. P., 2s 6d; J. F. W., Galashiels, £1; Mrs Y., Irvine, 10s; R. B. R., Fraserburgh, 10s; Mrs S., Rothesay, £1 1s; Mrs C., Paisley, 10s; A. J. K., Edinburgh, £6; J. B. K., Uddingston, £3; Anon., Perth, 10s; "Of Thine Own," £2; "Someone in France," £5; D. T., £1; Mrs A., 5s; W. P., 2s; Weekly Gathering at Southport, £1; Sheila and James, for Xmas treat, 5s; Mrs G., 10s; Miss A., Arbroath, 5s; Miss M., Grantown, 7s 6d; A Friend, Castle Douglas, £2; Miss B., Ayr, £3; St. George's U.F. Church S.S., Dumfries, £1; Miss E., Llandrindod Wells, 5s; P. W. R. S., 2s 6d; D. J., New Cumnock, 10s; Mrs R., Paisley, 10s; Greenock W.B. & G.R.S., £5 5s 1d; Anon., £1; W. P. T., Greenock, 2s 6d; Scotstoun U.F. Church S.S. Assoc., £1 10s; Miss S., Johnstone, 5s; Mrs J., 3s; Misses W., Aberdeen, 2s 6d; Miss S., Arbroath, 5s; Miss J. R., £1; Miss B., Burntisland, £1; Miss D., Bankfoot, 10s; Anon., 2s 6d; C. F., Dundee, £1; Misses F., Kilmarnock, 10s; Mrs and Misses S., Dunfermline, 10s; Miss P., Stirling, 5s; Mrs W., Rothesay, 5s; Mrs C., 5s; E. H. J., London, 10s; J. R. H., £5; Bath Street U.F. Church Mission S.S., £1; Glasgow C.E. Dept. Employees, £4 4s; Employees, Clydeholm Shipbuilding Yard, £10; J. M., Reston, £2; G. R., Busby, 10s 6d; Mrs W., Old Kilpatrick, £1; Mr J., 10s; "Kingsborough," £15; Mrs M., Rutherglen, 10s; Cairns U.F. Church S.S., Motherwell, £2; New Kilpatrick P.C., £5 10s; Miss N., Edinburgh, £1; Hugh Street U.F. Church S.S., Dumbarton, £2; Do. Junior B.C., £1; Mrs C., £1; Mrs R.'s Sunday Class, Appin, 3s; D. M. M., Newtyle, £1; Miss N., Annan, 10s; Mrs M., Lochmaddy, 10s; Employees, Yarrow & Co., £5 5s; Mrs D., Massingham, £1; Anon., 5s; Miss S., £10; Mrs K., Manchester, £5; Westend Children's Service, Forfar, £1; Gunner C. J., do., £1; J. Bros., do., £3; C. W. and J. S., Bowling, £10; Mossvale U.F. Church S.S., Paisley, 10s; Cowie U.F. Church S.S., 10s; A. M. M., £1; A. L., 4s; Coatbridge East U.F. Church S.S., £1; Anon., 5s; R. & W. S., Ltd., Carlisle, £5; Miss C., sen., Edinburgh, 5s; Wellwisher, for Xmas treat, £1; Blackfriars S.S., Jedburgh, 5s; Miss S., Edinburgh, 5s; J. S., do., 10s; R. J. D., Leith, £5; J. L., Rothiemay, 3s; Mrs and Misses P., Galashiels, £8; A. B. H., £5; Miss B., Wishaw, 10s; Mrs H., S. Russia, £5; Miss S., Edinburgh, £2 2s; Mrs M., Kilmaurs, £2; Miss M., Edinburgh, £1; Miss T., Lundin Links, 5s; Mrs T. N., Coatbridge, £1; R. D., Glassford, 5s; Mrs F., 7s; Miss E. S., Perth, £1; Mrs W. D. M., Falkirk, 2s 6d; A. O., £119 7s 11d; Miss C. C., Edinburgh, 2s 6d; Mrs I., Yoker, 4s; Marjorie, 3s; S. C., £5; A little thankoffering for the past from an officer in Macedonia, £10; Mrs and Miss C., Garelochhead, £1; Mrs A. D. F., Broughty Ferry, £1 1s; Primary Dept. and Senior S.S., Middle U.F. Mission, Paisley, 10s; Pearl and Tom, £2 2s; In Memoriam, 5s; A. E., Arbroath, 10s; Mrs S., Brora, 7s 6d; Mrs W. A., Kidderminster, £1; South U.F. Church S.S., Stonehaven, 10s; Miss S., 5s; Mrs M'J., Perth, £5; Employees, Caledonia Engine Works, Paisley, £3 3s; Junior B.C., Craignuk U.F. Church, Wishaw, 5s; Gorbals Parish Church Y.P. Guild, 10s; Mrs F., £2; Miss B., £1; Mrs L., Crieff, £1; Miss B., Midcalders, £1; K. M., Dundee, 10s; T. C. N., Ltd., £3; Mrs F., Edinburgh, £25; M. B., Perth, £2; G. S., £10; Mrs A., Edinburgh, 5s; Mantel-Piece Money Box, W. W., Clarkston, £1; J. H. G., Peebles, £1; Mrs M'F., Stanley, 5s; Miss L., Riddrie Knowes, 10s; J. K., Dundee, £1; W. B., Prestonkirk, £1; Mrs P., Dundee, 10s; J. L., West Kilbride, £3; W. H., Stepps, 10s; J. H., Methil, 5s; J. C. L., Newport, £5; J. S. L., 5s; Mrs E. C., 5s; R. & W., 10s; Laurencekirk Parish Church S.S., £2; Miss S., Ardrossan, 5s; Maxwelltown U.F. Church S.S., £5; "J. C. B.," £2 10s; M. J. M. T., Fraserburgh, 10s; Mrs A. F. W., Aberdeen, 2s 6d; Miss M., 10s; Mrs S., Ashington, £1; Misses F., Campbeltown, £10; Nurse M. C., for Xmas treat, £2; J. W. D., Airdrie, 2s 6d; T. W., £1; W. R., Kilmarnock, £1; Miss S., Coatbridge, 10s; H. R. C., In memory of my dear brother, £1; Bridge of Weir Parish Church S.S., £1 11s 6d; F. R., 12s; J. S., Twechar, 10s; Miss M. R., Aberdeen, 2s; Miss F., do., 10s; Miss D., Newhaven, 15s; "A child of the King," 5s; Mrs B., Coventry, £5; A. V. L., N. Africa, £1; An old worker's mite, 2s; An old wreck, for N.Y. dinner, 6s.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Rosneath Y.W.C.A., 10s; Miss F., Alloa, £1; G. W., Edinburgh, 1s 8d; Miss S., Strathaven, 10s; Misses M., Dalnair, 10s; G. R., Busby, 2s 6d; "Kingsborough," £5.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—Mrs M., Newburgh, 10s; G. W., Edinburgh, 1s 8d.

WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 29.—Miss J. S., 2s; J. D. P., Ayr, for Xmas tree, 10s; A. P. & Co., £5; Missionary Trading Band, Douglas, 10s; Miss Bessie S. and brothers, Peebles, 10s; Mrs M., Edinburgh, £1 10s; E. B., D. B., and J. B., Blackshiels, 4s; "Cable," St. Andrews, £1; J. R., Kirkcaldy, £1 1s; Mrs B., Burnside, 7s 6d; Monswald S.S., £1; D. B., Newtyle, 5s; W. C., Eaglesham, £1; Friends, Galston, 10s; Mrs C. T., Alloa, £1; Mrs R., Edinburgh, £1; Mrs and Master L., Kilmacoll, 5s; Alice, Willie, and Jessie, £1 10s; Mrs M. M'N., Airdrie, 10s; J. C., Arrochar, £1; Mrs A., 10s; L. R. A., 10s; M. A., 10s; D. R. and Miss G., Arbroath, 5s; A Widow, do., 5s; Mrs P., do., 10s; Mrs S., Ayr, £15; Miss M., do., £5; Strathbogie U.F. Church Intermediate Boys' B.C., 5s; Mr and Mrs C., Arbroath, 6s; E. A., Dundee, £1; W. Y. M., Bridge of Allan, £5; (Mrs M., 2s 6d; Miss B., 4d; Mrs R., 2s; Miss M., 4s; Miss S., 2s; Mr and Mrs W., 5s; E. and B. W., 1s; Miss B., 2s 6d; Mrs C., 2s 6d; Misses S., 2s; Mrs B., 4s; E. H., 1s; Collected by E. H., 3s 9d; Miss K. C., 1s; Two friends, 5s; Miss G., 2s; Mrs R., 3s; Miss L., 2s; Mrs and S. O., 2s; Miss A., 2s; Mrs J., 1s; B. A. and M. J., 9d; Mrs D., 5s; P. and E. B., 5s; M. M'P., 5s; Mrs W., 2s; Miss F., 2s 6d; Mrs R., 2s 6d; Mrs S., 2s; Mrs R., 2s; Miss L., 2s; Miss P., 1s; Miss J. T., 1s; Mrs E., 2s; Mrs M., 5s; Nurse G., 6s; Mrs S., 1s; Mrs R., 9d; Miss D., 2s 6d; L. J. and M. F., 3s; Miss R., 5s; Mrs N., 1s; Mrs H., 1d; Mrs M'G., 5s; A. and S. W., 10s)—the above sums were collected from friends in Aberdeen by Mrs W.; D. C., Kilmarnock, £1 10s; A Friend in Southend, £1; Mrs H., Edinburgh, 5s; Miss E. C., Sowerby Bridge, 10s; Mrs F., Motherwell, 3s; Robert, Myra, and Allan, "in memory of Uncle Robert," 3s; G. G. D., Bournemouth, 5s; Mrs C., Dunoon, £1; J. B. O'N., Belfast, £2; Mrs B., £3; Miss C., Laurencekirk, 10s; Mrs B. and family, Bathgate, £1 10s;

Anon., Saltcoats, 5s; Miss M'El., 10s; Sergt. Wm. M'El., B.E.F., East Africa, £1; G. A. M., £10; Mr and Mrs C. J. B., £2; Jeanie G., 4s; R. R. M. M., London, £5; Misses J. and D. E., Bo'ness, £1; Mrs M., Whithorn, £2; Dunmukier U.F. Church S.S., Kirkcaldy, 10s; Miss A. W.'s B.C., £1; Master Alex. L., Pollokshields, £15; Mr and Mrs H. A. L., £15; Mrs J., West Kilbride, 10s; Miss F., 10s; Mr and Mrs H. Gowan, £10; W. O., £2 2s; Miss M. S., Bonhill, 5s; Miss R., Kilmarnock, 15s; R. B., Aberystwyth, £5; "From three who have found Him also to be a Father to the Fatherless," 2s 6d; D. C. A., £20; Mr and Mrs J. W. L., 5s; J. G., Ayr, 10s; Miss M., 10s; Miss B., 10s; Miss M'W., £1; Mrs M'K., Aberlour, 2s; Miss R., Motherwell, £1; Oswald Mission S.S., Kirkintilloch, £2 2s; Old Kilpatrick U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Eastwood Parish Church Women's Guild, £1 1s; Wemyss Bay and Skelmorlie U.F. Church S.S., £1 5s 6d; MacDonald Memorial U.F. Church S.S., Bellshill, 10s; Gravesend Mission Forenoon Service, Arbroath, £1; West U.F. Church S.S., Brechin, 15s; W. D. M., Dunoon, £5; Sunday Fees, £2 6s; Miss G., Milnathort, £1; St. Andrew's U.F. Church S.S., Bo'ness, £1 1s 6d; Mr and Mrs P., £1; Miss M. H. M., Selkirk, 2s 6d; Mrs M., Edinburgh, in memory of Miss Richardson, 10s; J. D., 5s; Mrs W., Edinburgh, £1; W. M. R., Dundee, £1; A Friend, 2s 6d; Missionary Box, per W. M., Broughty Ferry, 10s; Tain U.F. Church Work Party, £1; St. Enoch's Parish S.S., £1; Miss C., Newport-on-Tay, 5s; Mrs D., Edinburgh, 10s; Employees, Engineering Dept., Bow, M'Lachlan & Co., Paisley, £2; Eastbank U.F. Church S.S., Shettleston, £2 2s; Mrs O., Bournemouth, 10s; Margaret M., 4s 6d; Two little girls, 10s; Two interested friends, £2 5s; Morton Parish Church and S.S., £3 12s; Douglas Park Mission S.S., Bellshill, £1; Miss P., Airdrie, 4s; Miss H., do., 2s 6d; Mrs J. H., do., 2s 6d; Mrs F., Stirling, 5s; Mrs M., Helensburgh, £1; J. S. R., Alloa, £2 10s; "A. R. A.," £1; Employees, Doulton & Co., Ltd., Paisley, £3 3s; J. J. R., Kirkcaldy, £1; Whifflet U.F. Church S.S., £2 2s; Employees, Dalzell Steel Works, Motherwell, £10 7s 8d; Shiskine U.F. Church S.S., £1; C. R., Shiskine, £1; Muir of Ord U.F. Church S.S., £1; Mrs T., Freuchie, £1; G. M., Crieff, £1; Mr and Mrs R., Kirkintilloch, 10s; Douglas U.F. Church S.S., 15s; Mrs P., Dalbeattie, 10s; Miss B., Airdrie, 10s; W. D., Glengarnock, £5; J. A. C., Elton, 10s; Mossvale U.F. Church Children's Church, Paisley, £1; Miss F. C., Edinburgh, 1s; Mrs G., Falkland, £2; Anon., £1; A Friend at Grantown-on-Spey, £1; Abbey S.S., Paisley, £1 10s; Salsburgh S.S., 8s 6d; Miss F., Fortingall, 5s; Wishaw Baptist Church S.S., 10s; Employees, Drisdale & Co., Yoker, £7 7s; Miss K., Broughty Ferry, 4s; Mrs L., Grangemouth, £1; "A friend of the children," 2s; W. T. W., £1 10s; Mary S., 2s 6d; A Thankoffering, 2s; Mr and Mrs W. A. C., Bridge of Weir, £25; Mrs M. A. B., £1; Miss K., Lockerbie, 5s; J. B., 5s; Mr J., Cambuslang, £1; Dr T., £1 1s; Kilbarchan C.S., Ltd., £3 3s; West U.F. Church S.S., Kinross, £2 1s 6d; Partick Free Church S.S., £1; Miss B., 5s; Buckhaven C.S., Ltd., £1; Miss M. P. S., Paisley, 5s; Mr and Mrs M'J., 10s; Mr and Mrs A., Saltcoats, £1; Miss T., Newton-Stewart, 10s; A. C., Renfrew, 10s; A. M., Forfar, £2; Mrs U., Edinburgh, 12s; J. W. I. W., £2; J. B., Liverpool, £10; G. R. C., Bilbao, £2; A Friend, Lesmahagow, 10s; "In loving memory of 31st December," 5s; J. C., Motherwell, £5; G. S. C., Aberdeen, 10s; Anon., Peterhead, £20; Mr and Mrs J. L., Alloa, £2 2s; P. S. H., Johnstone, £1; Miss L., £3; Miss M. H., £7 8s; Employees, The Rivet, Bolt, and Nut Co., Ltd., Motherwell, 10s 6d; Maidens S.S. of Kirkcaldy U.F. Church, £1; East Parish S.S., Greenock, 10s 6d; North U.F. Church S.S., Crieff, £2 16s; Craigmailen U.F. Church S.S., Bo'ness, £1; J. F., 7s; J. C., a thankoffering, £1; Cathcart Road Gospel Hall S.S., Miss C.'s Class, 10s; S. G., £5; Mr and Mrs R. L. B., £2 and 5s for Xmas tree toys; Jean Eliza, for Xmas trees, 2s 6d; J. M. M., Leith, £1; C. S. C., "to keep mother's memory green," £1; Arch. M., £1; Rankin U.F. Church S.S., Strathaven, £1; Miss M'K., Bishopton, 5s; Buchanan Memorial U.F. Church Senior B.C., 5s; Miss S., Johnstone, 6s; "A little thankoffering to the Lord for His goodness to us in 1917," £2; A few friends in Washister, Ross, £1 10s; Mrs P., 2s 6d; Miss R., Airdrie, 10s; A. O., £144 9s 5d; R. C., Ayr, £20; J. B. M'N., Clarkston, £1; Mr and Mrs L., Govan, £4 4s; Miss M. S. L., do., 10s 6d; Collection at combined Xmas Service in Dalmeilington Parish Church, £5; Miss C., Lockerbie, 2s 6d; Brandon Street U.F. Church Junior B.C., Motherwell, £1; Lochgilphead U.F. Church S.S., 11s 3d; J. F. S., Blantyre, 5s; N.B.R. War Fund, 10s; Strathaven West U.F. Church B.C., £1; J. D., Dumbarton, £10; B. R. C. S., £3; Trinity U.F. Church S.S., 5s; Cardwell Bay Mission S.S., £1; G. F. N., £1; J. M'C., Kirkpatrick-Durham, 10s; F. C. B., Dunblane, £5; Hawick Parish Church £1; J. S. S., Kincairdine-on-Forth, £1; Jamestown Parish Church S.S., 11s; Anon., £1; S. M'D., Fort William, £5; Miss J., Galston, £100; M. K., Mount Florida, 5s; Galston Parish Church S.S., £1 10s; Crossford S.S., Dunfermline, £3; Miss B., M'K., Saltcoats, 10s; Mrs P., Helensburgh, £2; Mrs R., £4 2s 2d; D. B., Pitlochrie, 10s; J. K., Penna, £2; A. B. S., Windermere, £20; J. M. S., do., £20; G. M., Wimbeldon, 3s; Greenlaw Parish Church S.S., Paisley, £1; Kells S.S., 10s; J. M., 5s; Mrs G., Kilmarnock, £1; H. A. K., Liverpool, £1; Mrs D., Keith, 10s; Miss B., Riddrie, £1; John Street U.F. Kirk Session, £2 2s; Employees, J. Brown & Sons, Ltd., £1 1s; (Dr and Mrs M'K. A., £2 2s; A. T. R., Auchtermarder, £10; Miss J. B. H., 5s; T. O. S., 10s; P. R. F. & Co., £2 2s; C. C. and B., £1 1s; Mrs R. W. T., 5s; W. W. M., £3; St. George's in-the-Fields Parish Church S.S., £1 10s; J. A. G., £5 5s; L. B. & Co., 10s 6d)—the above sums per C. O. S.; Mrs S., Johnstone, 10s; Workmen of Scottish Iron and Steel Co., Ltd., Woodside Works, £2 2s; Mrs G., 7s; Mrs W. Auchtermarder, 10s; Mr W., 5s; Albert Hall, Skirling Street, S.S., £1; St. Columba U.F. Church R.C., Kilmacoll, 10s; St. John's S.S., Largs, £1; Graham Street U.F. Church S.S., Airdrie, £1; L. S., Clackmannan, 10s; Thornliebank Parish Church S.S., 10s; Miss H., Port of Monteth, 2s 6d; Miss J. W., Blairgowrie, 10s; A. G., a thankoffering, £1; Miss W., 2s 6d; Broomhill S.S., 10s 6d; J. J., Leith, 5s; Bridge of Weir Parish Church Women's Guild, £1 1s; J. M. R., Alloa, £3; J. J., Gourdie, £5; Misses M., Helensburgh, £1; Miss D., Acharacle, £1 10s; Kilbride Church S.S., Kyles of Bute, £1; Mrs S., Harthill, 5s; "First fruits for the bairns," Greenock, 6s; A Friend, Ardrossan, £1; Anon., 12s 6d; "A Dairymaid," 5s; Citadel Mission Children's Church, Leith, £1; Addiewell Parish Church S.S., 10s; Restalrig U.F. Church S.S., Edinburgh, £2; Ratho and Kirknewton U.F. Church S.S. and B.C., 7s; Kilbarchan General Soc., £3; North U.F. Church S.S., Dunfermline, 10s; Miss C., 5s; Cordner U.F. Church S.S., Lesmahagow, £1 10s; Mr and Mrs W., Edinburgh, £5 5s; Mrs G., Blackhall, 10s; G. M. T., London, £1 1s; Miss L., Peebles, £1; Miss T., do., 5s; A. R., £2 2s; A. R. B., M'F. & Co., Ltd., £3 3s; Cupar Baptist Church S.S., 3s; U.F. High Church S.S., Inverness, £1; Young Street Church B.C., £1; Susan G., 7s 6d; May and Susie O., 10s; Sarah C., 10s; Mr and Mrs J., Calgary, £1 11s 3d; Kelvinside U.F. Church S.S., £1; Auchtermarder P.O., £3 18s.

Received by Hon. Treasurer for ORPHAN HOMES between 1st and 31st December.—A. V., £5; A. F. W., Kirkintilloch, £100; Employees, Webster, Gartshore and Woodilee Coal Co., £5 5s; J. C., Dunaskin, £1 1s; Strathbungo Parish Church S.S., £1 2s 7d; A Woman Sympathiser, £3; D. R., £10; D. C., Alresford, £100; J. W., £100; G. W., Bathgate, £5; The Incorporation of Maltmen, £3 3s; J. M. M., Perth, £1; H. H. & Sons, £10 10s; A. A. R., Edinburgh, £5; J. C., Troon, £3; *Legacy* of the late James Rogers, Esq., Kilmacoll, per Messrs Keyden, Strang & Co., £47 3s 3d; P. P., £3 3s; P., Ltd., £3 3s; A. G. B. & Co., Ltd., £2 2s; W. S. & Son, Ltd., £1; G. W., £1; Misses M. S. and N. B. Y., 10s; T. P. S., Newport, Fife, £2 2s; W. G. M., £1; P. T., Milngavie, 2s 6d; D. M. & Co., Ltd., £5 5s; The S.T.L.A. Co., £5 5s; W. H. L., Dunning, £2; Thomas Coats Memorial Church, Paisley, £12 19s 4d; U.C.B.S., Ltd., £10; E. R., 10s; Mrs L. S. J., £1; D. B. M., 10s; D. F. D., Dess, £3; Gospel Hall S.S., Clydebank, £1; Employees, Scottish Tube Co., Ltd., Coatbridge, £2; Langbank Women's Guild, £2; Gilcomston U.F. Church S.S., Aberdeen, £1 5s; Employees, James Taylor, Wheat-holm, Ltd., Airdrie, £1 1s; St. Phillip's U.F. Church Congl. S.S., Portobello, £1; A. W. R., Edinburgh, £10; Kennyhill Bequest Fund, per Messrs Mitchells, Johnston & Co., £30; Employees, W. Fulton & Sons, Ltd., Paisley, £2; Blantyre C.S., Ltd., £2; P. & A. C., Govan, £1 1s; H. P., Barrhead, £5; A. & J. S., £1; J. W. & Sons, Ltd., £7; Employees Albion Motor Car Co., Ltd., £7 7s; *Legacy* of the late Miss M. C. Baldwin, Paisley, per Messrs T. F. Reid & Donaldson, £50; Shawlands U.F. Church S.S., £1 1s; Employees, A. Law & Sons, Ltd., Partick, £2 2s; M. S., £10; Newarthill B. and G. Sunday Morning Meeting, 10s; Mr A., Lockerbie, £3 3s; Greenock C.C.S., Ltd., £4 4s; Cowlares C.S., Ltd., £4; Employees, The Mirrlees Watson Co., Ltd., £3; Shawlands Parish Church S.S., £2; Langside Parish Church S.S., £2 10s; Employees, Denny & Co., Dumbarton, £5; Dykehead and Shotts C.S., Ltd., £2 2s; St. John's U.F. Church S.S., Montrose, £1; H. A., 10s; Employees, Wm. Collins, Sons & Co., £2 2s; Bridgend U.F. Church S.S. Soc., Dumbarton, £2; J. M'A. & Sons, £2; P. H. & Co., £5 5s; J. B., £20; J. H., £2 2s; Northwoodside U.F. Church S.S., £1; Kinning Park C.S., Ltd., £7; St. James' Sabbath Evening School, Paisley, £2 10s; Dalziel C.S., Ltd., Motherwell, £2; Westerdale U.F. Church S.S., £1 2s; *Legacy* of the late John M. Drennan, Esq., Edinburgh, per Messrs Mitchells, Johnston & Co., £500; Grangemouth West Church S.S., £2 10s; Clyde Structural Iron Co., Ltd., Employees, £1 10s; St. George's U.F. Church S.S., Montrose, £1; Robert Hart's Trust, per James MacGregor Hart, Esq., £1000.

Consumption Sanatoria.—A. P. & Co., £3; "A. R. A." 10s; Kilbarchan C.S., Ltd., £1 1s; Employees, D. Rowan & Co., £3 3s; Mrs S., Inverclyde, 5s; Employees, Rankin & Blackmore, Ltd., Greenock, £3 3s; Thornliebank Parish Church S.S., 10s; J. M. R., Alloa, £1; Misses L., Peebles, £1; Miss T., do., 5s.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for CONSUMPTION SANATORIA between 1st and 31st December.—Dennistoun Bakery Employees Sick Benefit Soc., £2 2s; D. R., £10; J. S., £1 1s; Employees Charitable Institution Fund of R. B. Tennent, Ltd., Coatbridge, £3; Employees, Loco. Dept., Caledonian Railway, Hamilton West, £2 2s; D. M. & Co., Ltd., £2 2s; U.C.B.S., Ltd., £6; Employees, Clydesdale Iron and Steel Works, Mossend, £6; Employees, Alexander Stephen & Sons, Ltd., Govan, £10; Workmen of Allan Whyte & Co., Rutherglen, £1 1s; J. W. & Co., Ltd., £3; Employees, Albion Motor Car Co., Ltd., £7 7s; Employees, Sir Wm. Arrol & Co., £3; Employees, Hamilton M'Culloch & Co., Ltd., Larkhall, £2; M. P. & Co., Ltd., and Employees, Levenford Engine Works, Dumbarton, £3 3s; Infirmary Fund of J. B. Partick, £6 6s; J. N. & Co., Ltd., £5; H. A., 10s; Employees, William Collins, Sons & Co., Ltd., £2 2s; Employees, Arrol, Johnston, Ltd., Dumfries, £3 3s; P. H. & Co., £2 2s; The Joint Lines Benevolent Fund, £1 1s; Dalziel C.S., Ltd., Motherwell, £1; Clyde Structural Iron Co., Ltd., Scotstoun, £1 1s.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—A. P. & Co., £2; "A. R. A." 10s; I. & C.H. Funds of C. & Co., Ltd., Paisley, £3 3s; Mrs G., London, per C.O.S., £1; Bridge of Weir Parish Church Women's Guild, £2 2s.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for COLONY OF MERCY between 1st and 31st December.—Employees of Wm. Collins, Sons & Co. Ltd., £1 1s; Kinning Park C.S., Ltd., £3; Employees, Arrol, Johnston, Ltd., Dumfries, £2 2s.

WEEK ENDING JANUARY 5.—Mrs K., £1 1s; Margaret G. K., 12s; Mrs R., 5s; Newhaven U.F. Church S.S., Leith, £10; C. B., Upton, Poole, £1; Mrs C., Hawick, 5s; A. B., London, £1; Mr and Mrs J. B., Edinburgh, 5s; W. I., Paisley, £1; Miss M., Helensburgh, £1; Mrs G., Holytown, £1; Mrs M'F., Partick, 5s; Miss W., Troon, 5s; D., Aberdeen, 5s; Miss P., Fauldhouse, £3; Mr and Mrs A., Otago, N.Z., 10s; Clydebank Union Church S.S., £1 10s; W. M., Alloa, 10s 6d; Miss L., do., 2s 6d; Mrs L., £1; Mrs K., 10s; A. C. D., £1; Langbank U.F. Church S.S., £1 10s; Mount Park S.S., Greenock, £2; G. W. R., London, 5s; Johnstone C.S., Ltd., £2 2s; Brunton U.F. Church S.S., Markinch, £1; O. S., Edinburgh, £1; Miss A., do., £3; Mrs M., Blairgowrie, 15s; G. A. A., Edinburgh, £2; Renfrew N.U.F. Church S.S., £1; Miss M., Clachan, 10s; Mrs R. H., Dumbarton, £2; Bessie, 5s; Victoria Street U.F. Church S.S., Dundee, 10s; Pollokshields Congl. Church S.S., £1; Erskine U.F. Church S.S., Carnoustie, 10s; Robert S., 2s 6d; M. F., 8s; Mrs C. London, £5; A. T., 10s; R. S., Hawick, £1; Trinity U.F. Church S.S., Greenock, 10s; Mrs C., Cleland, £5; Gillespie U.F. Church J.M. Soc., Dunfermline, £1; Miss M., Giffnock, £5; J. A., Bervie, £1; T. & R. A. & Sons, £2; A. S., Arbroath, 10s; Two Sisters, Brockville, £2 1s 8d; Miss L. M'L., Guelph, Ont., £2; A. M'L., Stayner, Ont., £2 1s 8d; James A., do., £2 1s 8d; Mrs R., Kilmacoll, 5s; Tom G. Y., 10s; Mrs L., Paisley, £2; J. W. M., "In memory of my mother," *Building Fund*, £2; Clark Memorial Church S.S., Largs, £1; C. R. T., York, £3 10s; E. Campbell Street, U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Mrs H. W., and R. L. W., Greenock, £5; Mrs A. G., Strathaven, 5s; Miss M., do., 5s; Miss H., Paisley, 5s 6d; Mr and Mrs R. and family, £2; A Friend, 2s 6d; Busby West S.S., £1; Cardonald U.F. Church S.S., £1; J. B., 10s; Chapelhall U.F. Church S.S., £1 1s; Summertown U.F. Church S.S., £1; Mr W., £1; Found in boxes in Bridge of Weir, £4 4s 5d; Miss T., £1; Mary P., 5s; Peggie and her brothers and sisters, 15s; Mrs Y., Aberdeen, 10s; J. D., Dundee, 10s; D. M'F., £1; York Place U.F. Church S.S., Perth, £1; W. & D. M., £5 5s; Barony Parish Church Women's Guild Work Party, £3 3s; H. M., Old Kilpatrick, £1 10s; L. D., in loving memory of a dear friend, 5s;

D. D., Hamilton, £1; North Morningside Juvenile Missionary Soc., Edinburgh, £2 2s; Infants, Juniors, and Teachers in Alva Academy, £1 1s 6d; Primary S.S., Trinity U.F. Church, Camelon, 10s; Alva West U.F. Church S.S., 15s; M. S. J., 5s; Draffan S.S., £1 12s; Margaret, Aberdeen, 10s; Mrs B., 10s; "A thanffering to the Lord for His goodness to us during another year," £1; South U.F. Church S.S., Peterhead, 10s; Charing Cross U.F. Church S.S., Grangemouth, £2; B. B., Brechin, 10s; Wellwynd U.F. Church S.S. and Junior B.C., Airdrie, £2; West U.F. Church S.S., Coldstream, 10s; R. C., Coldstream, 10s; Miss M., 5s; Newark U.F. Church S.S., Port-Glasgow, £1 0s 4d; Finnart U.F. Church Sabbath Afternoon Meeting, Greenock, 10s; Mrs M., Strathaven, 10s 6d; Stevenston U.F. Church S.S., £1 10s; J. C. C., Aberdeen, 5s; Mrs M. B., Campbelltown, 10s; St. Andrew's U.F. Church S.S., Blairgowrie, £1; W. A. D., Aberdeen, £2 2s; J. & J. J., Dalmeir, £1; Mr and Mrs A. A., Kilmacoll, £1; G. D. S., Edinburgh, £2 2s; Cockpen U.F. Church B.Cs., Lasswade, 15s; Miss S., Dundee, 2s 6d; Mrs S., Rutherglen, 5s; Henry Drummond Memorial U.F. Church Y.M.C.A., 10s; Mrs M., Carmyle, 5s; Wick U.F. Church S.S., 12s 6d; J. T., £1; A. A., £16 16s; Workers and Children of Troon Children's Church, £10; Pte. James M. A., £7; Mr and Mrs S., Bowling, £10; J. O. B., Stromness, 3s; St. Andrew's U.F. Church S.S., Longtown, 9s; D. D., Londonderry, 10s; J. G., Edinburgh, £1 1s; A. T., do., for 1918, 10s; Mrs W., in loving memory of Jeanie, £1; Miss B., Edinburgh, £10; Members and Children of West U.F. Church, Strathaven, £8 7s; Crawfordsburn S.S., Bangor, 10s; J. C., Dundee, 5s; Y. P. S. C. E., Glengarnock, 10s; A. R., do., 10s; Victoria Street Forenoon Service, Dundee, £1; R. B., Jedburgh, £5; J. H. L., Edinburgh, £2; W. B., do., £2; Mrs B., do., 10s; Part N.Y. Day Collection, St. Thomas' Church, do., £1 3s 6d; Mrs W., do., £1; H. J. C., do., 2s 6d; H. L. C., £1; Mrs D., Castle-Douglas, £1; T. C., Motherwell, £1 4s; St. John's U.F. Church S.S., Cupar, £2 2s; A. L., Aberdeen, 4s; H. L., Ayr, £1; York Road U.F. Church S.S., Newton-Stewart, £1 10s; Macgregor Memorial U.F. Church S.S., Govan, 15s; Relief U.F. Church Mission S.S., Irvine, £1 2s 6d; Mrs F., £1; A. & M. M., Galashiels, £1 5s; Ladhope U.F. Church S.S., do., 10s; Dunollie Road U.F. Church S.S., Oban, 10s; J. M'W., Leslie, 2s 10d; An old worker, 10s; T. B., Selkirk, 10s; Portland Road U.F. Church Mission School, Kilmarnock, £1; Misses M., London, £1; M. H., Paisley, 10s; Logierait Parish Church Women's Guild, 10s; Miss S. and niece, Elgin, 12s; Mrs J., Cairn Ryan, 5s; J. L., New Cumnock, £1 10s; S.S. Help Soc., Falkirk, £10 10s; S. & S. F. A., do., £93 4s; Mrs W., £1; J. B., £100; Jessie and Martin, 2s; A. S., Edinburgh, £1; J. P., £3; "A small thanffering in loving memory," £2 10s; "A wee thanffering," Miss C., £1; Mrs M'N., Crieff, 5s; W. D., Dunning, £5; Kilncraigs Sunday Afternoon Classes, £7 12s 4d; W. S., Paisley, 10s; S. M., Dundee, £1; W. B. R., Kirkcaldy, 5s; St. Andrew's U.F. Church S.S., £1; West U.F. Church S.S., Lochwinnoch, £1; J. M'C., £5; Bellshill Parish Church East End S.S., Mossend, £1; Mrs G., Kilmacoll, 5s; North U.F. Church Senior B.C., Springburn, 10s; Mr and Mrs J. M. and children, £10; Mr and Mrs M., Winnipeg, £1; J. A. D., £2; Mr and Mrs R., £1 5s; Minnie C., Dumoon, 5s; Mrs L., Ayr, 10s; Radnor Park Junior B.C., £1; A Friend, Clydebank, 10s; Mr and Mrs T. N. and family, £3 18s; Miss F., £3 15s; Miss B. M., Doune, £1; Mrs J. B., Rutherglen, 10s; A. M., Arbroath, £1 10s; T. W. L., £1; Whiteinch U.F. Church Junior C.E., 5s; "Margaret," Aberdeen, 5s; Stenhouse S.S., £3 12s 6d; R. E. H. and family, Mid Calder, £1 1s; Jack and Sandy, St. Andrews, 2s 6d; J. S., Cambuslang, 10s; Mrs R. H. A., Milnathort, 5s; Two Millworkers, £1 10s; Pilgrim S.S., Leith, £1; W. B., Aberchirder, 2s; Brandon Street U.F. Church S.S., Motherwell, £4; Stirling B. & G.R.S., 15s; W. R., Paisley, £3 3s; Glasgow Eastern C.S., Ltd., £2 2s; Mrs J. W., Gourcock, £3; Miss N. M. M., Kirkintilloch, 10s; Mrs K., £1 10s; The children, 2s 6d; A. O., £98 18s 1d; Miss B., Hunter's Quay, 10s; Girls' Intermediate Class, St. Luke's U.F. Church, Montrose, 5s; T. M., Kilwinning, 10s; Renwick U.F. Church S.S., Dunscore, 5s; Mrs M'L., Port-Glasgow, 4s 6d; Miss M., Ayr, £2; D. M., Vancouver, £2 1s 8d; A Friend, 2s 6d; Miss M., Markinch, £1; Major S., 10s 6d; F. M. H., Moffat, £10; Children of Viewpark Manse, 5s; R. S., Selkirk, £5; Mrs H., 10s; East U.F. Church S.S., Gorebridge, £1; Kingussie Free Church S.S., 9s; Miss S., Bridge of Allan, £2 10s; R. B., £5; Mrs H., Airdrie, 5s; Miss C., do., 2s 6d; Mrs M. M., Calgary, £1; Rosehearty U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Mrs L., Dalmeir, £5; South Beach U.F. Church S.S., Saltcoats, 15s; D. B., Paisley, £12; Fauldhouse U.F. Church S.S., £1 10s; Mrs A., Anstruther, 5s; Mure Memorial Church S.S., Baillieston, 10s; Captain C. H., £1; St. James' Parish Church S.S., 10s; J. M'C., £5; John S., 5s; Mrs B., Brisbane, 9s 6d; W. D., £3; A. A. D., £2; J. D. W., Tarves, £3; T. L., Cowdenbeath, £1; A. N., 12s 6d; J. S., Edinburgh, 10s; A. S., Alberta, £5; Miss M., Glenlyon, 10s; W. M., Leadhills, £1; Janet's Box, Lochgilphead, 5s; Cockpen U.F. Church Mission S.S., £1; J. T., Glengarnock, £1; Miss W., Kirkcaldy, 10s; Crawfordsburn U.F. Church S.S., Greenock, £1; Hawick Baptist Church S.S., £1; M. G. T., Innerleithen, £5; J. C., Bridge of Weir, £1; Mrs B., Kelso, £1; Mr B., do., 10s; Pte. B., R.A.M.C., 5s; A. F., £1; W. G., Cumbernauld, 10s; A. R. D., Darlington, £20; Blackfriars Parish Church S.S., £1; Mrs M. W., Greenock, 7s 6d.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Employees of Ferguslie Thread Works, Paisley, £20; Employees at Hyde Park Works of N.B. Loco. Co., £5; Misses M., London, 10s; Miss C., Crossgates, £2 5s; Glasgow Eastern C.S., Ltd., £3 3s; Miss S., Bridge of Allan, £1 10s; Employees, Ross & Marshall, Ltd., Greenock, 10s 6d; Mrs M. M., Calgary, £1; Miss W., Kirkcaldy, 10s.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—"In Memoriam," £3; Mrs L., Ayr, 10s; Miss S., Bridge of Allan, £1; Mrs M. M., Calgary, 10s.

WEEK ENDING JANUARY 12.—G. W., Leith, £1; Church of Christ S.S., Shawlands, £3; J. L. T., £1; A. H., Thornhill, 5s; Anon., 10s; W. T. P., Alloa, £25; "Your share of my tenth," C. C. M'G., 2s 6d; Miss A., Edinburgh, £1; Maxwelltown U.F. Church Senior B.C., 10s; Gospel Hall S.S., Camelon, 10s; W. M., Forres, 5s; T. G. C., Homes, £550; Elise Hospital, £300; Pans Mission Hall S.S., £1; Alice, Willie, and Jessie, £1; G. H., "The Lord's tenth," £5; M. M'L., Johnstone, 15s; Miss S., 5s; Mr and Mrs D. W. C., Liverpool, £1 1s; Junior C.E., East U.F. Church, Broxburn, 10s; Miss D., Selkirk, 18s; J. S., Kilmacoll, £1 10s; Miss P., 10s; Two Friends, £300; J. M'K., Port-Glasgow, £1 10s; Miss M., part of the tithes, £1; Mrs S., Wellington, £1 10s; Maggie, Janet, and Jean, £1 10s; W. D. T., Greenock, £1 1s; Victoria Place B.C., Paisley, £2; Paisley Abbey Junior Guild, £1; Miss H. M. M'O., Greenock, £1; Mrs R., Hawick, 10s 6d; Bridge Street S.S., Keith, 10s; Dunkeld U.F. Church S.S., 6s 6d;

Shilford S.S., £1; Canal Street U.F. Church S.S., Paisley, £2; Hamilton U.F. Church S.S., Port-Glasgow, £4 9s 5d; S. M. L., Monifieth, £15; H. M. B., 4s; A friend in Kelty, £1 1s; Miss G., Bridge of Allan, 10s; Mrs G., £2; W. M.M., Beith, 10s; W. R., £1 13s; Mrs F., in loving memory of a dear son killed on 23rd October, 1916, 5s; Mr and Mrs M., £30; Mrs S., 10s; Mrs E. and family, 10s; Mrs C., £6; J. T., £100; Hamilton Parish Church S.S., £1 1s; Bonnybridge Parish Church S.S., £5; Miss M.L., Greenock, £1; I. E., 10s; D. C., Chirnside, 5s; Miss F., Edinburgh, 10s; Mrs M. T., St. Boswells, £25; D. P., £3; Miss R., Edinburgh, £10; Miss O. M. C., do., £2; Tain U.F. Church S.S., £1 2s 6d; The widow's mite, Mrs K., 5s; Elgin Parish Church S.S., £1 1s; W. J., Clarkston, £1 1s; J. M. R., £4; M. M.D., 2s 6d; F. O. B., £1; R. I., Wishaw, £1 1s; Miss M., £5; Miss H., Rosneath, 10s; Mrs M. C., Gatehouse, £5; Mrs J. K. T., Dundee, £1; Mr and Mrs M., Kelty, 10s; Pambride U.F. Church S.S., Carnoustie, £1; Dr and Mrs S., Edinburgh, £1; Kala Parish Church S.S., 10s; Candlish Church S.S., Edinburgh, £1 1s; J. A., Leven, 10s 6d; Elgin South U.F. Church S.S., 10s; P. M.S., £40; Mr and Mrs B., Rosses Point, £1; Miss B., Keith, 10s; W. A. B., Leeds, £2 2s; "In loving memory of my sister, M. G.," 10s; Mrs L., Douglas, £1; M. C., Kilmacoll, £6 6s; Sheuchan U.F. Church S.S., Stranraer, 1s; Westmorland Road Presbyterian Church S.S., Newcastle, £1; "Peggie and Gladys," £5; Mrs L., Cleland, £1; T. C. C., Oban, 5s; Battlefield Parish Church S.S., £2 2s; Dalziel U.F. Church S.S., Motherwell, £2 10s; Misses J. and A. A., Dalry, 5s; Stair U.F. Church S.S., Trabboon, 5s; Mr and Mrs R. C., Edinburgh, 5s; J. C. E., Culter, £1; St John's U.F. Church S.S., Woodside, 16s; Mrs G. M. O., W. L. O., Mrs W., and the Misses C., Murtle, £3; Miss M., Saline, £2; N.B.R. War Fund, 10s; J. D. M., £1; "Isobel and Rita," Airdrie, 10s; R. A., £10 17s; Psalm 23 and 1, 2s; Agnes T., 8s 4d; Pte. M.V., 10s; J. C., £2; Kerr S.S., Beith, £2 8s 9d; T. M., Coventry, £1; Leonaig S.S., 8s 3d; Home Mission Box, per Mrs J. F., 10s; Wester Pardovan U.F. Church S.S., £1; Bridgend S.S., do., 10s; Miss M., Oban, 13s; Frickheim U.F. Church S.S., 5s; U.F. Manse, do., 5s; Ramfurly U.F. Church S.S., £1; Wellfield U.F. Church S.S., Springburn, 10s; Clume Park S.S., Port-Glasgow, £1 10s; J. M., Renfrew, £2; Airdrie High U.F. Church S.S., £1 5s; With love and prayer, 1s 6d; T. S., Dunfermline, £1 6s; Miss M., Longmiddy, £1; D. F., Orrieft, £1; Mrs M., Buckie, 5s; Dingwall Parish Church S.S., £1; Misses J. and H. D., 5s; J. H., Beattock, 10s; J. B., Kinross, £1; Tulliallan S.S., Kincardine-on-Forth, £1; Tulliallan, W. G., do., £1; Mrs M., Huntly, £1; Killiebank S.S., Alloa, 5s; Carradale U.F. Church S.S., 10s; G. L. S., Arbroath, £5; G. P., £1; St. Andrew's U.F. Church S.S., £2; West Baptist Church Junior C.E.S., Dunfermline, 5s; A. O., £148 5s 11d; North U.F. Church Work Party, Stromness, £6; Mrs M.K., £10; Harmony Hall S.S., £4 2s 0½d; W. K., 10s; Mrs P., Strathmiglo, 2s; From Castleton, per Miss M.F., 10s; From Lochgilphead, per do., £1; "In Memoriam of mother," A. M. T., £2 2s; Ferryhill Parish Church S.S., Aberdeen, 10s 6d; J. C. M., Aberdeen, £1; West U.F. Church S.S., Auchterarder, £1 1s; Springburn Parish Church Women's Guild, £1; Miss A., Rothesay, 10s; "A thankoffering from a friend," 2s 6d; Rothesay P.C., £3; Mrs I., 5s; Govanhill U.F. Church S.S., £1; M.C. & Co., £1 1s; W. B., £1; Miss W., £1; Miss J. H. M.O., Muthill, 5s; Annie M.L., 10s.

Consumption Sanatoria.—T. G. C., £100; Two Friends, £50; "The widow's mite," Mrs K., 5s; Miss M., Saline, £2; "In Memoriam M. M.," 10s; Mrs M.K., £2; J. C. M., Aberdeen, 10s.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—Mr and Mrs. J. D., Aberdeen, £5; T. G. C., £50; T. M., Edinburgh, 4s; Mrs M.K., £2.

WEEK ENDING JANUARY 19.—Mrs R., Edinburgh, £1; Miss R., do., 2s 6d; Miss M. J. C. R., do., 2s 6d; "In Memoriam E. M. S.," £12; Coupar-Angus, 5s; Fauldhouse Parish Church S.S., £1; Coupar-Angus Parish Church S.S., £2; Bonnybridge Parish Church Y.M.B.C., 10s; Mrs T., £1; New Kilmarnock Parish Church S.S., £1 15s 8d; Western S.S., 7s; Mr and Mrs G. N., 17s 6d; G. B., Inch, £1; J. D., £21; Mrs B., Edinburgh, 5s; Lambert East S.S., £1; J. W. D., Airdrie, 2s 6d; Bucksburn U.F. Church S.S., 10s; An old worker, 5s; West Kilbride Parish Church S.S., £1 1s; R. C., Biggar, 5s; Miss O., Deloraine, Man., £2; Mrs K., Dumfries, 10s; Employees of do., 10s; Erskine Orr Mission S.S., Greenock, 15s; Markinch Parish Church S.S., 10s; Coaltown of Balgonie S.S., 10s; Leith British League Children's Church, £2; "Mac," £1; St Mary's Parish Church S.S., Motherwell, £1 10s; South U.F. Church S.S., Forfar, £1; Clarkston Mission S.S., £2; J. H., Airdrie, £3; Redding O.S., Ltd., £2 2s; Additional from St. Thomas' Church, Edinburgh, 3s; Mrs G. M. R., Prestwick, £1 1s; North Bute U.F. Church S.S., £1; Mr and Mrs P., Hyndland, £2; Employees of Wallace-Scott Tailoring Institute, £2 2s; T. W., £1; Cathedral Square U.F. Church B.C., 10s; A Friend, £5; Miss T., 5s; Irvine Relief Congl. S.S., £2 10s; Gaelic U.F. Church S.S., Greenock, £1 5s; Greyfriars S.S., Dumfries, £1 2s; Helensburgh Parish Church S.S., £1; Employees, J. Meighan & Sons, for 1917, 10s; Mr and Mrs D., Kilbarnie, 6s; Misses D., do., 4s; Tignabruach Parish Church S.S., £3 2s 6d; Ashton U.F. Church S.S., £1; Mrs R. W. F., £5; Bristo Place Baptist Church S.S., Edinburgh, £6; West U.F. Church Mission S.S., Greenock, 10s; L. M., Kilmacoll, £10; G. S., Kilmarnock, £1; Cartburn Parish Church B.C., Greenock, 5s; Linwood Parish Church S.S., 10s; Mearns Parish Church S.S., £1 1s; Mrs R., Perth, 5s; Scaurbridge and Burnbrew S.S., 6s; St. Andrews Parish Church S.S., £4; Mrs W., 8s; T. P., Berwick-on-Tweed, £5; R. H. M., Alva, 5s; Erskine U.F. Church B.C., Saltcoats, 10s; Collected in box at Sailors' Home, Leith, £2 6s 6d; Mrs G., Kirkcudbright, 10s; Mrs G., £2; "Pioma," £1; Bluevale Children's Church, 10s 6d; North U.F. Church S.S., Keith, 15s; Anniesland Hall B.C., £4 10s; Ardrossan Y.M.C.A., Children's Sunday Morning Service, 12s 7d; J. K., Orrieft, £1; Mrs S., £3; Miss S., Hawick, 2s; Mrs T., do., 2s; Mrs D., Ceres, 5s; Davidson U.F. Church S.S., Edinburgh, £1; Miss M. P. S., Edinburgh, £2; J. B., Leith, £1; Ardrishaig U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Misses B., Edinburgh, £1; Miss R. H., 5s; Mr and Misses J., Edinburgh, £1; Muirkirk U.F. Church S.S., £1; Cleppington U.F. Church S.S., Dundee, 10s; Tradespark S.S., Nairn, £1 1s; Middle U.F. Mission S.S., Greenock, £1 15s 4d; Wesleyan Church Watch Night Service, Alexandria, £1 8s; Clashmore S.S., £1; Captain and Mrs V. E. R., Preston, £3; Erskine U.F. Church S.S., Bishopton, £1 5s; Of Thine Own, £2; W. W., Auchinleck, £3; D. T., Llangadock, £1; Cupar-Fife Children's Church, 8s; Cupar-Fife Y.M.C.A., 4s; Mrs G., £10 8s; A. O., £106 12s 7d; Miss S., Vancouver, 5s; W. P. F., Strathmiglo, £1; George Square Congl. Church

Mission S.S., Greenock, £1 1s; Fossoway U.F. Church S.S., £1; Employees, J. Orr & Sons, £1 1s; Glassary Parish Church S.S., 16s; Dumbarton E.U. Church S.S., £2; Children at Morocco House, 10s; St. Mark's U.F. Church Y.M.C.A., 10s; Springburn Parish Church S.S. Assoc., £1 1s; Christians, Winnipeg, £1; N. B., Dumbarton, £1 5s; A. R., Greenock, £1; Mr and Mrs D., 10s; Muiravonside S.S., £2 15s 6d; Collace S.S., 10s; Shotts U.F. Church S.S., £1; Palmerston Place U.F. Church Mission S.S., Colinton, 10s; Mr and Mrs C. N., Morocco, £1; Pte. James M. A., £1; Mr and Miss W., Johannesburg, £1 11s; Mr, Mrs, and Miss P., Durban, £3; J. A., Lovedale, £1; The T.T.W.B., South Africa, £1; Miss B. M., Greenock, 5s; Mrs S., Leamington Spa, £2; S. T. L., Aberdeen, £1 1s; Cambuslang Parish Church Junior C.E. Soc., 5s; Lerwick Parish Church S.S., £2; Miss M. F., Ballinluig, 5s 6d; F. A. C., Carlisle, £2; D. P., Inchtute, £1; Mrs F., Bridge of Allan, £10; Gallatoun U.F. Church S.S., £1 10s; Mrs W., Kirriemuir, £1; Miss S., Chirnside, 5s; D. S. J., Kings Lynn, £2 2s.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Miss M. G., 10s.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—Mrs G., Kirkcudbright, 10s.

WEEK ENDING JANUARY 26.—"An Admirer I. S. R., Snowdon," £1; A few members of Canmore Congl. Church and Sewing Soc., Dunfermline, £7 8s 2d; Memorial Hall S.S., Montrose, 10s; Mrs J. H. F. H., Dundee, 10s; J. T., Greenock, 10s; Wm. Dunn Mission Hall Children's Sabbath Forenoon Service, Paisley, £2; Alice, Willie, and Jessie, £1; R. M.K., Edinburgh, £1; G. D., Coupar-Angus, 2s 6d; Mr and Mrs H., Jordanhill, 5s; Ian, Peggie, and Fanny M.G., Livingstonia, £1 5s; Miss S., Paisley, 4s; Sir Michael Street U.F. Church Mission S.S., Greenock, £1; Matt. 6, v. 3, £2; W. B., Kirkcaldy, "A hit for the bairns," £10; Eskbank Wesleyan S.S., 5s; J. G. M., Oporto, £2; A Friend, £1; Irvinebank U.F. Church S.S., Darvel, 10s; C. W., Johnstone, 7s 6d; Anon., 5s; M'Donald Road U.F. Church S.S., Edinburgh, £2; Miss M., Pollokshields, £5; Hope Park U.F. Church S.S., St. Andrews, 19s 9½d; Mr F., £15; T. W., £1; Bonhill P.C., £19 10s; Mrs A., 5s; Miss Y., Milngavie, 2s 6d; C. N., £3; Mr and Mrs D., North Berwick, £1; Nurse P., Annan, 5s; Mrs S., £1 12s 6d; J. D. B., Dundee, 10s; Dalziel U.F. Church Senior B.C., Motherwell, £2; J. C., £3; W. B., £10; Coats Parish Church B.C., Coatbridge, £1 1s; Coats Parish Mission B.C., do., 10s; J. W. J., £1 1s; West U.F. Church S.S., Rothesay, £1 4s 4d; Ladeside Mission S.S., do., 10s; W. J. C., Strathaven, £1; Alexander and Hilda, 10s each; Dunfermline B. & G. R. S., £5 0s 4d; Chalmers Street U.F. Church S.S., Dunfermline, £1 10s; Kirkmuirhill U.F. Church S.S., £1 1s; B.R.C.S., £3; Mure U.F. Church S.S., Irvine, £1; A member of Strathbungo Parish Church, £1; Dunfermline U.F. Abbey S.S., 15s; Miss M. H., £7 8s; Mrs T. and C. T., Kirkwall, £2; Miss P., do., 2s 6d; G. K., Coatbridge, £1; Drumlembie S.S., £3; *Legacy* of the late Mr G. B. Nicoll, per Messrs Beckett & Morrison, £45; Workers of Cockburns, Ltd., £1 1s; Mrs J. T., Scotstoun, 2s 6d; N.B.R. War Fund, 10s; Mrs M., Ayr, 15s; Torry U.F. Church S.S., No. 3, 10s; G. D., Stewarton, £10; Miss H. B., £2; South Parish Church S.S., Aberdeen, £1; B. B., 5s; Mrs S., Tayport, £2; Miss A., Huntly, £1; Pathhead Baptist Church S.S., Kirkcaldy, £1; Mr and Mrs D. M. S., Philadelphia, £1 1s 8d; Mrs S., Kirkcounell, £1; J. M., 5s; Part *Legacy* of the late Mr James Archibald, per Messrs Hearfield & Lambert, Hull, £200; Kinning Park Parish Church S.S., £1; Mrs P., Kilmacoll, £5; Westport U.F. Church S.S., Hawick, 10s; A. O., £177 9s 3d; Mrs W., Edinburgh, 10s; Rutherglen Parish Children's Church, £1 10s; Miss M., £177 9s 3d; Miss K., China, 15s; Newhaven Parish Church S.S., Leith, 10s; Miss R., Worcester, Row, £2; Miss K., China, 15s; Newhaven Parish Church S.S., 15s; Stornoway Parish Church S.S., £1; Dingwall U.F. Church S.S., £1; Mrs M., Newburgh, £1; Miss H., £10 10s; Mr and Mrs C., £10; St. Stephen's U.F. Church S.S., £1 5s; J. M.E., Perth, £20; Mrs D., Craigmore, £2; St. Andrew's Parish Church S.S., Johnstone, 10s; Mrs S., 10s; Springburn Parish Church Band of Hope, £1; Miss B., Brechin, 4s; Miss C., Bucksburn, 10s; H.M.S. *Nyasaland*, £2 10s; D. M.K., Partick, £1; Crawford Lane Mission S.S., Greenock, 10s; Mrs N., Kelso, 10s; Dunbeth U.F. Church Intermediate B.C., Coatbridge, £1; Royal Burgh of Rutherglen, £5 5s; W. S., 10s; Congl. Church S.S., Galashiels, £1; Miss A. R. G., Kilmarnock, £1 10s; Mr and Mrs W., Bridge of Weir, £2; Mrs W.'s B.C., do., £1; Mrs L., Keith, £1; Mrs J. D., Dumbarton, £2; George Square Congl. Church S.S., Greenock, £3; Mrs M., £2; R. B. L., Belgian Congo, £1; Miss M.N., Glenlyon, 5s; Union Church Jumble Sale, Hong Kong, £2; Anon., 5s; Readers of "The Sunday at Home," 2s 6d; "A thankoffering from a wellwisher," £1.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for ORPHAN HOMES between 1st and 31st January.—Employees, Smith & M'Lean, Gartcosh, £4 4s; Miss H., Perth, 10s; W. G. W., Edinburgh, £1; Bonhill North U.F. Church Mission, £1 9s 3d; Morriston Mission S.S., Cambuslang, £2 16s; Thornliebank Wesleyan Methodist S.S., £1; T. H. B., £4 4s; Misses W., 5s; Dryfesdale Parish Church S.S., Lockerbie, £1; Trinity U.F. Church S.S., Larkhall, £1 10s; Cathedral Square U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Freeland U.F. Church S.S., Bridge of Weir, £4 0s 6d; Misses I., £10; J. B., Hamilton, £4; Trustees of Robert Mackenzie, Dingwall, £1 7s; St. Mary's Parish Church S.S., Partick, £1; Anon., £2; Dumbarton U.F. High Church S.S., £3; Church of Scotland S.S., Carfin, £1; Employees, J. & W. Clappell & Co., £4; Springbank U.F. Church S.S., £1; Easton Memorial U.F. Church S.S., Darvel, £1 9s; College and Kelvingrove U.F. Church Argyle Street Mission S.S., £1 17s 4d; Do., North Woodside Mission S.S., £4 1s 7d; Glasgow I.P.H. & B. Fund, Sorting Dept., £3 3s; Auchinloch S.S., £1 10s; Employees, Hurst, Nelson & Co., Ltd., Motherwell, £6; A. H., £10; Old Monkland Parish Church S.S., Coatbridge, £1 1s; Employees, North British D.E. Works, Ltd., Whiteinch, £5; Bellhaven U.F. Church Mission B.C., 10s; U.F. High Church S.S., Paisley, £1; Hillhead B.C., Kirkintilloch, 10s; Cargill U.F. Church S.S., Maybole, 10s; Overton U.F. Church S.S., West Kilbride, £1 10s; D. E. F., £1 1s; North Leith Parish Church S.S., £4 11s; Do., do., Infant Dent., 12s; Shamrock Street U.F. Church S.S., £1; Kilbarchan U.F. Church S.S., 5s; Hyndland U.F. Church S.S., 10s; W. G. G., £1000; F. C. G., £1000; Victoria U.F. Church S.S., Tollcross, £1; Hutchesontown Parish Church S.S., 15s; Gartsherrie Parish Church Gartgill S.S., 10s; Queen's Cross U.F. Church S.S., £1; Cardonald Parish Church S.S., £1; Kingston Parish Church S.S., 10s; Cathcart Parish Church S.S., £1; J. S., 10s; A. M. M., £1 1s; Shettleston C.S., Ltd., £1 1s; Glasgow P.O.T.S. Employees' Hospital Fund, £1 1s.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Employees, Montgomerie & Co., £2 2s; Miss M., Pollokshields, £2; Miss K., China, 5s.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for CONSUMPTION SANATORIA between 1st and 31st January.—Corporation Gas Dept. Head Office Staff, £1 5s; Employees, Scott's Shipbuilding and Engineering Co., Ltd., Greenock, £5 5s; Glasgow I.P.H. & B. Fund, Sorting Dept., £3 3s; A. H., £1 10s; Caledonian Railway Audit Office O.I. Fund, 6s; Employees, Wm. Bain & Co., Ltd., Coatbridge, £1; Employees, D. & W. Henderson & Co., Ltd., £3 3s; J. M. & Sons, £1 1s; A. M., 10s 6d; Shettleston C.S., Ltd., £1 1s; Glasgow P.O.T.S. Employees' Hospital Fund, £5 5s.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for COLONY OF MERCY between 1st and 31st January.—Employees, Smith & McLean, Ltd., £4 4s; Glasgow I.P.H. & B. Fund, Sorting Dept., £2 2s; A. H., £1 10s.

WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 2.—Abbey U.F. Church S.S., Scone, 8s; Dumfries, 10s; Blair Atholl U.F. Church S.S., 7s 6d; Ailsa, Sheila, and Ian, £1 1s; Mrs C., Southern Oregon, £1 0s 7d; Carnwath Parish Church S.S., 15s; Mrs L., Aberdeen, 6s; G. R. T., Musselburgh, 10s; Thread Street S.S., Paisley, £1 10s; Mrs H., Dumbarton, £1 and 10s war bonus; Pte. E. M., F. & F. Yeomanry, 5s; Stablestone S.S., Douglas, £1; J. & R. K., Prestwick, 4s; Anon., 2s 6d; The effort of two little girls in La Linea, 7s 6d; S. H. W., London, £5; St. Andrew's Colonial Homes Sunday Morning Service, Kalimpong, £2 2s 5d; Miss J., £3 10s; J. A., China, £2; H. M'Q., Mauchline, £30; Rodger Memorial U.F. Church S.S., Coldstream, 16s 7d; Bridge Street Mission S.S., Alexandria, 11s; Saline U.F. Church S.S., 6s; Mrs R., Dundee, £20; Well-wisher, Stirling, 4s; Macgregor Memorial U.F. Church B.C., Govan, 10s; Mr and Mrs T. R. B., a thankoffering, 10s; Wm. Dunn Mission S.S., Paisley, £2; P. M'K., Aberfeldy, £3; Ashley Road S.S., Aberdeen, £1 11s 2d; Preston Hall S.S., £2; Mrs G., £2; Helensburgh Congl. Church S.S., £3 10s; Employees, M'Farlane, Lang & Co., Ltd., £2; A. R., £1; G. E., £1; Miss W., Leslie, 7s 6d; Anderson U.F. Church S.S., Kilsyth, £1; W. F. H., Greenock, £3; Bower U.F. Church S.S., 6s 7d; The Staff of Chief Goods Manager's Office, N. B. Railway, Queen Street, Station, £2 2s; J. P., West Hartlepool, 5s; Bonhill Parish Church S.S., £1; Milngavie and Baldernock U.F. Church S.S., £1; Maxwelltown U.F. Mission Children's Church, 10s; Pringle Memorial U.F. Church S.S., Rochabers, 10s 6d; Graham's Road U.F. Church S.S., Falkirk, £1; Bothwell Chambers S.S., £3; South U.F. Church S.S., Montrose, 12s 6d; Mrs B., Aberdeen, £1; Miss A. M'N., Gourrock, 5s; Anon., £2; Miss A. C. A., Horsted Keynes, 9s; St. Nicholas' Parish Church S.S., Prestwick, £1; A. G., Achanalt, £1; Whiteinch Congl. S.S., £1 10s; New Prestwick Baptist Church S.S., 10s; Chalmers U.F. Church S.S., Wishaw, £4 9s 3d; Mr and Mrs M., Ayr, £2; Joan C., £1; A. M'R., Applecross, 5s; A Friend, £1; D. V. I.-J., Edinburgh, 2s 6d; W. B. & G. R. S., Dumbarton, £2; A. M., Arbroath, £1 10s; Clydebank Union U.F. District S.S., £1; With love and prayer, 1s 6d; Kirkcudbright U.F. Church S.S., £1 1s; Mrs S., Perth, £1; Mrs W., Nether Auchendrone, for maintenance of girl helped, £18; London Road U.F. Church S.S., Edinburgh, £2; Mrs R., £4 2s 2d; St. Clement's Parish Church S.S., 10s; Mansefield U.F. Church S.S., Kilwinning, 10s; J. M., Wishaw, £5; St. Mary's U.F. Church S.S., Govan, £1; Miss D., Blantyre, 10s; A. O., £109 5s 9d; Mrs S., £1 12s 6d; (J. M. P., Rutherglen, £1; The B.B. Co., £2 2s; S. W. M'C., £2; A. & W. P., £1 1s; A. C., £1; Miss A. M'D. T., 10s; J. M., £1; Miss D. Biggar, £1; Mrs D. S. C., Kilmaccolm, £1 1s; A. D. R., £1 1s; Mrs W. T., £1; W. L. R., Carmunnock, 21s; Lord R., £100; R. B., 10s; E. & Sons, £2 2s—the above sums per C. O. S.; Found in boxes at Bridge of Weir, £4 3s 4d; Dunlop Parish Church, £3; St. Andrew's U.F. Church Vennel Mission B.C., Greenock, 10s; Misses M., Forfar, £2; Miss M., Moffat, £1 10s 6d; J. P., Ayr, £2; Seafield U.F. Church S.S., Cullen, £1; Workmen of J. Howden & Co., Ltd., £5; St. John's S.S., Bathgate, £2; Udry U.F. Church S.S., 10s; W. D., Udry, 10s; Limefield S.S., West Calder, £1; J. T. & Co., 5s; Miss H. F., Kilmarnock, £50; Mr, Mrs T. A., and M. MacR., Dreghorn, 5s; F. E. J. B., Cardiff, 10s 6d; S. W. M., Giffnock, 10s; W. L., Edinburgh, £2; East U.F. Church S.S., Arbroath, 6s; W. T. W., £1 10s; Miss W., Greenock, 5s; J. M'R., £2; High Free U.F. Church S.S., Kilsyth, £1; Mrs T., Anstruther, 10s; A Friend, per do., 5s; Portland Road U.F. Church Junior B.C., Kilmarnock, 10s; St. Cuthbert's S.S., Lockerbie, £1; Arthur Memorial U.F. Church S.S., New Cumnock, 10s; High U. F. Church S.S., Elgin, 10s; Miss H., Edinburgh, 10s; Dysart Children's Forenoon Service, £1.

Consumption Sanatoria.—G.F.B.R.S. Blackfriars Branch, £1 9s; J. M., Wishaw, £2; (Miss A. M'D. T., 5s; J. M., 5s; Miss D., Biggar, £2; 14068, £1; Mrs W. T., £1; W. L. R., Carmunnock, £1 1s; R. B., 10s)—the above sums per C. O. S.; J. P., Ayr, £1.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—J. M., Wishaw, £3; (Miss A. M'D. T., 2s 6d; Mrs W. T., £1; W. L. R., Carmunnock, £1 1s)—the above sums per C. O. S.

WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 9.—F. C. B., £1; Laurencekirk U.F. Church S.S., £1 8s 5d; Mrs A., Lintrose, 7s 6d; Miss J. W., Errol, £2; Mr and Mrs J. F. P., £43; "Janetta," £1; Alice, Willie, and Jessie, £1; (Mrs C., £1; Mrs M., 5s; Miss C., 2s 6d; Miss S., 2s 6d; Misses M'N. and R., 2s 6d; Mrs E., 2s; Miss J., 1s)—the above sums were sent by a few friends in Annan; Mrs A. M., Kilmarnock, 5s; Crown Terrace Baptist Church S.S., Aberdeen, £1; Miss D., Strathaven, 10s; J. S. M., Pollokshields, £5; St. Meddan's U.F. Church S.S., Troon, £2; Collected by Misses Margaret Y. and Mary I., Grangemouth, £1 7s 6d; Jordannahill U.F. Church S.S., £1; W. R. Lockerbie, 10s; Hope Hall Assembly, Broxburn, £1; Stoneywood Parish Church S.S., £1; Lowson Church S.S., Forfar, £1; Newbigging S.S., 10s; Wilson Church S.S., Perth, 15s 6d; Railway Mission S.S., Jamestown, 10s; Belmont Congl. S.S., Aberdeen, 10s; Sherwood U.F. Church S.S., Paisley, £2; Ivy Place Mission S.S., Stranraer, £1; Mrs M., Edinburgh, 10s; J. P. H., Dumfries, 10s; Anon., 2s 6d; "K. & J." Helensburgh, 10s; Bannockburn Parish Church S.S., £1; Miss F., £3 15s; J. L., Motherwell, £25; Miss A. K. C.'s Y.W.B.C., Edinburgh, 17s; Mrs W., £2; Mrs W., 8s; Miss C. F., Aberfeldy, £1; A Friend, 2s; South U.F. Church S.S., Fraserburgh, £2; Crosslee S.S., 10s; Mearns U.F. Church S.S., 10s; A. T., Balmullo, 5s; Mrs C., Hamilton, £2; Miss C., Falkirk, 5s; Mr T., Aberdeen, £1; W. K., Bearsden, £1; Stoneykirk U.F. Church S.S., 12s; Tollcross C.S., Ltd., £1 1s; Yoker

Parish Church S.S., £2; N.B.R. War Fund, 10s; Mrs Y., Broxburn, £1; Leith W.P.C., £62; St. Andrew's S.S., Kirkintilloch, 10s; St. Andrew's S.S. Senior Class, do., £1; M. D., Hyndland, 10s; Miss W., £1; Pte. Archie S., C.E.F., £5; T. R. C., £1; G. L., Falkirk, £1 1s; St. James' Parish Church S.S., Clydebank, 14s; Miss M., Ayr 2s 6d; Holyrood Abbey U.F. Church S.S., Leith, £1; Olive Hall S.S., Hamilton, £1 10s; Gaelic U.F. Mission S.S., Greenock, 15s; Wynnie, 4s 6d; J. S., Mansewood, £1; Mr and Mrs W., Victoria, B.C., £2 1s 8d; S. J., Canada, £1 0s 10d; Mrs H., Dunfermline, 10s; T. P., "In memory of a little one," £1; "To help one of His little ones," £1; Inveresk P.C., £4 11s; A Catterick Mess Table, 2s; A. O., £161 11s; J. W. D., Airdrie, 2s 6d; Liberton S.S. and B.C., £1 12s 2d; T. H., £2.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—Mr and Mrs J. F. P., £7.

WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 16.—"Of Thine Own," £2; Mrs F., Cullen, 10s; Miss W., Carnoustie, 5s; Elderslie U.F. Church S.S., 10s; T. N., Paisley, £10; Mrs B., Aberdeen, £5; Mrs C., Elgin, £1; J. C., £1; Leith W.P.C., £6 4s; Miss M. M'E., 5s; Miss M., Portobello, 10s; T. W., £2 10s; St. Paul's Parish Church S.S., £1; East U.F. Church Women's Work Party, Aberdeen, £2; Mrs R.'s B.C., Airdrie, £1; Mrs A., 5s; A. R., Uplawmoor, 10s; North U.F. Church S.S., Springburn, £1 10s; Mrs B., at St. Leonards-on-Sea, £5; A. L., Aberdeen, 3s 4d; Misses A. Leuchars, 10s; Mr and Mrs S., Wandsworth, £1 1s; Bridge of Weir Angling Club, £1; Miss R., Kinross, "A thankoffering for returning health," £5; A. S., Alvah, £1; Proceeds of tea given by Draffan S.S. Teachers, 5s; Miss B., London, 10s; H. M. I., Kirkcaldy, £6; Miss S., Bankfoot, 10s; Mrs H., Dundee, 5s; H. H., Fence, £1 10s; M. M'Q., £5; Mill Mission S.S., Airdrie, £1; J. B., Bankfoot, £1 2s 6d; A. C. W., Kilmaccolm, £20; Pte. W. L., £1; Mrs S., 10s; A Friend, Motherwell, 10s; Bath Street Congl. Church S.S., Dunfermline, £1; J. H. R., Bradford, £4 4s; Edie, 4s; Olrig S.S., Castletown, 7s; Mrs G., £2; D. F., Crieff, £1; Queen's Park East U.F. Church, £5; St. Ninian's U.F. Church S.S., Leith, 15s; Stewarton Congl. Church S.S., £1; Collection at Band of Hope Meeting, Tarbrax, £2 3s; J. K., Kinghorn, £25; G. & G., £3 15s; Mr and Mrs T., £1; Crosshill U.F. Church S.S. Soc., £1; Mrs S., £1 12s 6d; Tom & Alex. A., £4; A. O., £161 14s 9d; The W.H.S., Uddingston, £7; White Street Congl. S.S., Govan, 10s; St. Luke's U.F. Church S.S., Montrose, 10s; W. C., Lanark, 5s; Rothesay P.C., £2 8s; Miss G., Paisley, £5; Mr R., £6; St. James' Sabbath Morning School, Paisley, £1; Mrs W., 5s; L/C. D. C. B., on his 19th birthday, £1; M., £20; Mrs B., £1; J. L., Dundee, £2 2s; Houston P.C., £4 5s; Kirkcaldy and Dysart P.C., £18 4s; J. H. C., £3 3s; Mrs T. W., Cardross, £5; Misses J., Bournemouth, 5s; L. & A. R., £5; Hamilton Baptist Church C.E., 7s 6d; St. George C.S., Ltd., £4; Pte. J. J., £1.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Kilbirmie C.S., Ltd., £1 1s; A. C. W., Kilmaccolm, £5; J. K., Kinghorn, £25.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—A. C. W., Kilmaccolm, £5.

WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 23.—Alice, Willie, and Jessie, £1; Mr and Mrs D. G., Liscard, "in memory of our baby," £2; Thread Street Children's Church, Paisley, £1; Miss E., Edinburgh, "in memory of my dear mother," £2; Miss D., Edinburgh, £1; W. J., "A thank-offering to the Lord for returning health and strength," £5; Miss C. H., Ardo, £1; Renfrew Evangelistic Hall S.S., £1 4s 6d; J. W. D., Airdrie, 2s 6d; Auchentheat S.S., £1; Mr and Mrs S., 10s; Broomknoll S.S., Airdrie, £1 3s 6d; Mrs E. H., Dundee, £1; J. C., Dundee, 7s; "From one of His own to His own," 5s; W. C. Y. and family, Elgin, for maintenance of girl helped, £20; T. B., Falkirk, 5s; Mrs C., "in memory of our little son Robert," 7s 6d; Cardonald Parish Church Helping Hands, £5; Miss R., Belfast, 10s; M. B., 5s; Inspector Street Mission S.S., Montreal, £2; St. Clement's U.F. Church S.S., Teachers' Assoc., Aberdeen, 18s 2d; Mordaunt Street Mission, 8s; Coatbridge C.S., Ltd., £2; Mrs C., Winnipeg, 16s 6d; F. R., 12s; Miss J. B., Saskatoon, 6s; Logiepert U.F. Church S.S., 10s; A family thankoffering, £3; In loving memory of Cousin Maggie, 5s; Three little ones per Mrs P., 15s; Mrs G., Athalmer, £1 0s 10d; Workmen of Howden Boiler and Armaments Co., Ltd., £3; "The widow's mite from an old contributor over seventy," 10s; G. W., Edinburgh, £1; Highlanders Memorial U.F. Church S.S., £2; Mrs H., Campbelltown, £1; Miss G., Castle Douglas, £1; Miss A. S. D., Acharacle, £2; Mr and Mrs J. S., £1 1s; Henderson U.F. Church S.S., Kilmarnock, £1; Miss H., £7 8s; J. S. S., Kincardine-on-Forth, £1; Miss C. C., Newcastle-on-Tyne, 10s; Offertory in private chapel at Crawfordton, £1 7s 4d; Miss M. M., Broughty Ferry, £1; B. R. C. S., £3; John G., American E.F., 14s 8d; Miss A. C., Lanark, £2; N.B.R. War Fund, 10s; Mrs C., Conon, £2; Holytown Parish Church S.S., £1; Castle Douglas Parish Church S.S., £1; Mrs A. M., Uddingston, 10s; Bella, 2s; T. B., Formosa, £1; Miss T., 3s 6d; Mr and Mrs F., a thankoffering, £5; Mrs L., £7; Miss L., £7; Alva Parish Church S.S., £1 10s; R. J. L., Dundee, £5 5s; A. O., £216 6s 4d; Harry and Mary, £1; West U.F. Church Senior B.C., Galashiels, 2s 6d; J. H., Dumfries, "for a lady client," £2; Mrs E. G. C., 10s; E. H. S., 10s; W. H. S., Pretoria, £1; Mrs A. B., "In memory of my dear husband," £2; Miss S. and Miss K., Moffat, 10s; Middle U.F. Church S.S., Perth, 10s; Armadale U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Mrs J. B., Dalry, £5; J. S., Huntly, £5 5s; G. C. M'M. & Son, Carsphairn, 5s; J. M., 5s; East Campbell Street U.F. Church B.C., 5s; T. W., £2.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for ORPHAN HOMES between 1st and 28th February.—Miss M. B., Dumfries, 10s; Miss M. S. T., Aberdeen, £50; Fairfield U.F. Church S.S., £1 1s; Legacy of the late Miss M. Hamilton, per Messrs Hill & Hoggan, £1008 16s 8d; Torry U.F. Church S.S. No. 2, Aberdeen, 10s; Employees, Shinyard Dept., Bow, MacLachlan & Co., Ltd., £2; Merrylea Parish Church S.S., Cathcart, £1; St. Stephen's Parish Church S.S., £1; East Congl. S.S., Greenock, £1; Miss I. J., Montrose, £1; Mrs F. M. J., do., £3; Legacy of the late Thomas Thomson, Esq., Rothesay, per Mr R. D. Whyte, £54 7s 2d; T. & T.T. Branch Telephone Inquiry Office, £1; Ibrox U.F. Church S.S., £2 18s 7d; Legacy of the late Mrs I. Dixon, Bothwell, per G. A. D. Kirkland, Esq., £2000; John Christie's Trust, per Messrs R. R. Simpson & Lawson, £75; Partick Parish Church S.S., 10s 6d; Bellahouston Parish Church S.S., £2; South U.F. Church S.S., Kirkintilloch, £1; Employees, Arthur & Co., £9; Cathcart U.F. Church S.S., £4 17s 2d.

Consumption Sanatoria.—J. M. F., Nairn, £1 1s.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for CONSUMPTION SANATORIA between 1st and 28th February.—Dumbarton Equitable C.S., Ltd., £2 2s; Employees, Greenock Central C.S., Ltd., £2 2s; T. & T.T. Branch Telephone Inquiry Office, £2; Employees, Bilsland Bros., Ltd., £2.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—J. C., Dundee, 3s.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for COLONY OF MERCY between 1st and 28th February.—Renfrew Parish Church S.S., £2 2s.

WEEK ENDING MARCH 2.—Mrs B., £1 6s; G. R., Montrose, £1; Miss S., Corstorphine, 10s; An Anonymous Wellwisher, £2 2s; Church of God S.S., Kilsyth, £1; Miss S., Edinburgh, £1; St. Ninian's North U.F. Church S.S., Stirling, 10s; Baxter Park U.F. Church S.S., Dundee, 10s; "Scottie," Edinburgh, £1; Mrs A., Noblehill, 5s; Mrs F., £2; G. W. S., £100; Mrs M'E., Alloa, £2; A little country Sabbath School, 8s; Abbotshall U.F. Church S.S., Kirkcaldy, 10s; Kingussie U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Mrs G., £2; Anonymous, A thankoffering to God for hearing and answering my prayers, £1000; Pte. Sam V., £1; Renfield U.F. Church, 15s; Mrs B., a thankoffering, £1; T. B., Port-Glasgow, £1; Linwood C.S., Ltd., £1 1s; A Friend, £12; A. M., Arbroath, £1 10s; Clydebank West U.F. Church S.S., £1; Cardross P.C., £15; New Bridgegate U.F. Church B.C., 10s; Mrs S., £1 12s 6d; Mrs M., Duns, £1; Mrs H., London, 2s 6d; (B. A., Wemyss Bay, £20; C. A. M., £1 1s; W. R., Busby, £2; J. W., £1 1s; R. M. S., Ratho, £1; W. J. C., £5)—the above sums per C. O. S.; Mr W., Qua Iboe, 10s; Mr and Mrs B., do., £1; Mr N., do., 10s; Mr T., do., 10s; Mr F., do., 10s; Mr W., do., 10s; Mr and Mrs G., do., £1; Mr M'C., do., 10s; Mr B., do., 5s; Mr K., do., 10s; Miss M. H., Aberdeen, 5s; A. O., £89 2s 3d; Mrs F., 14s; Found in Boxes at Bridge of Weir, £1 10s 5d; Houston U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Mrs A., 5s; Larbert West U.F. Church Junior C.E., £1; T. H., Cleland, 12s; F. C. B., £1; Crieff B. & G.R.S., 10s; A. L., Kilmaurs, £2 2s; T. G., £5; Miss T., Huntly, 5s; Mrs R., £4 2s 2d; Mrs G., £3; Mrs T., £1; Albert Road U.F. Church S.S., £1 6s 9d; Busby East U.F. Church S.S., £1 4s; Mrs B., £1; Miss L. A., Langholm, 2s 6d; Dunnikier Junior C.E. Soc., 5s; Miss G., Govan, 5s; A thankoffering for all God's goodness, £1; South U.F. Church S.S., Kirriemuir, 7s 6d; D. R., Auchterarder, 10s.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Mrs M'E., Alloa, £3; J. S. C., per C. O. S., £5 5s.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—Mrs M'E., Alloa, £1; J. W., per C. O. S., £1 1s; J. D., Edinburgh, £1.

WEEK ENDING MARCH 9.—Pumphreston S.S., £5; "In memory of E. L. M." £1; Alice, Willie, and Jessie, £1; Haddington Parish Church Boys' B.C., £1 5s; R. W. M., M. G. M., and J. W. M., £3; S. M'K., Govan, £1; Charlotte T., 5s; D. R., Baillieston, 10s; Bonnethill U.F. Church S.S., Dundee, 15s; Miss R., Forres, 10s; A few members and friends of S.G.F.S., Callander, £1; Pte. James N. H., C.F.E., £5 2s 6d; Pte. M., £1; Govanhill Parish Church S.S., £1; Blairhill U.F. Church S.S., Coatbridge, 7s 6d; Cardross U.F. Church S.S., £1; S.P.C.C., Hamilton, £5 4s; Kildalton and Oa P.C., £5 5s; W. T. W., £1 10s; Women's Foreign Mission Assoc., Bathgate, £7; Greenlaw U.F. Church S.S., £1; Bridge of Allan U.F. Church S.S., £1 1s 6d; Bainsford U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Misses B., Dunoon, "In memory of our dear mother," £1; J. C., Stranraer, £1 1s; Misses H., Edinburgh, £2; A. L., Aberdeen, 2s 8d; Mrs W., £1; Mrs C., Montrose, 10s; Miss C. O. F., Jedburgh, 13s; Friends in Strathblane and elsewhere, £14 10s; Pulteneytown Central S.S., £1; Employees, J. Robertson & Sons, Paisley, £1; Misses B., Langbank, 2s; *Legacy* of the late David Horsburgh, Esq., Gullane, per Messrs Pitcairn & Mathers, £50; K. P., Edinburgh, 10s; Miss D., Kilmacolm, 10s; St. Andrew Square S.S., Greenock, 10s; Anonymous, per D. J. F., £20; Three sisters at Ardmore, per do., £3; O.S. Church S.S., Pollokshaws, £1; G. J., Cleland, a thankoffering, £1; N.B.R. War Fund, 10s; Ayr Parish Churches S.S., £2 2s; Mrs P., Charlestown, £1; R. A., £12 8s; Mrs T., Crieff, £5; St. Rollox C.S., Ltd., £1; Miss M. F., Wishaw, £2; Govan Combination P.C., £6 10s; Miss S., Redhill, 1s 6d; Mrs T., Lauder, 10s; F. F., £52 10s; Stewarton F.B.S., £1 15s 9d; Inspector Street Mission Chapel, Montreal, £2; Scotstoun Junior B.C., £1 7s 6d; Misses Florence and Una M., Edinburgh, £5; The Clydebank Union U.F. Mission S.S., £1; Mrs P., Kinrossie, 5s; D. M'L., Kilmacolm, 10s; Hallelujah Mission S.S., Motherwell, £8; J. M., Masterton N.Z., £1; Mrs H., Carnoustie, 10s; Mrs L., 10s; Fraserburgh Friend, £3; *Glasgow Evening News*, £1 1s; A. O., £142 17s 8d; H. D., £1; Miss J. M., £20; Newark Parish Church S.S., Port-Glasgow, £1; Anon., £20.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Employees, J. Robertson & Sons, Paisley, £1.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—A. M. G., Stirling, £1; Mrs M'E., Helensburgh, 5s.

WEEK ENDING MARCH 16.—Mrs W., Edinburgh, 7s 6d; Mrs B., Bangor, £1; Mrs R., Wellington, N.Z., £2; F. O., do., £2; J. B. D., Victoria, £7 10s; Mrs M. S., Lochgilphead, £2 2s; Mrs S., 7s 6d; "Of Thine Own," £2; W. S. V., Easttriggs, £3; Miss F., Greenock, £10; A Christian, Queensland, £6; Tullibody U.F. Church B.C., 5s; F. A. B. D., Edinburgh, £2; South Morningside U.F. Church S.S., Edinburgh, £2; From the Lord, 10s; St. Michael's Parish Church S.S., Edinburgh, £1; Mrs R.'s B.C., Airdrie, £1; Mrs P., Edinburgh, £4; Miss A., Perth, 13s; D. B., £25; Anon., £1; Victoria Park U.F. Church S.S., Partick, £1; High Street U.F. Church Senior B.C., Dumbarton, £1; Bridgeton Baptist Church S.S., £1 1s; D. F., Crieff, £1; P. I., Keith, "a thankoffering for the mercies of the past year," £1; J. C., Polmont, £2; L. M., Aberdeen, £5 0s 6d; Mrs B., Lochee, £1; Miss E. H., Bridge of Earn, £1; "In memory of J. M." £5; J.S., Cowdenbeath, £6; Mr and Mrs C., Rosneath, 10s; The children, 1s 6d; Catherine C., Canada, 4s 2d; Whitehill U.F. Church S.S., £5 8s 11d; Cambuslang West Parish Church S.S., £1 5s; M'Lellan Street Children's Forenoon Meeting, £1; West U.F. Church S.S., Kilbirnie, 15s; George's sisters, £5; J. W. D., Airdrie, 2s 6d; Mrs G., £2; Broad Street Assembly S.S., Cowdenbeath, £3 6s 8d; Queen's Cross U.F. Church S.S., Aberdeen, £1 3s 5d; Miss F., £3 15s; Mrs J. M., Kintyre, 5s; West Scotland Street U.F. Church S.S., £1 10s; Lochee East U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Mrs A., Berwick-on-Tweed, £7 10s; Miss W., do., 10s;

Hillhead U.F. Church Young Folks A.B.C., £1; Mrs W., 8s; "A friend in Renfrew," 2s 6d; Rothesay P.C., £2 8s; Mrs De G., £1 17s 6d; A. O., £132 15s 6d; Readers of "The Christian," per Morgan & Scott, Ltd., £16 8s; J. S., Carlisle, £5; Summerfield Hall S.S., Whiteinch, £1; Anon., Orkney, 2s 6d.

WEEK ENDING MARCH 23.—Mr and Mrs C. T., Edinburgh, 5s; Alice, Willie, and Jessie, £1; Normand Road U.F. Church B.C., Kirkcaldy, 16s; Miss R., Edinburgh, 5s; A few workers in Stewart & Lloyds, Tolleross, £1 1s; "In Christ," £1; Mrs H., £1; Miss M'E., 5s; Mrs W. and family, £1; Mrs S., £1 12s 6d; Maryhill U.F. Church B.C., 10s; Miss D., Skene, 10s; Mr F., Clydebank, 10s; J. W. D., Airdrie, 5s; Buccleuch Parish Church S.S., Edinburgh, 6s 6d; Newcastle Y.W.C.A., £1 1s; Miss M. S., Edinburgh, 5s; G. S. S., Dalkeith, 10s; Miss B., 3s; Mr and Mrs S., Govan, £1; Mrs T., 3s; Mrs W., Merthyr, 5s; Miss H., £7 8s; Miss W., Edinburgh, £1; J. H., Bathgate, 10s; Langside Hill Junior Endeavourers, 2s 6d; Mr F.'s B.C., Trinity U.F. Church, Aberdeen, £1 1s; R. W. D., do., £1 1s; B.R.C.S., £3; Miss E. J., 5s; Miss J. C., Elgin, £1; Mrs J. M. S., of Simla, £2; Galashiels South U.F. Church S.S., 12s; T. J., Strathaven, £1; A member of Strathbungo, £1; Gateside and Beith Branch S.G.F.S., 7s 6d; Baptist Church S.S., Kirkintilloch, £1; J. M., 5s; Mrs H., Renwick, £1; In Memoriam H. M., Edinburgh, 10s; Aberuthven U.F. Church S.S., 15s; J. A. G., Kilbirnie, £1 10s; Nelson Street E.U. Church S.S., Greenock, £1; N.B.R. War Fund, £3 4s 2d; G. G., New Orleans, £5 5s; A. O., £98 12s 6d; The U.T.R. Co., Ltd., £5; P. & S., Ltd., £5; A Friend, Thurso, 10s; D. S. G., do., 10s; Mrs R., Dundee, "In memory of my dearly loved son Murray," £2; Mrs W., Rock Ferry, £1; J. J. J., £13; Duntocher, 2s 6d; Thomas Coats Memorial Church S.S., Paisley, £1; Mr and Mrs A. P., Shettleston, 5s; *Legacy* of the late James Archibald, Esq., per Messrs Hearfield & Lambert, £100.

Consumption Sanatoria.—J. S., Dunfermline, "In loving memory," 10s; J. B. M., Rutherglen, £1.

WEEK ENDING MARCH 30.—Lieut. and Mrs J. C., Kilmacolm, £10; Springburn Gospel Hall S.S., £2; Plantation U.F. Church S.S. Assoc., £3; Miss M., Perth, £1; Mrs R., Drum-lithie, 5s; Miss M. C., Musselburgh, £1 1s; Jessie S., £1; Mrs R., £4 2s 2d; St. John's Senior B.C., Bathgate, 10s; T. W., £2; Miss M., Bloemfontein, £1; Miss T., Carnoustie, £5; Abernethy U.F. Church B.C., 10s; Ashfield S.S., Dunblane, £2 1s; Hardgate S.S., 16s 6d; Mr and Mrs P., Clatt, £1; Middle Parish S.S., Paisley, £1 1s 5d; Miss R., Balloch, 2s 6d; Compensation Money, £16 19s 4d; Two Servants, £1; Miss Lottie I. H., Dundee, 12s; Oakshaw West U.F. Church Minister's B.C., Paisley, 10s; J. C., Dundee, 2s 6d; Moffat Parish Church S.S., 12s 6d; Hamilton Baptist Church S.S., £1 1s; J. R., £12 3s; Leith W.P.C., £67 13s 3d; Thread Street Hemilton Baptist Church S.S., £1 1s; J. R., £12 3s; Leith W.P.C., £67 13s 3d; Thread Street B.C., Paisley, £1; J. C. B., £2 10s; J. M'N. & Co., Ltd., Howwood, £5; A Friend, £1; Tweed-side, 10s; A. M., Arbroath, £1 10s; Victoria Road U.F. Church B.C., Kirkcaldy, £1; "Werf," £10; Kettlebridge S.S., 10s; Tolleross U.F. Church S.S., £1 10s; Winchburgh S.S., 10s; Pte. P. C., prisoner of war, £18; J. M'L., Edinburgh, £12; A. O., £147 13s 9d; Band Hall S.S., Broxburn, £1; Holburn U.F. Church S.S., Aberdeen, £1; Miss F., £1 10s; Employees, D. & J. Tullis, Ltd., Clydebank, £3 3s; Mr and Mrs S., Thurso, £1 16s; Maryhill Parish Church S.S., 10s; Miss S., 10s; Cedar Street S.S., £1; Miss H., 10s; "O," per C. O. S., £10 10s; R. F. B., per do., £3 3s; (A. L. & Co., £2 2s; J. P. H., Ltd., £1 1s; L. & S., £1 1s)—per do.; Maybole Baptist Church S.S., 15s; H. B. M'F., Maybole, 5s; Inasmuch, 5s; High U.F. Church S.S., Kilmarock, 10s; Auchterderran P.C., £3 18s; Mrs S., £1 12s 6d; Mrs C., Hull, 10s; Found in boxes at Bridge of Weir, £2 16s 3d.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for ORPHAN HOMES between 1st and 31st March.—Thomas Thomson Trust, per Robert D. Whyte, Esq., £5 14s 6d; *Legacy* of the late John M. Drennan, Edinburgh, per Messrs Mitchells, Johnston & Co., £800; Hillhead U.F. Church S.S. Soc., £2; W. L. M'K., £2 2s; Newton Place U.F. Church Mission S.S., Partick, 10s; *Legacy* of the late James Thomson, Esq., Greenock, per Messrs R. Blair & Son, £100 19s 8d; Kenfield Mission S.S., 7s 6d; High U.F. Church S.S., Lossiemouth, £1; Stepps U.F. Church S.S., £1 10s; *Legacy* of the late Mrs M. Collopy, Coatbridge, per James Neilson, Esq., £50.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Kingham Women's Guild, £1; R. F. B., per C. O. S., £1 1s; A. L. & Co., per do., £1 1s.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for CONSUMPTION SANATORIA between 1st and 31st March.—Employees, R. D. Waddell, Ltd., £1 1s; *Glasgow Evening News*, £1 1s; Dalziel C.S., Ltd., Motherwell, £3.

WEEK ENDING APRIL 6.—A Winnipeg friend, £1 0s 10d; Janet W., 5s; J. T., Youngs-town, Ohio, £4 2s 1d; Alice, Willie, and Jessie, £1; Faith Mission Prayer Union, Montrose, £1; Mr and Mrs C., 5s; J. M'K., Port-Glasgow, £1 10s; Girls' Club, 12s 9d; Miss G., Paisley, 10s; Misses C., Craigton, 7s; B.W.T.A., Bridgeton Branch, 5s; Mrs C., Dollar, £5; Mrs G., Liberton, £1; Y.P. Meeting, Shiloh Hall, Ardrishaig, £1 3s; Mrs S., 12s 6d; Sherwood Women's Guild, Paisley, £3; "Kemik," Glengarnock, £3; Chrissie G., 5s; Mrs K., Milton of Campsie, £2; Miss F., Stepps, a thankoffering, 10s; Misses E. and S. C., Stranraer, 2s 6d; E. R., £1; Miss F. C. B., £2; *Legacy* of the late Miss Jean Tyre, per James Patrick, Esq., Dalry, £100; John Knox U.F. Church S.S., Stewarton, £1; Wishaw Baptist Church B.C., £1; High U.F. Church S.S., Nairn, £1; A. L., Aberdeen, 2s 8d; W. M. E., Coldstream, £2 2s; Miss J. W. S., Brechin, 10s; Buckhaven Baptist Church S.S., 5s; Mrs W., £1; With love and prayer, 1s 6d; Mrs G., £2; W. P. T., Greenock, 3s 6d; Miss N. W., £1; F. B., Birkenhead, 10s; Ogilvie U.F. Church S.S., Dundee, £1; Mrs S., Perth, £5; D. M. R., Berwick-on-Tweed, £3; North Leith U.F. Church B.C., £1 7s 6d; Mr and Mrs T., Kilmacolm, £25; "Margery and Nancy," £5; N.B.R. War Fund, £1; W. T. W., £1 10s; Canal Street U.F. Church B.C., Paisley, £1; North U.F. Church Junior B.C., Springburn, 14s 6d; A. J., £1; S.P.C.C., Paisley, £6 10s; "K. W. & W.," London, £6 6s; Lothian Road Children's Forenoon Service, Edinburgh, £1; Miss E. C. O., North Berwick, £10; A. O., £110 1s 2d; Miss L., 10s; Mrs E. B., Hastings, £15; C. R. C., £100; Mrs W., Blantyre, 10s; J. C. R., Dundee, £2; T. W., £2; Emmanuel Church S.S., Birkenhead, £2 5s; "In loving memory of Winnie," to help the children, £200; Miss M. H., Edinburgh, 10s.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Mr and Mrs C., 5s; Mrs C., Dollar, £2.

WEEK ENDING APRIL 13.—"From me," £1; Mearns Street Congl. Church B.C., Greenock, 10s; Misses H., Peebles, £1; New Bedford Gospel Hall S.S., £4; From the Lord, 10s; St. Andrew's U.F. Church S.S., Hawick, £2; A. D. G. and friend, Bonnyrigg, 7s 6d; In memory of a dear one, £2; (Mrs M'L., 10s; M. S., 2s 6d; I. L., 2s 6d; A. F., 2s 6d; I. F., 2s 6d; Bible Reading in Christian Institute, Biggar, £1)—the above sums per Miss S., Biggar; "J. S." £2; J. M., Tayinloan, £1; High U.F. Church Mission S.S., Kilmarnock, 10s; Miss H., West Kilbride, 15s; Mrs G., £2; W. P., Coventry, 10s; Oulton U.F. Church S.S., £1; A. P., Leeds, £1; A. F. H., Perth, 12s 6d; D. R., Arbroath, £1; Dunfermline Y.W.C.A., £1; R. Y., Edinburgh, 3s 1d; Miss M., Aberdeen, 10s; Mr B., 10s; J. H. H. M'N., £5; Miss K., 5s; Miss E. M. R., Forres, 10s; First U.F. Church S.S., Thurso, £1 16s 10d; Gartsherrie Parish Church S.S., Coatbridge, £1; D. F., Crieff, £1; Miss M., Portobello, 10s; Mrs S., Camelon, 5s; Mrs R., Munhall, Pa., £2; Bible Class, Pumpherston, £1; Mrs W., 8s; T. W., £1; Mrs W., Comrie, 10s; Ranfurly U.F. Church B.C., 13s 6d; Miss A. M'L., £1; A. O., £152 18s 2d; Mrs M., Kilwinning, £3; J. O., Dundee, 7s; J. F. Y. S., Mossel Bay, S.A., £1 1s; Kinnaber Mills S.S., Montrose, 6s 6d; A Friend, £1; Inasmuch, £2 10s; Rothesay P.C., £3; Loreburn U.F. Church B.C., Dumfries, 4s 6d; St. Mark's U.F. Church Girls' Club, £1 1s; Mrs S., £1 12s 6d; J. M'C., Radnor Park, £4 0s 6d.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—Miss H., West Kilbride, 5s; Anon., Strathaven, 5s; J. C., Dundee, 3s.

WEEK ENDING APRIL 20.—A Gourock friend, £5; Radnor Park U.F. Church Senior B.C., £1; Braid U.F. Church S.S., Edinburgh, £2; Alice, Willie, and Jessie, £1; S. S., 5s; J. M., 5s; "Of Thine Own," £2; Free Middle U.F. Church B.C., Paisley, 10s; Two Glaswegians in Canada, 8s 4d; Helensburgh Congl. Church B.C., 10s 6d; Miss E. J., Langlaagte, S.A., £1; Miss A. D., Ayr, £15; Mrs L., £1; Miss L., £3; Bethelfield U.F. Church B.C., Kirkcaldy, 10s; Victoria Place Baptist Church S.S., 17s; A. R. D., Darlington, £25; Miss J. A. H., Walkerburn, 2s; Alva Baptist Church S.S., 5s; Erskine U.F. Church S.S., £2; Miss H., £7 8s; Emily K., £1 5s; Mrs S., a thankoffering, 10s; B.R.C.S., £3; J. R. Dunblane, £10; Union U.F. Church B.C., Edinburgh, 5s; St. John's U.F. Church S.S., Gourock, £1; Clackmannan Parish Church S.S., £1; Mrs S., Broxburn, £1 10s; Mr S., jun., 10s; N.B. War Fund, £1; Dalziel P.C., £35 2s; J. T., Idutywa, S.A., £2; I. C., 10s; A. O., £138 15s 6d; Mrs G., Biggar, £1; A. D., do., £10; Kirkpatrick-Fleming U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Hope Trust Children's Church, Edinburgh, £1; Miss M., Juniper Green, £5 5s; Fullarton U.F. Mission B.C., Irvine, £1 1s; In loving memory, 10s; Kelton S.S., £1; Misses J., Edinburgh, 10s; Miss M. S., Walkerburn, 10s; Mrs T., 10s; A. D., Hamilton, £2; A. F., £15; A. M'F., Tyrone, 6s; Garngad Hall B.C., £1 2s 6d; Miss C., Oban, 5s 6d; "In Memoriam E. G.," £1 10s.

WEEK ENDING APRIL 27.—Carlisle P.C., £5 5s; Forfar West U.F. Church Women's Guild, £1; Yoker Mission Hall, 10s; Dalruean S.S., Campbeltown, 15s; Hamilton C.B.S., Ltd., £1; Grangemouth C.S., Ltd., £2; Miss S., Over Broadfield, 10s; A. and Mrs M., Wednesbury, £1; Miss P., Ayr, 2s; Hillhead Congl. Church S.S., £1; Mrs A. S., Dundee, £3; Miss L., Liberton, "A thankoffering," £5; Female Mission Sabbath Meeting, Arbroath, 10s; Kirk Lane Mission S.S., £1 1s; Annesland Junior Branch Y.W.C.A., 10s; Garngad Branch B.W.T.A., 5s; Employees, John Horn, Ltd., 10s 6d; Raith Parish Church Band of Hope, £2; Mr and Mrs P., Kirkcaldy, £1 10s; Anon., Peterhead p.m., £10; J. M., France, 2s; Mr and Mrs S., Blackwood, South Australia, £20; Mrs B., Nelson, N.Z., 15s; D. W., Milnathort, £6; W. G. L., Troon, £5; Two Friends, Peterhead, 5s; Miss H., Grangemouth, £4; Mrs W., Cardiff, 5s; Mrs F., Dundee, 2s 6d; B. B., 12s; D. T. C. S., £30; East U.F. Church B.C., Strathaven, 10s; Bearsden South U.F. Church S.S., £2 9s 10d; Mrs G., £2; W. H., Tientsin, £5; Miss M. S., 5s; Garngad Hall S.S., £1 3s; A. M., Arbroath, £1 10s; Readers of the "Christian Herald," 8s; A. M. B., £1; Mrs M., Skelbo, 10s; The children at Nairn's Cottages, 2s; P. M., £5; Gourock Parish Church S.S., £1 1s; Rutherglen Congl. Church S.S., 5s; Cairnie P.C., £7 15s; A. O., £144 8s 8d; Cathcart Gospel Hall S.S., £2 10s; (A. E., 5s; F. L. M. M., £1; A. R. F., £2; S. H. B., Paisley, £4)—the above sums per C. O. S.; A. K., jun., per do., £1; A grateful girl, M. B., £1; Mrs K., Greenock, 10s; W. B., Aberchirder, 2s 6d; Mrs S., 10s; F. R., 12s; R. M'K., Edinburgh, £1.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for ORPHAN HOMES between 1st and 30th April.—Progress C.S., Ltd., £2 2s; Lothian Road U.F. Church Juvenile Missionary Soc., 10s; W. E. A. G., £10 10s; *Legacy* of the late Miss Margaret C. Baldwin, Paisley, per Messrs T. F. Reid & Donaldson, £55 8s 5d; *Legacy* of the late John Duncan, Esq., per Messrs Dalgleish, Dobbie & Co., Edinburgh, to account, £3500; (Mr and Mrs D. C., £2; Workmen and Staff of Redpath, Brown & Co., Ltd., £3; Mrs and Miss T., £1; Miss D., 2s 6d; D. C. & Sons, £1; Misses S., 12s 6d; Mr and Mrs G. E. P., £1)—the above sums per Edinburgh C.O.S.; *Legacy* of the late Miss J. Graham, Peebles, per Messrs Blackwood & Smith, £859 4s 9d; Regent Place U.F. Church S.S., £1; Queen's Park East U.F. Church S.S., £4 3s 10d; "In memory of W. D. J.," £50; Thomas Porter Equipment Fund, £150; C.P. Co., Ltd., Rutherglen, £1 1s; Queen's Park West U.F. Church Forenoon Meeting, 10s; E. D. M., £75; D. M'K., £5 5s; Kirkmaiden U.F. Church B.C., 5s; Kinning Park U.F. Church S.S., £2 1s; Whiteinch U.F. Church S.S., £1 10s; *Legacy* of the late Mrs Dixon, Bothwell, per Messrs MacLay, Murray & Spens, £1500.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Cairns U.F. Sewing Meeting, Stewarton, £2 1s; A. R. F., per C. O. S., £1.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for CONSUMPTION SANATORIA between 1st and 30th April.—City of Glasgow Police Force, £13 6s 5d; Glasgow Corporation Baths, £2; do., £1; The Corporation Police Dept., £6 13s 3d.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—Mrs R., Hallside, £1; Cairns U.F. Sewing Meeting, Stewarton, £2 1s; Miss W., Stepps, 5s; A. R. F., per C. O. S., £1.

WEEK ENDING MAY 4.—Misses F., Moffat, 10s; Alice, Willie, and Jessie, £1; Leavenseat S.S., Fauldhouse, 6s; Annesland Cross U.F. Church B.C., 10s 6d; Millbank S.S., Cluny, £1; Miss C., 7s 6d; Grove Street Institute, £1 5s; Mrs S., £1 4s 6d; Bella M'L., 2s 6d; A Friend,

£10; Grange U.F. Church Mission S.S., Kilmarnock, £1 6s 6d; Wallacetown Parish Church S.S., Ayr, £1; Spoutmouth Bible Institute, £2 14s 4d; B. C., Dalkeith, 10s; D. M., £1; A Sympathiser, 10s; Ibrox U.F. Church Plantation Mission, £1 15s 10d; Mrs F., £2; Found in boxes at Bridge of Weir, £3; P. K., Hamilton, £5; Leith Friends, towards maintenance of E. D., £15; Mr and Mrs M'G., 10s; Bethel Sunday Evening School, Aberdeen, £1; J. F., Motherwell, £1 1s; Mrs K., 10s; Miss M., Edinburgh, £1; With love and prayer, 1s 6d; Alice L., £1; Miss Drummond's Trust, per Messrs R. C. Bell & J. Scott, £10; Mid Calder U.F. Church B.C., £1 1s; J. S. S., Kincardine-on-Forth, £1; Mrs R., £4 2s 2d; West Parish S.S., Greenock, 5s; N.B.R. War Fund, £1; Mrs W., £1; Ina B., £1; A. O., £136 8s 1d; Milnathort U.F. Church S.S., £1; A. L., Aberdeen, 3s; Mrs A., 5s; Swinton P.C., £3 5s; Chalmers Memorial U.F. Church S.S., Cellardyke, £1 5s; Sighthill Senior B.C., 5s; J. B. G., £5; Anon., £3; Mr and Mrs H., Falkirk, £2; Coatdyke U.F. Church Junior B.C., £1; Miss S., 2s; W. T. W., £1 10s; Mary P., a grateful girl, 5s; Rendal's Nigger, 3s 1d.

Consumption Sanatoria.—A Friend, £5.

WEEK ENDING MAY 11.—"Cable," St. Andrews, 10s; Buittle P.C., £13 13s 6d; Galashiels P.C., £20; Greenlaw P.C., £13 0s 6d; Miss M'E., 10s; Miss G., Thurso, £5; A Friend, 10s; D. F., Crieff, £1; Employees, Laird & Sons, Ltd., Irvine, £10; Middlebie P.C., £9 2s; Mrs M'G., Renton, £1; Shiloh Hall S.S., Shettleston, £2; Arthur Memorial U.F. Church B.C., New Cumnock, 5s; Braid U.F. Church Sabbath Morning Fellowship Assoc., Edinburgh, £1; Miss D., Broughty Ferry, 10s; Mrs G., £10 8s; Miss H., Edinburgh, 12s; Kilchoman P.C., £10; Equitable C.S., Ltd., 10s; Irving U.F. Church S.S., Camelon, 10s; Misses G., Irvine, 2s 6d; Mrs T., £2; W. P. Wangford, £1 5s; Mrs G., £2; Miss M., Montrose, 5s; W. & J. B., Giffnock, £3; Kirkpatrick-Irongray P.C., £5 17s 6d; Mrs G., Dunrossness, 10s; Rayne P.C., £6 10s 6d; Mrs I. H., Cathcart, £5; South U.F. Church Women's Guild, Barrhead, £1 1s; J. M. H., New Zealand, 10s; A. O., £136 8s 3d; J. W. D., Airdrie, 4s; Miss M., Edinburgh, "In remembrance of my mother," 10s; Greenlees & Sons and Employees, £1; Prestonpans P.C., £26; R. A., £13 19s; Lorbeth P.C., £6 10s; Mrs R.'s B.C., Airdrie, £1; In Memoriam Catherine Mackay, £3; Mrs F., 7s; Pollokshaws Parish Church Women's Guild, £2; Linwood Gospel Hall, £2 2s; Kilbinnie P.C., £3 5s; Slamannan P.C., £7 16s; Mrs K., Dumfries, 5s; A Wellwisher, £1; Elie P.C., £3 18s; Stoneyburn S.S., Fauldhouse, £2; Downhill Mission S.S., £2 10s; Forres P.C., £9 2s; Kinloss P.C., £9 2s; Kingarth P.C., £31 4s 6d; Halkirk P.C., £30; Miss T., Kilmacollm, £1.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Equitable C.S., Ltd., 10s; Greenlees & Sons and Employees, £1.

WEEK ENDING MAY 18.—Gorbals Parish Church S.S., £1; White Memorial U.F. Church Minister's B.C., £1; Fossoway P.C., £10; Langton P.C., £5 4s; G. R., £2; Mrs K., Alyth, £1; Beith U.F. Church S.S., £1; Miss G., Cullen, 5s; Alice, Willie, and Jessie, £1; Mrs B. A., Wemyss Bay, £25; F. C. B., £1 10s; Houston P.C., £4 12s 6d; A. B., £1; Mrs G., Colinton, £1; Miss E., London, £1; Miss W., Bridge of Allan, 5s; Miss E. M. R., Forres, 10s; "The Hunter Family," 10s; S.N.S.S.U., being amount collected in various S.Ss. during 1917-18, £17 8s 1d; Beith P.C., £5 4s; Selkirk P.C., £9 2s; G. & G., £3 15s; Kildalton and Oa P.C., £5 5s; Ayr P.C., £32 10s; Dreghorn P.C., £10 8s; Miss T., Kilmarnock, £2; D. R. B., Paisley, £1; "In memory of little Alick, Grangemouth," £10; Dennistoun Baptist Church S.S., £2 0s 8d; J. R. S., £5; West U.F. Church S.S., Hamilton, £1 10s; Mrs R., Kilmacollm, £5; D. D. D., £1; Morningside Baptist Church Junior C.E., Edinburgh, 5s; A. B. & Co., £15; Renfrew P.C., £10 8s; W. H., £12; D. M. P., Malvern, £5; Birthday Thankoffering, £1; "I. B. K.," £5; J. K., £5; Mr and Mrs D., Queensland, 10s 6d; Jane, 1s; James, 1s; Thomas, 6d; Miss S., £2; London Road U.F. Church B.C., Edinburgh, £1; A. D., Dumbarton, £25; S. & Y., £10; G. T., California, £2 1s 1d; B.R.O.S., £3; Uddingston Congl. Church B.C., 10s; Mrs J. O. H., Bridge of Weir, £5; N.B.R. War Fund, £1; R. M. J., Scotstoun, 10s; Junior Y.W.C.A., Dunfermline, 10s; A. O., £149 8s 10d; J. D., Beith, 10s; Miss B., Johnstone, 5s; Rothesay P.C., £2 8s; Mrs B., £1 0s 6d; W. Y., Dundee, £4; Miss C. B., Bexhill-on-Sea, 10s; Burns Street Mission Children's Church, Leith, 8s; R. L. M'K., Belfast, 10s; Auchtertool P.C., £7 16s; Christian, Queensland, £5; Mrs W., 8s; Miss L., 10s; Two millworkers, £1 10s; H. M. & Co., Johnstone, £3 3s; St. Clement's U.F. Church S.S. Teachers' Assoc., Aberdeen, 15s 2d; Mrs M., Ayr, £3; Porch Hall S.S., £1; Mrs M'G., Renton, 10s; T. W., £3; Misses H., Kirkintilloch, £10; Mrs T., £2.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Miss M'C., Stirling, 5s.

WEEK ENDING MAY 25.—J. S., Helensburgh, £2; R. A., Edinburgh, 10s; Moss Street U.F. Church S.S., Elgin, £2; Y. & Co., Ltd., Scotstoun, £5 5s; Mary D., 10s; Mrs W., Clynder, £1; George's sisters, in loving memory, £5; Govan P.C., £11 8s; C. C., Rothesay, £1; Mrs A., Lochwinnoch, 2s 6d; Miss B., £2 10s; W. B., £21 10s; "J. D. B.," £2; Barrhead South U.F. Church S.S., £1; A. M., Arbroath, £1 10s; Sanguhar P.C., £5 5s; Park Wynd Mission S.S., Dundee, 10s; Mrs A., £4; J. M., 5s; Miss A., New York, £1; Anon., per H. J. C., £1; Mrs G., £2; Mrs S., Henley-in-Arden, £2 2s; Miss B., £1; Mrs C., Crieff, £2; W. M., Edinburgh, £2 2s; C. M. P., Lasswade, £1; A. O., £111 19s 2d; Inveraray Branch, Y.W.C.A., £5; Miss M., Hopeman, 5s; Dalziel C.S., Ltd., £14; Miss S., 10s; Cathcart Road Gospel Hall S.S., £1; Two members of S.G.F.S., St. Boswells, 2s 6d; Anon., £1; Miss J., Perth, £2; Grandma and her four grandchildren, 15s 6d; St. Mark's U.F. Church Senior B.C., £1 1s.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for ORPHAN HOMES between 1st and 31st May.—Belhaven U.F. Church Mission Forenoon Meeting, £1 10s 7d; Bathgate E.U. Congl. Church S.S., £5 2s 4d; Bathgate E.U. Congl. Junior B.C., 15s; Misses M., Bonnyrigg, 2s 6d; Hon. Capt. T. C. C., France, £1; M., M. & M., £2 2s; Helensburgh West Parish Church S.S., £1 1s; J. W., £1; Alex. Johnston's Trust, per Messrs Wright, Johnston & Mackenzie, £7 10s; Clydebank C.S., Ltd., £4 4s; J. M'C., £1 6s; Adelaide Place Baptist Church S.S., 10s; Miss Drysdale's Trust, per Messrs Moncrieff, Warren, Paterson & Co., 13s 1d; Newlands U.F. Church S.S., £1 6s; Kirkintilloch Miners' and Engine Keepers' Assoc., £5 5s; *Legacy* of the late James Caldwell, Esq., per Messrs Wilson, Caldwell & Tait, £100; St. Andrew's Scotch Presbyterian

Church S.S., Buenos Ayres, £2; Miss Isab. J. H. Campbell's Trust, Ryde, per Messrs M'Gregor, Donald & Co., £135; J. S., 10s; Elgin Place Church S.S., £1 8s; Mr and Mrs H. D. J., Milngavie, £2.

Consumption Sanatoria.—R. A., Edinburgh, 6s; Employees, D. Colville & Sons, Ltd., Motherwell, £20.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for CONSUMPTION SANATORIA between 1st and 31st May.—J. W., 10s; Wm. Currie's Trust, Motherwell, per T. H. Campbell, £12 18s 6d; Mr and Mrs H. D. J., Milngavie, £2.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for COLONY OF MERCY FOR EPILEPTICS between 1st and 31st May.—Hon. Capt. T. C. C., France, £1; J. W., 10s; Mr and Mrs H. D. J., Milngavie, £2.

WEEK ENDING JUNE 1.—Mrs and Miss K., 10s; Miss C., Lundin Links, £5; Alice, Willie, and Jessie, £1; J. O., Airdrie, £2 2s; G. L. M., Balloch, £1; Miss R., Worcester, 5s; Miss W., Portobello, 5s; Miss L. M. B., Kincardine, 5s; Low Waters U.F. Church S.S., Hamilton, £1; South Leith Baptist Church S.S., £1 13s; G. W., £10; Miss C., Edinburgh, 10s; Argyll S.S., Dunoon, £1; J. L., Quayloo, £1; Mrs R., £4 2s 2d; Anon., 10s; M. A., Southend, £1; A widow's mite, Edinburgh, 5s; Employees, Wm. Beardmore & Co., Ltd., £5 5s; R. L., 10s; Mrs S., 10s; Miss W., Montrose, £50; Miss S., Bearsden, £5; J. S., Edinburgh, £3; St. Stephen's U.F. Church Lads' B.C., 10s; "A. L.", 10s; S. D. J. O. K., £2; W. N., Dundee, £20; St. Mary's U.F. Church S.S., Govan, £1; Newton S.S., £1 10s 10d; J. E. M., £5; J. C., Dundee, 5s; Miss H., £1; J. M., Lanark, £2; Erskine U.F. Church S.S. Assoc., Saltcoats, 10s; M. C., £1; N.B.R. War Fund, £1; Ruchill U.F. Church S.S., £3 8s; Auchingramont U.F. Church S.S., Hamilton, £1; Addiewell U.F. Church S.S., West Calder, £1; Mrs C., Kilmacoll, £1; D. Y., 5s; Mrs W., Thurso, £1; W. N., Pretoria, £1; John L., 5s; A. O., £166 16s 4d; Miss K., London, £1 10s; Mrs R., Mossend, £1; Mrs D., Duns, £1; A. F., Motherwell, £20; Scaurbridge S.S., 5s; Colin and Winifred M'R., £1 1s; North Woodside U.F. Church Y.M. Soc., 10s; Mrs S., £2 5s; (E. & M., £1 1s; Miss A. C. H., Milngavie, £1 1s; J. N. H., £1; G. R., Uddingston, £3 3s; W. P. U., Helensburgh, £2 2s; "M. N.", £15; Mrs S., Tarbert, £2)—the above sums per C. O. S.; Found in boxes at Bridge of Weir, £2 16s; Mrs W., £1; G. M. F., Bellahouston, £2; Mrs A., 5s; W. T. W., £1 10s; Mr and Mrs R. H., £10; Mrs M'N., 10s; J. L., Gourrock, £1; Mrs G., £3; S. C., 10s; D. H. B., Aberdeen, £1.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Ruchill U.F. Church S.S., £4; (Miss A. C. H., Milngavie, £1 1s; W. P. U., Helensburgh, £2 2s)—the above sums per C. O. S.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—E. & M., per C. O. S., £1 1s.

WEEK ENDING JUNE 8.—Stanley U.F. Church S.S., £1; Mrs W., Kintore, 4s; J. S., Partick, £1; Ballater U.F. Church S.S., £1; Mrs R., Edinburgh, 5s; Miss O., £1; Kirkmuirhill U.F. Church B.C., 5s; Miss B. and the boarders at Errol Cottage Home, 16s; P. B., Insh, 10s; "77," 10s; Anon., £1; Misses K., 5s; West Parish Church Senior B.C., Cambuslang, 3s; W. D., Dunning, £5; S.P.C.C., £7 16s; J. A. M., £10; I. P. F., £3; Miss F., Perth, "to help to keep a little girl, in memory of my sister," £8; Agnes E., £1; J. C., £1; Albert Hall S.S., Shawlands, £1; Dumbarton Parish Church S.S., £1; Queen's Park Baptist Church S.S., £2; A. H. D., Staines, £10; Wellpark U.F. Church Children's Service, £2 7s 7d; Miss G., Edinburgh, 5s; Kirkwall Y.W.C.A., £1; Miss D., Broughty Ferry, 10s; "Birthday," 5s; W. H., Troon, 10s; Mrs M'N., Auchenclochan, £1; Mrs D., Dumbarton, £2; Miss C., Broughty Ferry, £1; Mrs J. L. C., Greenock, £1; Mrs S., Renfrew, £1; George Street U.F. Church S.S., Paisley, 5s; Mrs S., Uddingston, £1; M. W., Kelso, £1; Queen's Park West U.F. Church S.S., £1 10s; Govan P.O., £6 10s; Miss M., Montrose, £1; Y.W.C.A., Montrose, 7s; S. B., Stromness, £1 10s; A. O., £205 6s 6d; Gretna Township School, part proceeds of concert for parcel fund of the Canadian soldier boys, £5; Mr and Mrs M., Aberdeen, £3; N. T. D., India, £45; Anon., 5s; A. L., Aberdeen, 3s 10d; Mrs S., Ardingly, 5s; Miss H., Immellan, £2; John Street Baptist Church S.S., £1 18s 3d; Miss R., Aberdeen, 5s; Forfar Y.W.C.A., £1 10s; J. R. S., £5; J. S., £5; St. Andrew's U.F. Church Vennel Mission B.C., Greenock, 10s; Middle U.F. Church S.S., Greenock, £2 16s 5d; Trinity Church Junior B.C., Renfrew, £1; Mrs B., Coatbridge, 10s; Miss J. W., 10s; J. T., Swansea, 2s 6d; Gorbals U.F. Church S.S., £1 5s; J. C., £1.

WEEK ENDING JUNE 15.—Miss B., Edinburgh, 10s; G. H., sen., New Stevenston, "The Lord's tenth," £6 10s; "To help feed the large family of bairns," £1; Pollokshaws Parish Church Mother's Meeting, 5s; D. M., Lochee, £1; Mrs L., Edinburgh, £1; Alice, Willie, and Jessie, £1; A Worker, 10s; J. W. D., Airdrie, 5s; Picardy Place Young People's B.C., Edinburgh, £1 12s 2d; "Kemik," Glangarnock, £3; Toowong Terr. Gospel Hall S.S., Brisbane, £2 3s; David, 10s; D. F., Crieff, £1; Assembly S.S., Cowdenbeath, £4; Miss G., Greenock, "In loving memory of my dear father," 3s; Thread Street S.S., Paisley, £1 6s; Erskine U.F. Church Intermediate Class, Arbroath, 10s 6d; A. S., do., 10s; Bowling S.S., £2 6s 4d; Miss M'K., Kilmacoll, £1; Miss J. M., Walkerburn, £1; Marjory J., 3s; Kennethmont U.F. Church S.S., 5s; Miss M'E., 5s; Miss D., Cardonald, £1; Miss G., London, 10s; M. W. O. K., £1; From the Lord, 10s; "Soldier brother in the Lord," 10s; Leith W.P.C., £75 1s; Mrs W., 8s; W. B., E. Linton, £10; Miss H., Edinburgh, £3; Mrs R., Partick, £1; N.B.R. War Fund, £1; Miss B., Edinburgh, £1; A thankoffering from the Proctor family, 5s; High Church S.S., Linkithgaw, £2; J. S., Canada, £1; W. P. T., Greenock, 10s; R. W., Aberdeen, 10s; Misses H., £180; North U.F. Church S.S., Prestwick, £1; B.R.C.S., £3; Mr Thomas Henderson, to account of *Legacy* of the late Mrs M. Johnstone, Lockerbie, £33 2s 7d; Jessie P. R., China, 10s; Miss B., Bridge of Weir, £4; J. A., Stirling, £25; A. O., £126 0s 8d; Mr W., Helensburgh, 2s 6d; Miss L., Pittenweem, 5s; (Mrs A. C., 10s; Mrs J. K. B., 10s; W. M. B., 10s; Mrs C. M., £1; Mrs C., 5s; Miss G. M. B., 5s; Mrs A. B., 5s; Misses A., 5s; M. C., 5s; A. B., 10s; Mrs H., 5s; Mrs W. W., 2s 6d; Mrs R., 2s 6d; Miss C., 2s 6d; Mrs A. C., 2s 6d; Miss J., 2s 6d; Miss P., 2s 6d; Miss D., 2s; Miss M., 2s 6d; Mrs J. T. M., 2s 6d; Miss C., 2s 6d; Miss S., 1s 6d; Misses B., £1; Mrs J. J. O., Manchester, £1; Mrs F., Fairlie, 5s; Miss C. O., Manchester, 2s 6d; Miss W., 5s; J. B. O., Manchester, 10s)—the above sums were received from friends in Largs, Fairlie, and Manchester, per Miss B.; G. M., £10; Mrs W. C. T., Helensburgh, £1; Kirkcaldy and Dysart P.C., £29 1s; (R. A., 5s; Miss B., 2s; Mrs B., 3s; M. B., 2s; Mrs B., 10s; Mrs W. B.,

2s 6d; D. S. B., 2s 6d; Mrs B., 4s; Mrs C., 10s; Mrs M. C., 3s; Mrs C., 2s 6d; Mrs D. C., 5s; Mrs D. C., jun., 5s; Mrs D. C., 2s 6d; Mrs C., 2s 6d; Mrs C., 5s; Mrs D., 2s 6d; Mrs A. D., 2s; A. D., 2s 6d; Mr D., 2s; Miss F., 2s 6d; Misses F., £3; Mrs F., 10s; Mrs G., 2s 6d; J. A. G., 2s 6d; Mrs T. G., 1s 6d; Miss L. G., £1; Mrs C. C. G., 10s; J. M. H., 5s; Mrs H., 2s 6d; Mrs A. F. H., 2s 6d; Mrs J. H., 5s; Mrs J. K., 2s; Mrs K., 2s 6d; Miss L., 5s; Mrs L., 3s; Miss L., 2s 6d; Miss M., 10s; J. M., 2s; Mrs R. Y. M., 3s; Mrs H. M., 2s 6d; Miss M., 5s; Mrs A. M., 2s; Miss M., 2s; D. M., £1 1s; Mrs M., £1; A. M., 1s; Mrs M., 2s 6d; Miss M., £1; Mrs M'K., 2s 6d; Mrs W. M'K., 10s; Miss M'K., 5s; Miss J. M'K., 5s; Miss I. M'K., 5s; W. M'K., 5s; Mrs J. M'K., 10s; Miss M., £1; Mrs M'M., 5s; Miss M'M., 10s; Miss B. M'M., 5s; Mrs M'M., 2s 6d; S. M., 2s 6d; Mrs A. M., 5s; Mrs D. M., 5s; Mrs J. N. M., 5s; J. M. M., 2s 6d; Mrs P., 10s; Mrs P., 2s 6d; Miss P., 2s; Miss P., 5s; R. R., 1s; R. R., 1s; Miss R., 2s 6d; Mrs R., 2s 6d; Mrs R., 2s 6d; Miss J. S., 5s; G. W. S., 3s; Mrs T., 2s; Miss T., 5s; Mrs T., 5s; Miss W., 2s 6d; J. W., 2s 6d; J. W., 2s; R. W., 1s)—the above sums were collected from friends in Campbeltown by Misses P. and M'K.; Govan Y.W.C.A., £1; Two old pensioners, Wick, £1; Employees of Dunsmuir, Jackson, Ltd., £2; Mrs H., 10s; Mrs S., £1 2s 6d; Miss R., Forres, 10s; R. B. C., London, £25; Mrs M., 10s.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Misses H., £10.

WEEK ENDING JUNE 22.—A. M. A., Zomba, £2; "Dumfries," £2; Bath Street U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Middle Parish Church B.C., Paisley, 10s; Mrs J. M., 10s; Rothesay P.C., £2 8s; Miss M., Hunstpierpoint, £1 1s; Miss G., Edinburgh, 5s; W. W. N., £2; Clepington U.F. Church S.S., Dundee, 10s; Miss M'A., Langbank, £1; J. S., Cowdenbeath, £5; John J., 10s; Junior Y.W.C.A., Bucksburn, 5s 9d; 1st Milngavie Co. B.B., £4 8s 11d; J. M., 5s; J. A., Androssan, 2s 6d; Miss N., £1; T. W., £3; Misses S., £2; Miss F., Galashiels, 2s 6d; Mr B., £1; W. M., Mossend, £1; Prestonskirk E.F. Church S.S., £1 2s 6d; Nethy Bridge U.F. Church S.S., 7s 6d; Miss B., London, 10s; A. G. M., 5s; A Friend, £11 10s; A. M., Arbroath, £1 10s; Mrs N., Edinburgh, £1; Mrs G., £2; Susan G., £1; Dunfermline Abbey Mothers' Meeting, 5s; *Legacy* of the late Mrs E. M. Morrison, per Mr A. Macbeth, Pitlochrie, £3; Abbey U.F. Church, North Berwick, £1 12s; J. M., London, 2s; *Legacy* of the late Mr John M'Cartney, Kirkpatrick Durham, £20; J. D., Kilmarnock, £2; Mrs J. T., Motherwell, 10s; Kinross Friends, per Mrs B. B., £7; A. O., £177 1s 2d; Misses O., North Berwick, £16 10s; Kingston S.S., £1; J. W. G.-O., Beaulieu, £150; St Paul's Parish Church Women's Meeting, 10s; Cowdenbeath Baptist Church S.S., £1; Dornock U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Mrs D., £2; A Friend, £40; Linthouse U.F. Church Y.M. & Y.W.C.A., 10s; Miss M'K., Kennoway, £1; Money belonging to child helped, £5 1s 6d; F. R., 12s; Springburn North U.F. Church S.S., £1; "In loving memory," £1.

Consumption Sanatoria.—W. M., Mossend, 10s.

WEEK ENDING JUNE 29.—Alice, Willie, and Jessie, £1; Miss C., Edinburgh, 14s; Miss S., Wick, £5; E. P., Lanark, 2s 6d; H. M'C., £3; Rothesay P.C., £2 14s; G. S. S., Dalkeith, 10s; A. T. A., £2 2s; White Memorial U.F. Church S.S., £1; Miss B., Edinburgh, £2; *Legacy* of the late Mr R. S. Bruce, Melrose, per Mr A. Murison Small, £500; B. Bros., £50; J. G., £2; Mrs T., 10s; E. P., £20; A Friend, 5s; J. M'D., New Alyth, £2; Mr John Dewar's Trust, £1 14s 11d; St. George's Cross Tabernacle, £2 16s; J. B., Saskatoon, 5s; Mrs G., £15; Miss C., £2; Mr and Mrs M'L., 10s; N.B.R. War Fund, £1; Mrs A. G. B., £1; Catrine Parish Church S.S., 9s; Mrs C., Falkirk, £2 10s; Jeanie and Marian, £1; Trinity U.F. Church S.S., Lockerbie, 15s; A. O., £124 6s 9d; J. C. B., £2 10s; J. O., Alloa, £1; E.U.S.S., 6s; Glasgow Charity Cup Committee, £20; "In memory of loved ones gone before," 10s; Crieff Parish Church S.S., £2; Denny and Dunipace W.R.O., £12 7s; Abbey Church S.S. Junior M.C., Seone, 10s; Mrs W., "In very loving memory of my dear little boy's birthday," £1; *Legacy* of the late James Wishart, Esq., per Mr M. Nicol, Kirkcaldy, £500; Anon., 10s; Mrs W., £1; S. G., £5; J. G., £5; Anon., 1s (J. G. P., £2; D. A. B., £5; G. M. B., 2s 6d; J. S. B., Paisley, £1; W. W. & Co. Ltd., £2 2s; J. T. M., 5s)—the above sums per C. O. S.; Rose Street U.F. Church S.S., £1 10s; E. C., £2 12s 6d; S. C., 10s; Miss M., £1 6s; Mrs C., Lochgilphead, 7s; Miss M'E., 5s; Miss B., £4; Found in boxes at Bridge of Weir, £3 16s.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for ORPHAN HOMES between 1st and 30th June.—W. C., £5; Seone West U.F. Church S.S., £1 3s 4d; Employees Annacker, Ltd., £1 1s; Miss Annie E. Richardson's Trust, per Messrs Kidston, Watson, Turnbull & Co., £3 11s 10d; J. J. & Co., £20; J. E. S., Crieff, £75; *Legacy* of the late James A. Fraser, Esq., Coatbridge, per Messrs Cowan & Grove, £37 2s 11d; Rutherslem West U.F. Church S.S., £2 15s 2d; Henderson Memorial U.F. Church S.S., £1 5s; Mrs C. E. H. B., Kilmacoll, £10; Employees, U.C.B.S., Ltd., £1; Glangarnock U.F. Church S.S., 10s; *Legacy* of the late Miss M. Williamson, Portobello, per Peter Dowie, Esq., £77; *Legacy* of the late Mrs Crawford, Monkton, per Messrs Alston & Orr, £50.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Miss C., Edinburgh, 14s; B. Bros., £50; Mrs A. G. B., £1; A. M. & C., per C. O. S., 10s 6d; Miss M., £1.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for CONSUMPTION SANATORIA between 1st and 30th June.—Employees, U.C.B.S., Ltd., £2.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—Miss C., Edinburgh, 14s; B. Bros., £20; J. G. P., £1; Anon., 2s 6d; Per C. O. S., Miss M., £1.

WEEK ENDING JULY 6.—J. M. B., Bower, 10s; Penicuik South U.F. Church S.S., £1 10s; A few of the girls of Lyle & Scott, Ltd., Hawick, £2 8s; Paisley mill girl, £1; Mrs S., 10s; J. H. A., Rothesay, £1; Money belonging to a boy helped, £2; Auchterderram P.C., £3 18s; Mrs R., £4 2s 2d; Miss G., Dunrossness, 2s 6d; J. W. L., *Emigration*, 5s; "A tiny gift towards the maintenance of a very precious little boy," £2 10s; Infant Class of Regent Place U.F. Church Mission S.S., £1; Misses B., £1 10s; J. H., £6 10s; Oswald Mission S.S., £1 11s 6d; London U.F. Church S.S., Newmilns, £2; Kincardine and Tulliallan U.F. Church S.S., £1; C. N., £3; H. N. & Son, £5; Mrs G., £2; Cardross P.C., £10 7s 6d; Mrs L., 10s; Mr B., £1; Miss R., Belfast, "In memory of my beloved and sainted mother," £1; Miss W., 2s 6d; A. C., Ayr, £1; Miss M., Irvine, £10; St. John's U.F. Church S.S., Leith, £1; J. C., Giffnock,

£1 1s; Tweedside, 10s; W. T. W., £1 10s; Miss M. A., £1 15s; Carmyle Evangelistic Assoc., 10s; A. & N. H., Carmyle, £1; J. B., 10s; J. A., £1; South U.F. Church S.S., Aberdeen, £1 3s 1d; Misses W. W., £1; Miss S., 5s; Miss F., Alloa, £2; Mrs B., London, "In memory of our little girl," 10s; Money belonging to children helped, £5; J. N. W., Edinburgh, 7s; Miss K., Volkerst, £1; Anon., 7s 3d; Do., £1; Mrs M. and a few friends, Natal, £3 8s; A. O., £184 9s 7d; Mrs W., 8s; Extra to help with increased prices, 5s; Chalmers U.F. Church B.C., Wishaw, 10s; Miss G.'s counter box, Helensburgh, 10s; J. R., Newton-Stewart, 10s; R. A., £12 8s; Mr and Mrs M., £2; (Dr M., £1; Mrs L., £5; Mrs B., £1; Mrs D., £1; Mrs H. S., £1; Mrs C., £1; Miss S., 10s; Miss G., 10s; Mrs H., 10s; Miss K., 10s; Mrs B., 10s; Miss M., 5s; Mrs K. M., 5s; Mrs S. S., 5s; Miss W., 2s 6d)—the above sums were collected by Mrs B., Largs; H. A. L., £25; Brandon Street Church Y.M.C.A., Motherwell, 10s.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Miss M'I., Lochgilphead, £50; A. T., Galashiels, 10s; A. C., Ayr, 10s.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—A. C., Ayr, 10s; J. D., Edinburgh, £1.

WEEK ENDING JULY 13.—Mrs A., Lintrose, 5s; Miss R., Kilmarnock, 15s; Mrs F., £1; Partick Free Church S.S., 10s; Miss E. M. R., Forres, *Homes*, 10s; Holiday Fund., 10s; Thomas, Mrs, Tom, Aliok, and May M., Dreghorn, 5s; Friends in Morristown, N.J., £4; R. M., Edinburgh, £1 1s; Alice, Willie, and Jessie, £1; Mary M'C., 6s; Mrs W., Greenock, 7s 6d; Mrs F., £2; J. M. R., £4; J. R., Edinburgh, £3; R. N. R., do., £3; Mrs R. S., Derby, £2; A. L., Aberdeen, 3s 4d; Second-Lieut. J. A. B., £12 15s; Fairfax Hall Children's Service, Melrose, £1; Hope Park U.F. Church Juvenile Missionary Soc., Edinburgh, £1 16s 6d; Mrs K., Dumfries, 14s; Miss S., Brechin, 15s; J. W., £1; Mr and Mrs C., £1; Miss R., Aberdeen, 5s; St. James' Parish Church S.S., Forfar, £1; Dunnet U.F. Church B.C., 7s 6d; Eccles P.C., £12; Miss S.-J., London, £1 2s 6d; Mr B., £1; B.R.C.S., £3; Anon., £75; Misses F., Galashiels, £1; Victoria Hall B.C., Radnor Park, £1; Proceeds of Jumble Sale at Union Church, Hong Kong, £33 10s; J. C., 10s; T. W., £2; A. O., £146 7s 10d; T. R. C., 10s; N.B.R. War Fund, £1; Miss M. A. J., £3; Mrs C., Montrose, 2s 6d; High Parish Church S.S., Paisley, £1; J. T., Farrell, Pa., £5 2s 8d; J. K., £1; W. P. T., Greenock, 4s; Scottish Filling Factory Workers, Georgetown, £20; Mrs S., Belfast, £3; Rothesay P.C., £6; J. H., £2; M. & P. H., £10.

Consumption Sanatoria.—I. M'K., Scotstoun, 5s.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—Misses H., Newton Stewart, £1; J. B. J., Berwick-on-Tweed, 10s.

WEEK ENDING JULY 20.—J. M., 5s; Anonymous, £5; Miss B., Edinburgh, 10s; Fordyce U.F. Church S.S., 10s; J. M'K., Port-Glasgow, £2; Miss L., 5s; Mrs J. D., Dumbarton, £2; Mrs C., Paisley, £1; Miss M. C., Musselburgh, £1; Sympathisers, £10; North Richmond Street U.F. Church S.S., Edinburgh, £1 11s; J. P., West Hartlepool, 5s; Lumphinans S.S., Cowdenbeath, 10s; R. A., do., 2s 6d; John J., 10s; Mrs G., Strathaven, 5s; Miss M., do., 5s; Mrs M., do., 15s; Miss W., Greenock, 15s; Miss J., Scone, 10s; Miss M. A. S., Eaglesham, £5; H. T. G., Kilbirnie, £1; A. S., Canada, £5; A. M., Arbroath, £1 10s; A. R. D., Darlington, £25; Miss C., Bucksburn, 2s 6d; Miss Y., Milngavie, 2s 6d; Miss H. G. H., Dundee, £1; Miss J., 10s; A. O., £178 0s 10d; From the Lord, 10s; Misses J., Edinburgh, £1; D. F., Crieff, £1; Mr and Mrs C., High Blantyre, 10s; Mrs D., Elderslie, £2; A. W., Clydebank, £2; Mrs D., Newton-Mearns, £5; J. W., £3; Congl. Church Band of Hope, Helensburgh, 10s; Miss O., 5s; Mrs C., Winnipeg, 14s 4d.

WEEK ENDING JULY 27.—Alice, Willie, and Jessie, £1; Mrs A., £1; Mrs K., Alyth, £1; Duns East U.F. Church S.S., 11s; W. D., Nova Scotia, £10; W. M., Saskatchewan, £20 8s 3d; J. W. M., Aberlady, £5; Mr and Mrs R., £1; Money belonging to children helped, £20; High Parish Children's Church, Paisley, 10s; Mrs G., Holytown, £1; Miss S., £1; Mrs G., £2; D. D., Hamilton, £1; North Berwick Abbey Church S.S., £2 10s; Mr P., Airdrie, 9s 4d; Hugh and Tom, 5s; Lauder U.F. Church Work Party, £1; Miss R., Invergowrie, £3; H. L. C., £1; J. R. C., 10s; F. C. D., Ayr, £2; Mrs I. D., do., £5; Bowling Y.M.C.A., 10s; N.B.R. War Fund, £1; Viewforth U.F. Church S.S., Edinburgh, £1; Mr B., £4 4s; (G. L. H., 5s; J. B. B. & Sons, Ltd., £1; Mrs M'G., Moscow, £2)—the above sums per C.O.S.; Mrs F., 7s; A Friend, £5; A. F., 10s; A. F., £15; F. A. C., Scotby, £5; H. A. K., Blundellsands, £1; Mrs F., Watford, £5; West U.F. Church Ladeside Mission S.S., Rothesay, 11s 8d; "In loving memory of my dear husband W. J. L.," £5; A. O., £157 18s 9d; Helen C., 10s; Mrs S., Wigtown, £1; The Hope Hall Assembly, Broxburn, £1; E. C., £3 10s; A. B., Eday, £100.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for ORPHAN HOMES between 1st and 31st July.—Robert Hart's Trust, per James M. Hart, Esq., £1000; Govan Cross Boys' B.C., £2; Whyte's Causeway Baptist Church S.S., Kirkcaldy, £1 18s; Gardner U.F. Church B.C., Partick, 10s; *Legacy* of the late Miss Arnold, Dunblane, per Messrs Morrison & Taylor, £86 17s 9d; Glasgow Junior Football Assoc., *Evening News* Charity Cup, £7; *Legacy* of the late Robert Nimmo, Esq., per Messrs D. & J. Hill, £182 13s; Queen Street C.U. Church S.S., Arbroath, 5s; Mrs C., Barrhead, 5s; Anniesland Hall S.S., £2 4s 9d; St. Paul's U.F. Church S.S., £1 5s.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for CONSUMPTION SANATORIA between 1st and 31st July.—Glasgow Junior Football Assoc., *Evening News* Charity Cup, £6.

WEEK ENDING AUGUST 3.—Mrs P., 10s; Miss M'F.'s Class, 2s; M., Dumbarton, 10s; Miss R., Holytown, £1; S. C., 10s; J. M. C., Edinburgh, £5; Miss L., Pittenweem, 5s; D. M., Muthill, 13s; Mrs R., 5s; Miss M. M'G., 10s; Trustees of Wm. Campbell Colquhoun, Esq., per Mr Crawford A. Scott, £10; S. & S. F. A., Falkirk, £235; Lizzie K., 15s 6d; Mr B., Edinburgh, 10s; Miss C., 5s; Found in boxes at Bridge of Weir, £1 1s 9d; J. D., Dumbarton, £5; Wishart Memorial Church B.C., Dundee, 10s; Mrs D., Saltcoats, 5s; Mrs R. C. B., 10s; Miss M. G., Helensburgh, 10s; Mrs R., £4 2s 2d; R. M'K., Edinburgh, £1; J. S., Stronsay, £1; "S. M.," £10; Mrs W. F., £1; A. O., £150 13s 5d; Mr and Mrs P. B., £1; J. D., £5; H. D. Lanark, £3;

Q. Y., £6; D. H., £5; Mrs G., £7 16s; W. T. W., £1 10s; Miss M., £3; Readers of "The Christian," per M. & S., Ltd., £4 5s; J. K., Portobello, £1; Members and friends of Y.W.C.A., Finstown Branch, 14s 3d; Mrs W., Banff, £1; Mary P., 10s.

Consumption Sanatoria.—J. D., £5; Mrs J. Y., £4 4s.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—H. D., Lanark, £2.

WEEK ENDING AUGUST 10.—Railway Mission S.S., Jamestown, 10s; Anon., 5s; Alice, Willie, and Jessie, £1; R. H. M., Aberdeen, £1; J. W., Blantyre, £5; Miss C., Oban, 5s; Mrs G., £2; "Karaburun," £4; R. L., £1; Rothesay P.C., £7 10s; Mrs S., 12s 6d; Mrs F., Polmont, 10s; From Glengarnock, £3; Union U.F. Church S.S., Edinburgh, £3; Morningside Parish Church S.S., do., 10s; Broughty Ferry West U.F. Church S.S., £1; A. L., Aberdeen, 4s; Helensburgh Working B. & G.R.S., £3 2s 6d; J. R. M., Falkirk, £2; D. F., Crieff, £1; Mrs G., London, £5; B.R.C.S., £3; Miss S., 1s; N.B.R. War Fund, £1; Two Friends, Glasgow, £10; Minnie C., 3s; J. G., £1; Money belonging to children helped, £2 8s; A. O., £147 11s 3d; A Friend, 5s; Anon., Edinburgh, 10s; Anon., £1; W. T., China, 5s; Miss I. T., do., 10s; Pte. J. L. H., France, £5; Readers of "The Life of Faith," £3; In Sympathy, 5s; R. H. F., £1; F. G., £1 4s; Mrs H., £1; Mrs R., Kirkcaldy, £1; Readers of the "Christian Herald," 15s; Mrs M., Partickhill, £1; Mrs E., Aberdeen, £1; W. G. L., Troon, £10; A Friend visiting, 2s.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Mrs M., Partickhill, £2.

WEEK ENDING AUGUST 17.—G. R., Montrose, £1; J. T., Swansea, 5s; George's sister, £5; Mrs A., Thurso, £2 12s; J. H., Keith, £1 5s 6d; "Cable," St. Andrews, 10s; Mrs H., £1; G. & G., £3 15s; J. M., 5s; Chalmers U.F. Church S.S., Uddingston, £1 6s 6d; Miss A. C. M., Motherwell, £1; In memory of Lance-Corpl. Robert Dawson, Hamilton, £14; D. B., Coatbridge, £2 2s; Gunner R. T. H., Italy, 2s 6d; J. S. S., Kincardine-on-Forth, £2; Tobermory U.F. Church S.S., 10s; Draffan S.S., 12s; Hong Kong War Charities Committee, £500; Mrs M. H., Campbelltown, £1; A. M., Arbroath, £1 10s; Anon., West Kilbride, £2; Ruchazie S.S., £1 6s 3d; Greyfriars S.S., £1 13s 6d; Miss E. M. R., Forres, 10s; Employees, H. Balfour & Co., Ltd., Leven, £5; Mrs W., 5s; A. D., £10; B. B., 5s; Miss K. and Mrs B., Edinburgh, £10; Mrs A. S., Dundee, £2; North U.F. Church Mission S.S., Keith, £1; J. S. L., Langholm, £1 5s; Miss E. C. K., Gareloch, £1; "Home Mission Box, Newlands," 10s; T. W., £3; A. O., £116 12s 8d; W. A. W., Banbridge, £1; Mrs W. and Edith, £1; Mrs R., Aberdeen, 10s; Miss C., 2s 6d.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Chalmers U.F. Church S.S., Uddingston, £1 6s 6d.

WEEK ENDING AUGUST 24.—Mrs B., Peterhead, £1; Miss M., Mull, 3s 6d; Mrs W., 8s; Alice, Willie, and Jessie, £1; Houston P.C., £5 7s 6d; Shiloh Hall B.C., Shettleston, £4 10s; Mrs R., Kilbarchan, £1; Mrs R., Wellington, N.Z., £2; Pte. F., 1s; Mrs J. B., Transvaal, £1 5s; Miss B. and boarders in Errol Park Cottage Home, £1 4s; Lauriston Place Gospel Hall, Edinburgh, £2 12s; Ayr Parish Churches S.S., £1 1s; Mrs D., Carmyle, £2; G. H. S., Uddingston, £5; Mrs G., £2; Miss P., Helensburgh, £1; A Friend, per Mrs D., £1; J. R., Newburgh, 10s; Mrs H., 10s; F. D. G., 12s; A. O., £135 0s 1d; N.B.R. War Fund, £1; Lieut. A. G. D., France, £1 10s; Pte. Jas. M., 2s; R. D., Glassford, 5s; Kirkcaldy and Dysart P.C., £22 15s; D. E. S., London, £1; L. & J. G., Edinburgh, 7s 6d; Mrs S., 10s.

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

WEEK ENDING AUGUST 31.—Mr M'C., a thankoffering, £1; Mrs D. T., £1; G. R., £1 10s; G. K. S. M., London, In Memoriam, £5; G. S. S., Dalkeith, £1; J. G., Burntisland, £1; Mrs A., Edinburgh, 10s; Miss G. K., Strathaven, 5s; G. D., Fraserburgh, £20; T. R. R., £50; "A fisherman in Fraserburgh, a lover of the Work," £10; Hugh M., 5s; D. M'C., "In memory of his mother," £100; Miss E., Kilbarchan, £1; Miss L., 10s; Mrs K., £1; Pte. J. A., 2s; (Mrs W. C. S., Giffnock, 2s 6d; St. George's-in-the-Fields S.S. Assoc., £2; R. B., £1 1s; Mrs B. Dalry, £4)—the above sums per C.O.S.; A. O., £116 4s 1d; Rattray Street Baptist Church S.S., Dundee, £1; Mrs S., Blairgowrie, £1; A friend in Grimsby, 3s 6d; F. D. G., 12s; Miss W., Longriggend, "In memory of my brother, James H. Wilson," £1; R. A., £12 5s; Mrs W., Penrith, 10s; M. C. S., Ilford, £1; R. S., Kiukiang, £29 16s 10d; T. W., £2 10s; Found in boxes at Bridge of Weir, £4 2s.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for ORPHAN HOMES between 1st and 31st August.—*Legacy* of the late Robert Duncan, Esq., Perth, per Messrs Pinkerton & Sneddon, £50; John Christie's Trust, per Messrs R. R. Simpson & Lawson, £71 5s 7d; *Legacy* of the late Miss Eliz. Galbreath, Paisley, per Messrs J. Caldwell & Co., £500.

WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 7.—Alice, Willie, and Jessie, £1; W. T. W., £1 10s; W. S., Lesmahagow, £18; H. D., London, £1; Dyce U.F. Church S.S., 12s 6d; Mrs J. H., £1; A. H., Heston, £10; Mrs W., £2; Sarah C., 12s; Mrs B., Greenock, £1; F. D. G., 12s; S.P.C.C., Hamilton, £7 16s; Peebles Parish Church S.S., £2 10s; Miss M., Edinburgh, 10s; St. John's U.F. Church S.S., Kilmarnock, £1 1s; Mrs and Miss F., 10s each; W. D. C., Carnwath, £10; Mrs R., £4 2s 2d; Miss H., Giffnock, 10s; Mrs S., 10s; B.R.C.S., £3; J. W. D., Airdrie, £1 1s; Mrs B., per Miss G., Peebles, 10s; Larkhall P.S.A., £3; Mrs R.'s B.C., Airdrie, £1; Anon., Falkirk p.m., £2; Govan P.C., £6 10s; J. W., £1; Mr and Mrs J. H., £1; Mrs S., 4s; "In Gratitude," £2; Tracers and Chemists of Barr & Stroud, Ltd., Motherwell, £1 14s; A. O., £111 2s 1d; N.B.R. War Fund, £1; A. L., Aberdeen, 3s 9d; "From the Lord," 10s; Mr and Mrs A. P., Shettleston, 5s; Mr and Mrs F., £5; Mrs D. C., Vancouver, £1 0s 10d; Mrs A., New York, £1 0s 6d; Mr and Mrs J. T., a grateful boy and girl, 10s; A grateful girl, 2s 6d; W. J., Leith, £1; J. M'L., Canada, £1; Cathcart Gospel Hall S.S., Miss C.'s Class, 10s; Mrs F., £2.

WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 14.—J. S., Kilmacoll, £2; Linthouse Relief Fund, £4; Mrs G., £2; "J. C. B.", £2 10s; G. H., New Stevenston, £3 17s; Miss H., Busby, 5s; J. S., Twechar, 10s; Mrs J., Clydebank, £1; F. R., 12s; Fraserburgh Baptist Church S.S., £3; S. C., £1; Collected in box in Wm. Graham & Co.'s, £5 5s; Anon., Blairgowrie p.m., 5s; Friends in Moffat, £6 9s 6d; A. G., South Ronaldshay, 10s; Children's Seashore Services, Dunoon, £2; Cowdenbeath Assembly S.S., £4; Cargill U.F. Church S.S., 6s; U.F. Parish Church Mission S.S., Rothsay, £1 15s; Mrs M., Prestwick, 10s; J. M., 5s; J. M., Dumfries, £1; A. M., Arbroath, £1 10s; A. M'K., Edinburgh, £1 10s; Miss S., West Kilbride, 5s; "J. B. M.", 10s; Mr and Mrs G. M., £12; Mrs G., £2; M. H. M'B., £5; F. D. G., 12s; N.F.F., No. 12 Benefit Soc., £1 1s; R. C., Bower, £1; Mr and Mrs M., Edinburgh, 10s; D. F., Crieff, £1; A. L., Aberdeen, £1; Rothsay P.C., £6; A. O., £123 6s 3d; Annie M'L., 10s; Miss C. H., Scone, £2 2s; A mother and two daughters, Dundee, £1 10s; Mrs M., Penzance, 10s; Miss E. M. R., Forres, 10s; G. C. R., Edinburgh, £5; "Teach us Lord how much we owe," £30.

WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 21.—Mrs R. M., £1; Alice, Willie, and Jessie, £1; Mrs N., 5s; Anderson F.Ch. S.S., Blantyre, £1; J. R., 2s 6d; A Friend, 9s 6d; John Ker Memorial Church S.S., Edinburgh, £1 10s; Service in Drumsleat Public School, £1 18s 6d; Miss M. C. S., Montrose, £5; N.B.R. War Fund, £1; St. Andrew's U.F. Church S.S., Bo'ness, £2; Darvel S.S. Teachers' Union, £2 5s; A. D., £18 4s 8d; Muckhart U.F. Church S.S., Dollar, 6s; J. M. & Son, £1 1s; Cults U.F. Church S.S., 15s; A Friend, 5s; J. C., 5s; Miss A. B., Burrellton, 2s 6d; Mrs B., Wishaw, £5; Mrs W., Dundee, £2; J. T. N., Beattock, 10s; W. & L., £5 5s; A. O., £124 12s; Mrs G., 5s; F. G., 12s; Mr and Mrs M., Balfron, £5; Misses S., Uddingston, £2; Christian Union Girls' Class, Broxburn, 5s; *Legacy* of the late Miss Jessie Bryce, per Messrs Young, Martin & Sawers, Paisley, £1015; R. R. M. M., London, £10.

WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 28.—A. S. C., Hong Kong, £10; Mrs H., Dundee, 15s; J. H. A., Rothsay, £1; Newbigging S.S., 10s; Offertory in Crawfordton Private Chapel, £1 7s; A Friend, £12; A Visitor, 10s; Pte. Tom M., 10s; Tom L., 5s; F. D. G., 12s; Mrs H., £1; W. D. N., Mill Bay, B.C., £3 2s 6d; Shettleston Baptist Church S.S., £1; J. O. B., Stromness, 4s; Mrs P., 5s; Anon., 5s; Anon., £1 5s; Miss M., Burnside, 10s; Crown Terrace Baptist Church S.S., Aberdeen, £1; Dundee B. & G.R.S., £6; Mrs S., Edinburgh, £1; Trinity Junior B.C., Greenock, 10s; Abingdon Hall S.S., Partick, £2; Shettleston Tabernacle S.S., 10s; Abbeyhill Baptist Church S.S., Edinburgh, 10s; Anon., £1; Birthday In Memoriam, September 28th, £1; Mrs G. Holytown, £2; A. O., £238 1s 7d; J. A. G., Kilbirnie, £2; "In memory of three loved ones gone home," £3; "In loving memory," £1; D. M'D., Edinburgh, 4s; "In loving memory of dear Mr and Mrs Quarrier," £1; "In loving memory," £5; Do., do., £2; "In Memoriam 29th September," £10.

Received by Hon. Treasurer for ORPHAN HOMES between 1st and 30th September.—W. S. W., £2; *Legacy* of the late Alex. Anderson, Esq., Crieff, per Mr Thomas M'Duff, £52 12s; A. D. W., £2; J. S. N. J., Paisley, 10s; Employees, U.C.B.S., Ltd., £1; Burnside S.S., £1 5s; Dalziel C.S., Ltd., £3; *Legacy* of the late Alex. Milne, Ellon, per Alex. Blacklaw, £100.

Received by Hon. Treasurer for CONSUMPTION SANATORIA between 1st and 30th September.—Employees, U.C.B.S., Ltd., £2.

WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 5.—From mother and children in loving memory of Mr Quarrier, £4; Alice, Willie, and Jessie, £1; Victoria Park U.F. Church S.S., Partick, £1 12s 7d; "In loving memory," £1; Misses W., Clydebank, 10s; Mr and Mrs B., Darjeeling, £10; W. T. W., £1 10s; Leith W.P.C., £89 8s 6d; Miss R. M. M., Belfast, 10s; With love and prayer, 1s 6d; Misses C. and R., Kirkcaldy, £1; Mr M'M., £6 10s; Mrs R., Kilbarchan, 4s; (W. W. N., £3 3s; Mrs B., 2s 6d)—per C. O. S.; Found in boxes at Bridge of Weir, £3 7s; Mrs N., Bridge of Weir, 10s; "September 12th, In memory of little Willie's birthday," 10s; Mrs F., £2 10s 6d; W. G., Edinburgh, 5s; Miss F., Wishaw, £2; Mrs G., £4; Mrs R., £4 2s 2d; J. R., £13 6s; H. H. B., Rutherglen, £3 3s; Misses M., Dalmuir, £1; An old wellwisher, H. C. M., £1; Miss K., Macduff, £3; Mission School, Edinburgh, £5; Mrs W., £1; Mrs M., Bradford, 10s; St. Ninian's B.C. S.S., North Bute, 10s; Miss M'E., 10s; Mrs P., Natal, £1 1s; Miss P., £1; Mrs S., 10s; A Scotch woman in London, 5s; M. D. A., £1; N.B.R. War Fund, £1; B.R.C.S., £3; Miss C., 10s; F. D. G., 12s; £131 1s 4d; Miss S., North Berwick, £2; Mrs K., £1; F. P. M., Bridge of Allan, £2; J. S. S., Kincaidine-on-Forth, £2; Auchterderran P.C., £3 18s; Anon., £5; J. S. S., Dundee, 5s; Employees, Samuel Gilchrist, Ltd., Hamilton, £1 1s; J. W., do., £1 1s; Mrs E. L., Southport, £5; W. W., Edinburgh, £1; J. W., £1; Mrs J., Wellington, N.Z., £1.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Misses M., Dalmuir, 10s; Employees, Samuel Gilchrist, Ltd., Hamilton, £1 1s; J. W., do., £1 1s.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—Miss B., Dundee, £2.

WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 12.—A. L., Aberdeen, 3s 9d; Mr and Mrs C., Greenock, £5; Linthouse Relief Fund, £4; A. S. P., £4; Mr and Mrs M. and family, £25; J. R. S., £10; F. C., Enfield Lock, £3; F. B., Birkenhead, 10s; Argyle Place U.F. Church S.S., Edinburgh, £1 5s; J. L. H., Aysgarth, £2 2s; A. A., Nottingham, £2; Bellshill F.U. Congl. S.S., 15s; J. R. C. & Co., £2 2s; James M., for Hallowe'en treat, 2s; Mrs K., 5s; J. & D. H., Ltd., £10; Mrs G., Athalmer, B.C., £1 0s 6d; Mr and Miss A., Forgue, £1; A. M., Arbroath, £1 10s; Killearn Women's Guild, £5; Miss D., Nairn, 10s; Mrs W., 8s; John M'L., North Baw, £1; St. Barchan's S.S., Kilbarchan, £1; W. P. T., Greenock, 10s; Pollokshaws B. & G.R.S., £1 10s; W. C., £1; Rothsay P.C., £7 10s; S.O.W.S., Ltd., £36; A. O., £187 1s 11d; John C., £1; Mr and Mrs B., £1; Miss F., £1; Misses B., Reston, £2; W. A. M., Port Coquitlam, B.C., £1; Sister G. H. D., France, £2; Giffnock U.F. Church Junior B.C., £1 2s 6d; Hillhead Baptist Church S.S., £1 18s 6d; A. R. D., Darlington, £25; T. W., £3 10s; T. D. G., 12s.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—Misses B., Reston, £2; J. D., Edinburgh, £1.

WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 19.—Ebenezer Hall S.S., Cambuslang, £1; Alice, Willie, and Jessie, £1; J. M., 5s; Anon., West Kilbride p.m., £2; Foundry B. & G. Morning Meeting,

Coatdyke, £4; Miss C., 10s; Mr M'K., Coatdyke, 10s; D. F., Crieff, £1; Mrs G., £2; Templand S.S., Lockerbie, £1; Lodge Saint George, Glasgow, No. 335, £1 1s; J. C. B., £2 10s; D. K., Tayport, £1 1s; Mrs M., Fort-William, 5s; G. C. T., Dunblane, £1 1s; Miss R., Forres, 10s; Miss F., Stonehaven, £1; J. O., 10s; Newton Place U.F. Church S.S., Partick, £2 17s; In Memory 14/10/1904, £100; John & Guthrie D., Largs, £2; Misses J., Edinburgh, £1; R. M., £2 11s; Mrs R. C., Fort-Augustus, 5s; N.B.R. War Fund, £1; A. O., £127 19s 7d; J. H. P., Airdrie, 10s; Miss F., Kirn, 10s; Kilfinan U.F. Church S.S., Kames, £1; Miss F., London, 10s; B.W.N. Guild, Bangkok, Siam, £35; Mr and Mrs C. T., Edinburgh, 5s; Ladies' Missionary Assoc., Trinity U.F. Church, Lockerbie, £2; Wishaw C.S., Ltd., £1; Motherwell W.B. & G.R.S., £3 11s 6d; Worker, £1; In loving memory, £1.

Consumption Sanatoria.—J. H. P., Airdrie, 10s.

WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 26.—"A.", £1; Miss K., 10s; Mrs T., Larkhall, 10s; Mrs F., Holytown, 10s; Mrs K., Kati Kati, N.Z., £5; Miss F., Balloch, 2s 6d; J. F., £15; Glenhead Summer Services, Lochwinnoch, £1 12s 9d; Mrs D., Kilmarnock, 4s; St. John's U.F. Church S.S., Dundee, £1 4s; W. B., Highbridge, 5s; T. A., Dailly, £10; T. A., £18 7s 6d; Miss S., Exeter, 2s 6d; Bonnybridge C.S., Ltd., £3; Mrs and Miss C., £3; Miss P., Edinburgh, £1; Mrs S., Renfrew, £1; Mrs L., Motherwell, £1; A Friend, 10s; A. F., £15; T. W., £2; A. D., £2 10s; A. O., £197 13s 10d; Lower Abbey Street U.F. Church S.S., Dublin, 17s 6d; Miss M., Dundee, £25; Mrs M., Strathaven, 10s; J. R., Barrhead, 5s; Mrs R., Partick, per D. J. F., £3; "A Friend at Stepps," £1; Harvest Thanksgiving Service at Bengal Hall, Lockerbie, £1 13s; Anon., Langholm p.m., £5; Paisley C.M.S., Ltd., £4; N. B., Dumbarton, £3; Mrs S., Culter, £1.

Consumption Sanatoria.—Mrs and Miss C., £1; Paisley C.M.S., Ltd., £4.

Colony of Mercy for Epileptics.—Mr and Miss C., £1; Paisley C.M.S., Ltd., £4.

Received for ORPHAN HOMES between 26th and 31st October.—Alice, Willie, and Jessie, £1; Rosneath Parish Church Women's Guild, £1; Chryston Y.W.C.A., £1 8s 6d; Mrs M., Newcastle-on-Tyne, £1 10s; Miss M., do., 10s; Mrs S., Grantown-on-Spey, £2 2s; Female Mission Women's Meeting, Arbroath, 10s; Miss J. A., do., £1; Miss B. A., do., 5s; Mr and Mrs S., Cambridge, £1 1s; Mrs W., Sydney, N.S.W., £1; F. R., 12s; Anon., 10s; A few workers in Stewarts & Lloyds, Ltd., £1 12s; The Typographical Society, £2 2s; Bridgeton U.F. Church S.S., £1; F. D. G., £1 4s; M. H., £1; Mrs R., £4 2s 2d; Macgregor Memorial U.F. Church Minister's B.C., Govan, 10s; "George's Sisters," £5; "In loving memory," £10; J. M. R., Montrose, £2 2s; Miss M., Port Appin, 5s; Mr and Mrs B., Kilmacoll, £3; Kildalton and Oa P.C., £5 5s; W. R., Dumfries, £1 5s; Harvest Thanksgiving Services at Gartcosh Gospel Mission, £3; Mrs S., 10s; Mr and Mrs W. C. C., China, £2; J. M'G., Greenock, £2; Miss E. W., Burrellton, 5s; J. P., Galashiels, £1 1s; Miss R., Edinburgh, 10s; Mrs M'D., 10s; Pollokshields East U.F. Church S.S., 12s; W. M., Leadhills, £2 2s 6d; B.R.C.S., £3; J. A. B., Paisley, £35; Mrs R. A., Johnstone, 5s; J. S., London, £50; Mrs F., 7s; Employees, Wm. Beardmore & Co., Ltd., Dalmuir, £15; Employees, M'Farlane, Lang & Co., Ltd., £1 1s; Cathcart Road Gospel Hall, £1; Greenhead U.F. Church S.S., £1 10s; W. T. W., £2; Busby W.U.F. Church S.S., £1; A. M., Largs, £1 1s; (J. F., £5 5s; J. P. K. & Co., £2 2s; W. W. M., £4; J. K. & Co., Ltd., £2 2s; Mrs J. R., £1 1s)—per C. O. S.; Found in boxes at Bridge of Weir, £4 3s 3d.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for ORPHAN HOMES between 1st and 31st October.—*Legacy* of the late Miss Margaret Marshall, per Messrs Keyden, Strang & Co., £100; Kilmarnock Equitable C.S., Ltd., £5; Mrs Janet Barnhill's Trust, per Alex. Sloan, Esq., £10; U.C.B.S., Ltd., £10; J. T., £1; Moncrieff Church S.S., Alloa, £1 0s 9d; J. G., Skelmorlie, £10; Mornington Presbyterian S.S., Dunedin, N.Z., £2; A. M. A., Kilmacoll, £10; H. E. F., Bearsden, £3; A.M.C. Co., Ltd., £5 5s; Employees, Clyde Paper Co., Ltd., Rutherglen, £1 1s; *Legacy* of the late Miss Mary M'Bride, Dumbarton, per Messrs A. & F. Roberts, £5; Rhinisdale S.S., Baillieston, £2 2s 4d; *Legacy* of the late Miss Isa Cairns Ness, East Wemyss, per Messrs Patrick & Mitchell, £50; Thomas Porter's Equipment Fund, £150; To account of *Legacy* of the late J. C. Paterson, Esq., per Messrs Kidstons & Co., £50; Giffnock U.F. Church S.S., £1 15s; St. Andrews Parish Church S.S., 17s 6d; G. S., 10s.

Received for CONSUMPTION SANATORIA between 26th and 31st October.—J. A. B., Paisley, £10; J. S., London, £40.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for CONSUMPTION SANATORIA between 1st and 31st October.—Kilmarnock Equitable C.S., Ltd., £5; U.C.B.S., Ltd., £6; A.M.C. Co., Ltd., £15.

Received for COLONY OF MERCY between 26th and 31st October.—J. A. B., Paisley, £5; J. S., London, £10.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer for COLONY OF MERCY between 1st and 31st October.—Augustine U.F. Church Junior B.C., 7s 6d.

DONATIONS OF CLOTHING, PROVISIONS, Etc.

WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 3.—Miss B., Blackshields, 14 articles clothing; Mrs M., Weymouth, used clothing; Miss F., Balloch, 25 garments; Mrs N., Edinburgh, 4 garments; Miss M., 10 pairs stockings; Miss B., tweed suit.

WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 10.—Mrs G. B., sleeping suits; Miss M., Davidson's Mains, 10 articles clothing; B. Bros., 7 hampers bread; Miss A., Arbroath, 3 pairs stockings.

WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 17.—Chryston Y.W.C.A., 3 garments; Mothers and wives at Pitlochry, 21 articles clothing, 2 sets reins; Miss T., Leicester, quilt; Staines, used clothing and slippers; Mrs B., Cardiff, used clothing.

WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 24.—Mrs W., Dolphinton, 5 garments; M. M'V., Dunedin, 5 pairs stockings and ribbons.

WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 1.—Miss H., Rothesay, 11 garments; Mrs B., New Stevenston, 6 pairs stockings; Miss C., Edinburgh, 5 garments; St. Leonard's School, St. Andrews, 31 garments; Mrs H., 20 picture books.

WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 8.—A friend, Lancashire, clothing; R. T. S., London, books and magazines; A friend, 5 articles clothing; Miss B., Troon, used clothing; F. W. & T. G. W., Paisley, 8 dozen garments; Mrs M., Milnathort, 12 balls, 1 scrapbook; Anon., Gourrock, used clothing; Anon., Edinburgh, 4 frocks; Anon., used clothing; Mrs F. S., 32 garments; Miss O., Anstruther, 12 articles clothing; Church of Christ Work Party, 18 articles clothing; Mrs W., Selkirk, 4 articles clothing; Miss R., Newton-Stewart, 6 heads worsted.

WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 15.—Anon., books for 'Xmas prizes; Mr D., scrap album; Bristo Place Baptist Church Y.W.B.C., Edinburgh, 10 garments, 5 dolls, 5 toys; S. B., 6 books; Mr W., Clydebank, 10 hoods; Miss M'A., Millport, 4 pairs stockings; Anon., Coatbridge, shirts; W. M'B. & Co., 1 piece cloth.

WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 22.—Miss N. W., used clothing and 4 cuts wool; Margaret, William, and Martin, 39 toys; J. S., 48 books; Mrs M'G., Kilmarnock, used clothing, coat, and hat; Mrs M'C., Edinburgh, used clothing; W. R., Aberdeen, 25 shirts; Mrs C. B., Selkirk, 4 vets; Mrs T. and Miss S., 58 articles clothing; C. M'L., Melrose, 4 garments; Mrs F. P., toys and books; Mrs G., Skelmorlie, 2 crib quilts; Arbroath, 12 pairs stockings and cards; Miss A. S., 2 scrap books, 6 garments; Miss V., Langholm, 9 garments, 6 handkerchiefs; Miss G., Edinburgh, 4 garments; J. L., Kirkcaldy, used clothing and 10 new garments; Mrs F., 10 games, 5 books, 2 dolls, 3 dozen handkerchiefs, and 2 toys; Miss N., Edinburgh, 6 garments; Mrs C., Gareloch, 2 vests; T. G. C., books for Elise; Miss H. F. W., 8 books; Lizzie and Jim P., Berwick, toys; Jean A., do., toys, stockings, and gloves; Mr I., Peebles, 13 articles of clothing; Mrs L., used and new clothing; Alexander, 2 toys; Sanquhar Mission Workers, 75 articles clothing; Mrs W., Berwick, used clothing; Miss D. and Class, Holytown, toys and books and four stamps.

WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 29.—Cupar Baptist Church S.S. and friends, 62 articles clothing, game, and book; C. M., toys for 'Xmas trees; Miss C., Motherwell, 5 garments, 2 games; Miss C., Edinburgh, 5 garments; J. T., Airdrie, 70 loaves; Mrs M., Alloa, 2 garments; Class XII. in Beckford Street School, Hamilton, 12 toys; Anon., 29 needle books, 1 hood, 12 handkerchiefs; Miss P., Duns, 8 dolls, beads, and 12 articles clothing; H. E. G., hymn leaflets; Morton Parish Church, Thornhill, potatoes, fowl, jam, haggis, rice, gingerbread, and 5 articles clothing; R. H., cake; Dh M., Newtyle, clothing; Friends, per Mrs W., Aberdeen, 26 articles clothing; Mrs C. J., Edinburgh, 6 pairs socks; Cupar Y.W.C.A., 13 pairs stockings; J. W., box of meccano; Miss T., Helensburgh, 8 pairs stockings; Miss H., Crieff, used clothing; Anon., 4 scarves and clothing; Miss D., Leadhills, 4 petticoats; Miss R., Airdrie, 51 articles clothing; Miss M'G., Edinburgh, 2 frocks; Mrs W., Aucheneath, 3 scarves, 1 cap; For a Willie and Georgie, 2 books; Miss S., Edinburgh, pair of boots; M. J. W., Forfar, used clothing; A. M., 46 articles clothing; H. G., books; Anon., 11 toys.

WEEK ENDING JANUARY 5.—M. C. C., Greenock, clothing and winey; Anon., 1 cap and 1 pair cuffs; Two sisters in Bunessan Baptist Church, used 'Xmas cards; Mrs L., Crieff, 2 used coats; Misses W., Edinburgh, 3 scarves and 6 vests; T. H., Maybole, 1 pair boots and 1 ulster, also some used clothing, &c.; Two friends at Glenfincastle, 3 articles clothing; "To a little Mary in Jesus name," 1 pair boots and 1 pair stockings; Master Robert W., used meccano; J. & D. B., 280 lb. oatmeal; D. G. P., quantity of bulbs; Canmore Street Congl. Church, Dunfermline, 166 articles clothing, dolls, and books; Hope Park U.F. Church S.S., Edinburgh, 26 articles clothing, 29 handkerchiefs, toys, games, books; Mrs F., Lonmay, used clothing.

WEEK ENDING JANUARY 12.—Mrs D., Auchterarder, 31 articles clothing; Mrs L., Dunning, 12 articles clothing; Mrs G., Newton-Stewart, 3 pairs rabbits, 2 lbs. butter, and 2 jerseys; Woman's Foreign Mission Work Party of St. Ninian's, Stranraer, 14 articles clothing; St. John's U.F. Church Guild, Cupar, 11 articles clothing; Miss G., Hawick, 40 articles clothing; Mrs H., Dumbarton, used clothing; Miss C., Lochgillhead, 14 articles clothing.

WEEK ENDING JANUARY 19.—Miss L., Aberdeen, 14 articles clothing; Broughton Work Party, 100 articles clothing and a quantity of provisions; A. C., Stewarton, 241 semmits and 5 pairs combinations; Mrs D., Broughton, 1 pair used boots; Miss B. and Lady R., Dunfermline, 7 articles clothing; Misses D., Saltcoats, box of books; M. & Co., Ltd., gift of bread.

WEEK ENDING JANUARY 26.—Miss S., Paisley, 2 pairs stockings and 1 scarf; Anon., 2 coats and hoods; Mrs F., 14 articles clothing; Mrs L., Kilmacoll, used clothing, etc.; Miss P., Dyce, used clothing; Mrs W., Dolphinton, 17 articles clothing; Anon., used shoes and slippers; Do., Liberton, 4 pairs cuffs, 3 caps, and 1 pinafore; Do., Brechin, 1 game.

WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 2.—Miss T., Musselburgh, 22 garments and 3 used hats; Anon., used clothing and shawl; Mrs C., 53 pairs stockings; R. D., scrap book; Miss H., Edinburgh, 6 articles clothing; Anon., Pitlochry, used men's clothing; Mrs R., Dunfermline, used clothing and slippers; Miss C. and Friends in Anstruther, 46 articles clothing and 8 pairs boots and slippers; Mrs B., Pitlochry, clothing; Mrs B., Kilmacoll, used clothing; Miss D., Blantyre, do.; Anon., Edinburgh, used garments and handkerchiefs; A. & M'A., quantity of bulbs; S. C. L., used clothing and mattress; Miss F., Campbelltown, 13 pairs socks, 2 semmits, and 8 mufflers.

WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 9.—Anon., Edinburgh, used shirts, caps, and hat; J. B., London, Sanitas preparations; Mrs F. F., used clothing; Anon., Paisley, 3 garments and 1 baby's dress, muff, fur, hats, and bonnets; J. A. W., Aberdeen, used clothing; Anon., Rothesay, 2 pairs used knee breeches; Do., 6 pairs stockings; Do., Edinburgh, 3 lbs. tea; Miss B., Perth, used clothing; B. Bros., 9 hampers bread.

WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 16.—B. Bros., 15 hampers bread; Anon., used clothing; A Friend, Walkerburn, 1 pair trousers and coat; Anon., 3 lbs. tapioca, 3 lbs. grd. rice, and 2 used garments; Do., 10 lbs. rice; Do., 4 used Bibles and 1 book; Do., 6 lb. tin of tea; Misses C., Sauchen, 5 garments and 2 pairs stockings; Anon., box of biscuits; Do., 5 lbs. tea.

WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 23.—B. Bros., 14 hampers bread; Anon., ½ lb. tea; Mrs F., Paisley, used men's clothing, hats, and caps; J. H., Whittingehame, 7 lbs. tea; Misses A., Keswick, 5½ lbs. tea; Anon., 3 lbs. tea; Miss W., Dunning, 8 articles used clothing; Mrs W., Auchterarder, 13 garments and 3 pairs stockings; Anon., 4 new and 6 used articles of clothing; M. & Co., Ltd., gift of bread; B. Bros., 9 hampers bread; Misses G., Paisley, 19 articles clothing.

WEEK ENDING MARCH 2.—Anon., quantity of sugar, lentils, rice, oatmeal, and maize; F. L. H., Edinburgh, 10 cases evaporated milk; Mrs M., Duns, 4 pairs stockings; Mrs K. and two maids, 12 pillowslips; Large Evangelistic Mission, 214 articles clothing and 42 pairs stockings; Miss B. H., Edinburgh, 9 pairs used stockings; Mrs M., Helensburgh, quantity of clothing; Miss D., Blantyre, 2 garments; B. Bros., 9 hampers bread; Do., 64 dozen bread; Lady M., 10 pairs rabbits and clothing.

WEEK ENDING MARCH 9.—S. G. F. S., Callander, 53 articles clothing, 15 hats, bedmat, cape, and material, also used clothing, books, etc.; Anon., 24 articles used clothing and 8 picture books; Do., 3 articles new and some used clothing; Do., Glasgow, 5 pairs stockings and 1 pair gloves; Miss B., Langbank, 5 articles used clothing and 2 pairs stockings; B. Bros., 12 hampers bread; Mrs L., Carnoustie, used clothing.

WEEK ENDING MARCH 16.—Messrs A., Berwick-on-Tweed, quantity of vegetable seeds; Anon., 6 articles clothing; A. & G. W., Clydebank, tablecloth, suit, and 2 dozen dishcloths; M. & Co., Ltd., gift of bread; Additional from S.G.F.S., Callander, 10 articles clothing; M. H., 9 garments, 11 caps, 5 hats, and 1 doll; H. & L., parcel of clothing, collars, gloves, hats, etc.; Mrs O., Bournemouth, used clothing; Mrs S., Bowling, 2 p.c. albums; Mrs M'L., Dumbarton, used clothing; Duntocher, used jacket; Mrs C., Tillicoultry, 8 pairs stockings and 12 handkerchiefs; Mrs B., New Pitsligo, 3 garments; Miss L., Langholm, 32 hats and 6 used garments; Girls at St. Leonard's School, St. Andrews, 36 garments; Newton Place U.F. Church "Y" Branch, B.W.T.A., 71 articles clothing, etc.

WEEK ENDING MARCH 23.—Mr M., used clothing; Mrs G., Cardonald, used clothing and books; Miss M. W., Sandbank, 6 pairs socks and 1 overall; D. R., Auchterarder, 12 blouses; A. R. D., Bishop Auckland, 70 coats; Miss B., Govan, 2 pairs stockings; Mrs I. N. M., 7 garments; M. & Co., gift of bread; Mr M., used clothing; Miss S., Port-Glasgow, 53 articles clothing and 4 cuts worsted.

WEEK ENDING MARCH 30.—P. D. & Co., Partick, 5 dozen loaves; N. M., 6 dozen loaves; Mrs M., men's used clothing; B. Bros., 16 hampers bread; Anon., Kilmacoll p.m., 1 sewn text; B. Bros., 10 hampers bread; Miss R., Edinburgh, 21 articles clothing; A. H., Paisley, 9 articles collars, cuffs, caps, dress ties, etc.; Y.W.C.A., Helensburgh, 10 articles clothing.

WEEK ENDING APRIL 6.—Misses C., Govan, 9 articles clothing; B. Bros., 9 hampers bread; A. F. R. & Sons, 1½ hampers bread; Miss H., Strathaven, 3 articles clothing; Mrs B., Kilmacoll, used clothing, handkerchiefs, ties, and hat; Anon., Mauchline, used clothing; Misses H., Peebles, 5 pairs socks; Miss M'C., Dumoon, scrap book.

WEEK ENDING APRIL 13.—Lauder B.W.T.A., 6 articles clothing and some 'Xmas cards; R. H. & Son, 9 dozen bread; Anon., St. Albans, 6 articles used clothing; Miss S., Edinburgh, 10 articles clothing; Mrs K., 9 articles clothing; Anon., 2 used hats and 1 used scarf; Newburgh Y.W.C.A., 12 articles clothing; Lochgilphead Y.W.C.A., 28 articles clothing; B. Bros., 8 hampers bread; F. L. H., Edinburgh, 208 pots honey; A member of "The Beream Band," London, 60 calendars; Cairns U.F. Church Sewing Meeting, Stewarton, 127 articles clothing.

WEEK ENDING APRIL 20.—Mrs P., 2 jackets; Anon., Greenock, 2½ st. flour; Do., Dunfermline, 9 articles used clothing; R. H. & Son, 2½ dozen loaves and tea bread; Miss S. Biggar, 41 articles new and 21 articles used clothing; R. Y. & Son, Edinburgh, quantity of seeds; Misses K., Dunblane, 4 pairs cuffs and 2 pairs socks; Anon., Lochgilphead p.m., 1 article clothing; Mrs M., Duns, used clothing; W. R., Aberdeen, 25 shirts; Miss L., Kilsyth, 19 hats; Lockerbie Y.W.C.A., 18 articles clothing, 9 pairs stockings, 11 cuffs, and 1 pair gauntlets; A. M., Arbroath, 6 pairs stockings.

WEEK ENDING APRIL 27.—Forfar West U.F. Church Women's Guild, 29 articles clothing; Anon., Bowling, used clothing; Mrs L., Kilmacoll, clothes, books, etc.; Augustine Church Dorcas Soc., Edinburgh, 12 articles clothing; Miss G., Hawick, 21 articles clothing; B. Bros., 15 hampers bread.

WEEK ENDING MAY 4.—J. A., 9 dozen pies; Anon., 2 used bonnets; Miss L., Peebles, used clothing, flowers, ribbons, etc.; Anon., used clothing; B. Bros., 100 dozen bread; Anon., Lerwick, 12 books; M. & Co., Ltd., gift of bread; Mrs N., Edinburgh, 2 garments.

WEEK ENDING MAY 11.—Anon., 12 kneeling mats; Miss G., Thurso, 25 pairs stockings and 5 pairs socks; W. N., used clothing; Mrs T., used clothing; Miss G., Irvine, slippers; Mrs J. W., Ayr, 16 articles clothing; Mrs B., Lerwick, 8 spencers; Anon., Kilwinning, used overcoat; B. Bros., 19 hampers bread; W. N., used clothing.

WEEK ENDING MAY 18.—Mrs G., box of tools; Miss L., Anstruther, 3 pairs stockings and wool; Anon., ½ chest tea: "To the children of Bethesda," 4 dozen mugs; D. P., ½ ton crystal carbonate of soda; B. Bros., 120 dozen bread.

WEEK ENDING MAY 25.—Miss H. H., Mid Calder, 6 articles clothing, material, etc.; Miss M. W., Sandbank, 12 articles clothing; A. & G. W., Clydebank, sample dress and suit; Miss W., Dunning, 2 coats and 1 pair stockings; B. Bros., 18 hampers bread; A few members and associates of St. Boswells S.G.F.S., 18 articles clothing; Miss B., Stirling, used fur and slippers; N. M., tea bread.

WEEK ENDING JUNE 1.—Miss C., Edinburgh, used clothing; Uddingston Branch, S.G.F.S., 21 articles clothing; S. D. J. O. K., 9 pairs stockings; Miss W., Aberdeen, 3 frocks; B. Bros., 9 hampers bread; Do., 13 hampers bread; J. & J. R., Strathaven, caps, hats, flowers, etc.; Anon., 2 used garments and 1 pair shoes; Mrs S., Innellan, used post cards.

WEEK ENDING JUNE 8.—Y.W.C.A., Montrose, 3 articles clothing; Anon., Saltcoats p.m., 2 used garments; Do., Greenock, used clothing, stockings, and slippers; Miss M., Edinburgh, 1 pram cover and 5 articles clothing; R. H. & Son, loaves and tea bread; High Cross U.F. Church Work Party, Melrose, 59 articles clothing; Anon., used clothing; Forfar Y.W.C.A., 11 articles clothing.

WEEK ENDING JUNE 15.—Shiloh Hall Work Party, 30 pairs stockings and 14 garments; Mrs S., Irvine, used clothing and picture books; Miss C., Lundin Links, 17 articles clothing; A. & G. W., Clydebank, 2 waterproofs, 2 costumes, and 1 suit; Mrs B., Langholm, 13 articles used clothing; Major and Mrs P. M'C., used clothing and toys.

WEEK ENDING JUNE 22.—Anon., 7 articles clothing; B. Bros., 7 hampers bread; Do., 8 hampers bread; Anon., artificial teeth.

WEEK ENDING JUNE 29.—Mrs L., used suit and overcoat; A. R. & S. H., Glenluce, box of sundries; Mrs C., Paisley, 8 garments.

WEEK ENDING JULY 6.—Girls of St. Leonard's School, St. Andrews, 19 garments; Anon., used suit, ties, and collars; Miss C., Kilmacoll, 1 baby's hood; Miss M'L., 26 shop-soiled blouses and sundries; Anon., Bonnyrigg, 4 used blouses; Miss W., Auchterarder, 5 articles clothing; Miss W., Edinburgh, used clothing; B. Bros., 8 hampers bread; A. P. & Son, 2 hams.

WEEK ENDING JULY 13.—Miss F., Campbeltown, 29 articles clothing; E. B. A., Tewkesbury, 1 brooch; Anon., used boots, socks, and fronts; Mrs C., Montrose, 7 articles clothing.

WEEK ENDING JULY 20.—Mr F., St. Andrews, used clothing and boots; Miss L., Greenock, 7 pairs stockings; Fellowship, 50 boxes kippers; R. L., Burnbank, used clothing; Miss M., Coatbridge, 30 articles clothing; N. M., 14 dozen loaves.

WEEK ENDING JULY 27.—Anon., 5 shirts; S. D. J. O. K., 6 pairs socks; Anon., used Bibles and books; Mrs P. M'C., used toys and clothing; Mrs H., used clothing; A. & G. W., Clydebank, 12 dozen abroder; Anon., 1 used jersey.

WEEK ENDING AUGUST 3.—J. H., 12 books; Miss L., Edinburgh, 24 books, "Florence Nightingale"; M. M'F., a pram; Mrs F., 9 articles new and some used clothing and shoes; Finstown Y.W.C.A., 4 pairs socks and some cards.

WEEK ENDING AUGUST 10.—Miss T., Kilmarnock, scrap books; St. Serf's U.F. Church Women's Guild, Almondbank, 8 pairs stockings.

WEEK ENDING AUGUST 17.—Glasgow Juvenile Football Association, a football; Fellowship, 60 boxes kippers; Miss M. W., Sandbank, 8 articles clothing; Mrs J. R., Kennethmont, 6 shirts.

WEEK ENDING AUGUST 24.—A. R. D., Darlington, 97 coats, 2 showerproofs and 55 frocks; J. R., Newburgh, 1 pair house shoes; J. L., Dunlop p.m., used clothing; G. D. & Co., tea bread.

WEEK ENDING AUGUST 31.—Anon., Earlstoun p.m., used clothing; The late Miss Russell, Newmains, remnants of lining and serge; J. G., Burntisland, 56 hats and 19 caps; B. Bros., scoons, etc.; Anon., 2 used blouses and 1 pair used shoes.

WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 7.—Anon., used clothing; Miss G., Edinburgh, 2 caps and odds and ends; Mrs M., Callander, 10 pairs stockings; Miss M. C., do., box odd jewellery, etc.; Miss G., Hawick, 15 articles clothing; N. M., brown bread; J. A., tea bread; N. M., large quantity bread.

WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 14.—Anon., Edinburgh p.m., 2 used hats; Miss Y., Paisley, 48 hats; A. M., Arbroath, 6 pairs stockings; Anon., lady donor, 31 eggs and 2 pats butter; J. A., tea bread; R. H. & Son, bread; Mrs K., Banchoy 62 articles clothing; G. M. R., Inch, 21 articles clothing; A. L. & Sons, Ltd., Partick, bedding, used clothing, and shoes; Mrs M., Penzance, 15 articles clothing and 2 crochet balls; Plottolders of Tullis, Russell & Co., Ltd., Markinch, 1 bag potatoes; A. R., children's clothing.

WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 21.—Miss S., St. Boswells, used dress; Mrs S., Bridge of Weir, 11 books; Mrs M'C., Edinburgh, used clothing; Anon., Mauchline, 11 pairs stockings, 31 collars, 12 hats and bonnets, etc.

WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 5.—Miss C., Connel, clothing, bibs, and tippet; Miss D., Aberdeen, used clothing; Cumbernauld Y.W.C.A., 24 articles clothing; Miss S., Douglas, used clothing; Mrs S., Ayr, hamper used clothing.

WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 12.—Miss M., Davidson's Mains, 10 articles clothing; Mrs N., Edinburgh, used clothing; Mrs G., Uddingston, used clothing; Miss F., 12 pairs socks; Miss J. F. G., Thurso, 12 articles clothing and 1 towel; Mrs M., Dumoon, 6 scarves; N. M., quantity of bread; Mrs L., used clothing, bed rest, etc.; B. Bros., large quantity of bread.

WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 19.—Miss S. and friends, Montrose, 4 articles clothing, 5 cuts worsted, and 6 yards flannelette; T. Bros., Kilmarnock, sundries; Mrs S., St. Abbs, used clothing; Mrs G., S. Ronaldshay, 3 garments; Miss F., used clothing.

WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 26.—W. R., Aberdeen, 28 boys' shirts; Miss F., Balloch, 39 articles clothing; Mrs K., used hats and blouses; J. T., Rutherglen, 4 volumes each *Young Man* and *Young Woman* magazines; Anon., Paisley, 6 articles used clothing; Miss F., Campbeltown, 12 pairs stockings and 7 mufflers; Miss B., Liverpool, 6 books.

Received between 26th and 31st October.—Anon., Glasgow p.m., used clothing; A. B., 7 garments and 6 collars; N. M., 1½ hampers bread; Anon., St. Margaret's Hope, 3 garments; Chryston Y.W.C.A., 12 garments, 1 pair shoes, cosy covers, etc.; Anon., 5 articles used clothing; C. & H., 1 cwt. sweets for Hallowe'en; Miss M. W., Sandbank, 8 articles clothing.

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

£r.

Abstract of Income and Expenditure for Year ended 31st October, 1918.

£r.

To Balance on 31st October, 1917:—				By General Household Expenses at City and Bridge-of-Weir Homes			
(1) For Buildings, etc.,	£11,043	0	0	Alterations, Repairs, Furniture, Insurance, etc.,	£33,570	17	2
(2) For Maintenance, Emigration, etc.,	21,554	3	2	" Rates, Taxes, and National Insurance, etc.,	1,077	3	6
" Donations for Maintenance, etc., and Payments for Special Children,	£32,597	3	2	" Printing, Stationery, Books, Advertising, Postage, etc.,	663	9	2½
" Legacies for Maintenance, etc.,	26,167	6	5	" Rewards to Children,	620	11	8½
" Donations for "Sabbath School" Home,	17,483	17	7	" School Expenses in addition to Grants,	329	12	7
" Wages earned by Working Lads—City Home, less Allowances,	17	8	1	" Expenses of Canadian Work,	482	11	0
" Rent of Farm and other Property,	1,417	19	6	" Balance:—	960	18	0
" Interest,	117	17	9	(1) At Credit of Account for Buildings and Other Works, including "Sabbath School" and "Lairg-Shrewsbury" Homes, Gymnasium, Baths, etc.,	£11,612	11	1
	2,004	14	0	(2) Balance for Maintenance, etc.,	30,488	12	3
					42,101	3	4
					£79,806	6	6

GLASGOW, 22nd November, 1918.—We have audited the Books containing the Intrmissions for the year ended 31st October, 1918, 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 Forty-two Thousand One Hundred and One Pounds Three Shillings and Fourpence Sterling.

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

ORPHAN HOMES OF SCOTLAND HOME AND FOREIGN MISSIONS FUND, 1917-1918.

£r.

1917.				1918.			
Nov. 1.—To Balance,	-	-	-	Oct. 31.—By Donations to various Home and Foreign Missions,	£1,422	0	4
1918.				Cheque Book,	-	-	0
Oct. 31.—" Collections at O.H.S. Church,	-	-	-	" Balance in Bank,	-	-	352
" Donations,	-	-	-				7
" Bank Interest,	-	-	-				3
					£1,776	7	7

GLASGOW, 14th November, 1918.—Examined and found correct.

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

CONSUMPTION SANATORIA OF SCOTLAND, BRIDGE-OF-WEIR.

£r.

Abstract of Income and Expenditure for Year ended 31st October, 1918.

£r.

To Balance for Maintenance, Buildings, etc., on 31st October, 1917,				£5,314	17	3	By General Household Expenses and Salaries of Staff,			
" Payments for Patients, Donations, and Legacies,	..	..	..	13,137	6	7	" Repairs, Furniture, and Insurance,	..	..	£13,524
" Interest,	..	..	..	208	5	0	" Rates, Taxes, and National Insurance,	..	..	440
							" Sundry Charges, including Printing, Stationery, Postage, etc.,	..	..	145
							" Balance for Maintenance, Buildings, etc.,	..	..	77
										4,472
										3
										10
										£18,660
										8
										10

GLASGOW 22nd November, 1918.—We have audited the Books containing the Intrmissions for the year ended 31st October, 1918, 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 Four Hundred and Seventy-two Pounds Three Shillings and Tenpence Sterling.

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

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

£r.

Abstract of Income and Expenditure for Year ended 31st October, 1918.

£r.

To Balance for Maintenance, Buildings, etc., on 31st October, 1917,				£4,399	15	0	By General Household Expenses and Salaries of Staff,			
" Donations for Maintenance, Buildings, etc., and Payments for Colonists,	..	..	..	2,658	13	0	" Repairs, Furniture and Insurance,	..	..	£3,495
" Rent of Farm,	..	..	..	282	0	0	" Rates, Taxes, and National Insurance,	..	..	113
" Interest,	..	..	..	201	12	3	" Printing, Postage, etc.,	..	..	142
							" Balance for Maintenance, Buildings, etc.,	..	..	35
										6
										4
										4
										3½
										3
										12
										3
										0
										£7,542
										0
										3

GLASGOW, 22nd November, 1918.—We have audited the Books containing the Intrmissions for the year ended 31st October, 1918, 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 Three Thousand Seven Hundred and Fifty-five Pounds Twelve Shillings and Threepence Halfpenny 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, 1917, there were resident in the Homes, 1,534 boys and girls. During the year 420 new cases were admitted, making a total of 1,954 dealt with.

These have been disposed of as follows:—Outfitted and sent to domestic service, trades, and situations, 77; deaths, 7; children under 5 years of age adopted, 7; returned to relatives now in a position to provide for them, 293; left to go to relatives, etc., 28; enlisted, 6; sent to other institutions, 2; leaving in the Homes on 31st October, 1918, 1,534; of whom 893 are boys and 641 girls.

From the above it will be seen that 84 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 farms. 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. 271 were admitted, 264 discharged, and 6 died, leaving 141 in residence on 31st October, 1918.

COLONY OF MERCY FOR EPILEPTICS.—The year began with 101 colonists in residence; 32 men, women, and children were admitted; 35 were discharged; and 2 died, leaving 96 in residence on 31st October, 1918.

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 £1,417 19s. 6d. earned by working boys, and sundry amounts, as per Cash Statement, £47,209 3s. 4d.; for Consumption Sanatoria Fund, £13,345 11s. 7d.; for the Colony of Mercy for Epileptics, £3,142 5s. 3d.; for Home and Foreign Missions Fund, £1,391 16s. 1d., making the total amount for all purposes £65,088 16s. 3d., 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.

"The God that is enough" has once more vindicated His Name in our happy experience at Bridge-of-Weir. The increasing needs of the last year of the war have not proved a strain upon His infinite resources. The budget presented on this page in last year's Narrative has not only been provided for, but there is also the "exceeding abundantly" which our Father delights to give those who ask and trust Him to do great things.

So far as we can forecast it, the budget for 1918-1919 is likely to include:—

£40,000 for maintenance of Orphan Children in Glasgow and at Bridge-of-Weir.

£2,000 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.

Christmas-Tree Gifts for our 1534 boys and girls at Bridge-of-Weir. Required early in December.

£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.

While all the praise for the year's gifts of every kind is for the Lord alone, very hearty thanks are due, and are hereby rendered, to the multitude of friends in all parts of the world who by prayer and gift have been the Lord's channels of supply; and to the large and devoted band of our fellow-workers at Bridge-of-Weir, in the City, and in Canada, who have loyally carried on amidst such difficulties as they have never experienced before. We need the help of all these for the coming year of reconstruction, and we know it will not be lacking.

It was not found possible to hold the usual Bi-Annual Thanksgiving Day at Bridge-of-Weir this year. Should such a day be arranged for in 1919, due notice will be sent out to our friends and subscribers.

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."

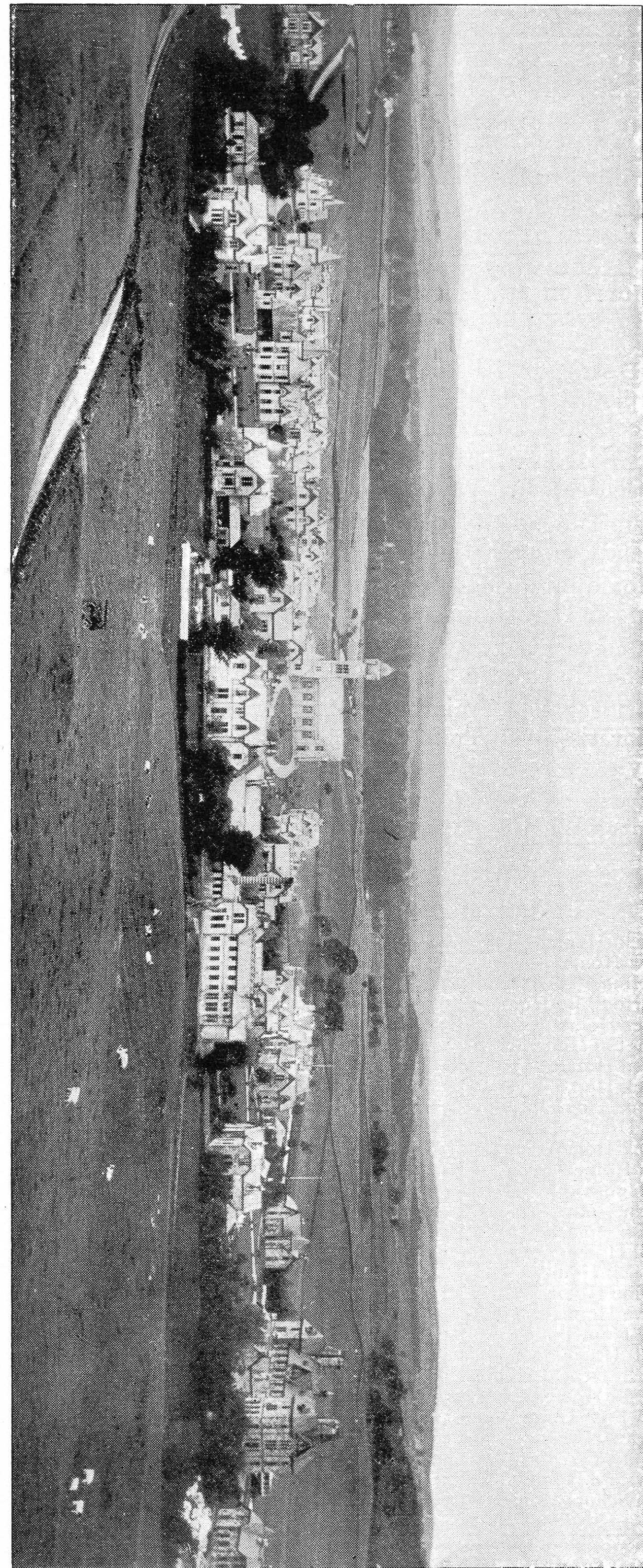
To prevent mistakes and delay, all letters relating to the Homes or Sanatoria or Colony for Epileptics should be addressed to Miss Quarrier, Orphan Homes of Scotland, Bridge of Weir. Cheques and Orders to be made payable to Miss MARY QUARRIER, Orphan Homes, Bridge-of-Weir, or to the Hon. Treasurer, Sir 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.

CLASS OF CHILDREN ELIGIBLE FOR ADMISSION.

Orphan Homes, Bridge-of-Weir.—Orphan boys and girls deprived of both parents, and fatherless children, with no relative able or willing to keep them, from 1 to 14 years of age, from any part of Scotland. *Destitution is the title for admission, and there is no subscriber's line or voting paper required.*

City Receiving Home and Working Boys' Home, 13 James Morrison St., Glasgow.—Working boys under 18 years of age.

Mr. Douglas will deal with all cases applying for admission at City Orphan Home, 13 James Morrison Street, off London Street, at 3 o'clock P.M., on Wednesdays and Fridays.

Pastor D. J. Findlay may be seen by appointment at the St. George's Cross Tabernacle, 284 New City Road.

The Superintendent or Matron of the City Home will be glad to show friends through the house any day (Sabbath excepted).

The Homes at Bridge-of-Weir are also open to visitors every week-day between 11 A.M. and 5 P.M.

Trains leave St. Enoch Station (G. & S.-W. Railway) almost every hour. The Homes are two miles from Bridge-of-Weir Station.

A Bus meets 1-5 Train from Glasgow, and leaves the Homes Gate at 3-45 for the 4-47 Train from Bridge-of-Weir daily. Fares—6d. each way.

The Orphan Homes of Scotland, Consumption Sanatoria of Scotland, AND COLONY OF MERCY,

Now comprise the following 78 Buildings:—

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|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1. Broadfield Home. | 29. Smith Memorial Home. | 56. Rozelle. |
| 2. Glasgow Home. | 30. Michael Rowan Home. | 57. Carsemeadow Houses. |
| 3. Dalry Home. | 31. James Wilson Home. | 58. New Ferguslie Workshops |
| 4. Dumbartonshire Home. | 32. Eben. Maclay Home. | 59. Fire Station. |
| 5. Ebenezer Home. | 33. Killearn Home. | 60. New Stables. |
| 6. Washington Home. | 34. Glenfarg Home. | 61. Superintendent's House. |
| 7. Aberdeen Home. | 35. Hatriek Home. | 62. Elise Hospital. |
| 8. Greenock Home. | 36. Macfarlane Home. | 63. Seaside Home, Ardnadam |
| 9. Anderston Home. | 37. Peddie Alexander Home. | 64. City Orphan Home. |
| 10. Paisley Home. | 38. Jno. Robertson Home. | 65. Fairknowe Home,
Brockville, Ont., Canada. |
| 11. Cessnock Home. | 39. Craigbet Home. | 66. First Consumption Sana-
torium of Scotland. |
| 12. Mizpah Home. | 40. Stronvar Home. | 67. Second Sanatorium. |
| 13. Leven Home. | 41. Wm. Barnhill Home. | 68. Third Sanatorium. |
| 14. Overtoun Home. | 42. Murray Brown Home. | 69. Hebron. |
| 15. Montrose Home. | 43. Morton Perry Home | 70. Executive Buildings. |
| 16. Mitchell Home. | 44. Oswald Home for
Invalid Girls. | 71. Hope Lodge. |
| 17. Allan Dick Home. | 45. Elim, for Invalid Boys. | 72. Electric Power House. |
| 18. Somerville Home. | 46. Poultry Farm. | 73. Doctor's House. |
| 19. Ashgrove Home. | 47. Central Building. | 74. Hattrick Farm. |
| 20. Kintyre Home. | 48. Ferguslie Offices. | 75. Children's Home in the
Colony of Mercy for
Epileptics. |
| 21. Marshall Home. | 49. Stores. | 76. Women's Home in Colony |
| 22. Lincoln & Garfield Home. | 50. Greenhouse. | 77. Workshop in Colony. |
| 23. Edinburgh Home. | 51. Church. | 78. Men's Home in Colony. |
| 24. Jehovah-Jireh Home. | 52. Gatehouse. | |
| 25. Sagittarius Home. | 53. Homelea. | |
| 26. Ayr Home. | 54. School Buildings. | |
| 27. Renfrewshire Home. | 55. Teachers' House. | |
| 28. Sabbath School Home. | | |