

"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

FIFTY-FOURTH YEAR, ENDING 31st OCTOBER, 1925.

ALSO THE

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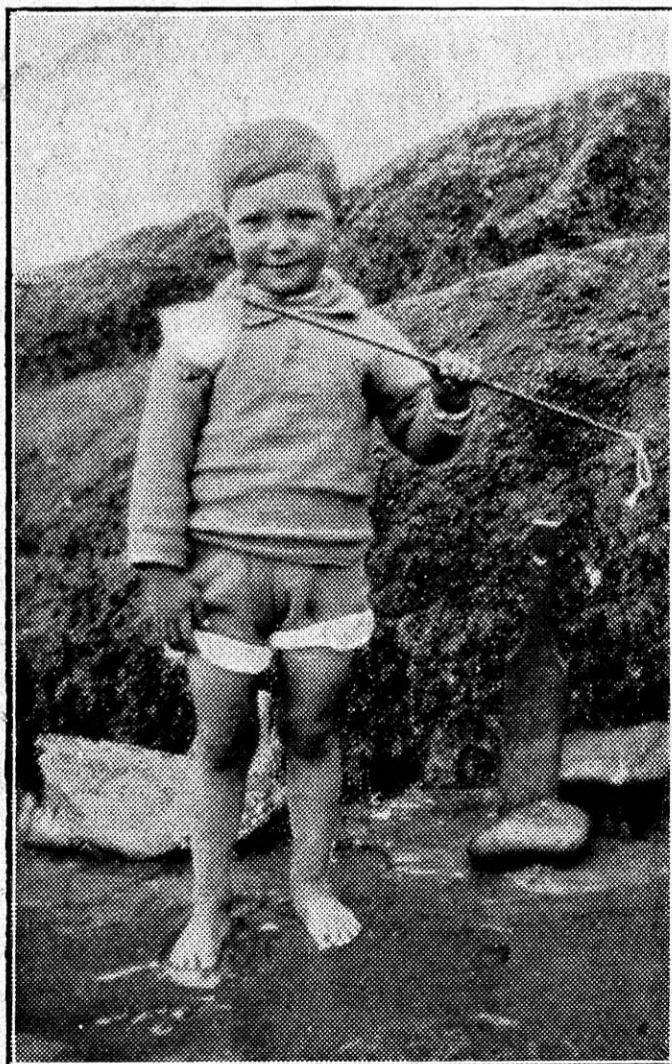
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EPILEPTICS,
BRIDGE-OF-WEIR.

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CITY RECEIVING HOME
AND
WORKING BOYS' HOME,
13 JAMES MORRISON ST.,
GLASGOW, C. 1.

1925.

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

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ORPHAN HOMES OF SCOTLAND,
CONSUMPTION SANATORIA AND COLONY OF MERCY
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NARRATIVE OF FACTS.
1925.

"Faith is the substance of things hoped for."

SOMETIME ago the pastor of a great London church invited us to speak to his people about the story of the Orphan Homes of Scotland. In the vestry, after the service, he remarked, "That was the greatest sermon that ever was preached in my church." The remark had, of course, no reference to the preacher, but to the theme on which he had spoken, and we quite agreed with our friend. This aspect of the work to which God had called him was never absent from the mind of Mr. Quarrier; indeed he rightly regarded it as the principal purpose for which the Orphan Homes were called into being. The temporal salvation of the children and other needy ones is a great and good work; their education and wise upbringing is of still greater importance; their spiritual salvation is still more important; but the greatest thing of all is the unanswerable testimony that has been erected—and that goes out into all the world, "That God is and that He is a rewarder of them that diligently seek Him." To the thought of masses in these days "Faith" has no real meaning at all. It is a word in the Bible, a theological term without any reality and certainly with no "substance." But here at Bridge-of-Weir we see, and all others who care to look may see, that faith has a very real substance. The fact that here may be seen by anyone an estate of more than three hundred acres of land with some eighty substantial houses, including dwellings, schools, workshops, hospitals, stores, laundries, post office, church, and all that may be required for a well-organised community; that this work is a growth of fifty-four years; that during that time over 18,000 orphan children, together with thousands of other needy ones, have been permanently helped; that all this has been accomplished at an outlay of some one and three-quarter million pounds sterling, and that for the collecting of this great sum of money no means have been used but prayer and faith—no collectors have been sent out and no money expended on advertising—surely all this should lead thinking men to pause and ask for an explanation? The explanation has been given already, and it lies in the glorious reality of God, Who hears and answers every true prayer presented to Him in humble faith in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

Twenty-two years have passed since William Quarrier was called to his well-earned reward—followed less than a year later by his beloved wife. Many naturally thought that this would be an irreparable loss to the great work they had together founded and carried on so success-

fully for thirty years. And had the work been of man and not of God this would have been so; but Wesley's famous saying, of which Mr. Quarrier was so fond, that "God buries His workers and carries on His work," has again proved blessedly true. In answer to prayer helpers and workers have been forthcoming just as they were required, so that every department has been maintained in full efficiency and every need has been met.

In the year now under review heavy extra expense has had to be incurred in connection with the installation of new lighting, heating, and power supplies, together with other special costs amounting to some £27,000; but by the wondrous forethought and provision of our Heavenly Father, even these unusual claims have all been provided for, together with all the regular outlay for every department of the work, so that once again—as in all our past history—the year was closed with every account paid, without a penny of debt, and with a goodly balance in hand to carry into the new year.

These facts are put on record here that God may be glorified, that the faith of His people may be strengthened, and that some reader who has been hitherto "without faith" may be led to believe in this glorious Jehovah God Who alone can work wonders, and Who is "a very present help in trouble" to all who put their trust in Him. It will be noticed from the body of the "Narrative" that we get letters from time to time—and from various parts of the world—telling of help received by our readers. This is indeed a joy to us, and a cause for thanksgiving.

Many of our friends and donors have been called away in the past year, and, so far as we have known of them, their names will be found recorded on another page. Only two of our fellow-workers at Bridge-of-Weir are in that list—our venerable friends, Mr. and Mrs. William Hutchison, who had spent many years in the service of the children, and whose ages had long passed the allotted span.

Every day in the village is full of interest and incident to those who devote their lives to the details of the work, but there have been few outstanding incidents which call for special record here. It has been a year of quiet steady progress and consolidation in every part of the work, with the usual constant procession of trials to keep us humble, and of encouragements to keep us from being cast down or discouraged.

Our family at the beginning of the year numbered 1,381 in addition to workers—comprised of 1,119 orphan children, 171 consumption patients, and 91 epileptics. During the year we have received 241 children, 172 patients, and 47 colonists; leaving us with a family of 1,384 on 31st October. For feeding, clothing, nursing, and caring for all of these we have received the following amounts, including payments:—

I. For the Orphan Homes,	£43,062	8	2
II. For the Consumption Sanatoria,	29,048	3	6
III. For the Colony of Epileptics,	6,236	11	9
IV. For Home and Foreign Missions,	1,427	5	4
Total,	£79,774	8	9

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, 18,286 children have passed through the Homes 6,712 of whom have been sent to Canada. Something like £1,758,183 has been received; £336,000 of that sum has been expended on buildings, land, etc., and £1,422,183 on the maintenance of the Homes and Sanatoria and Colony, and Home and Foreign Missions. The work of the Orphan Homes 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.

NOVEMBER, 1924.—In the first chapter of the "Narrative" the beloved Founder himself gives a brief statement of how he was led to undertake his life-work. There he tells that to every objection which he could advance against doing so, there was but one argument, oft-repeated, "that God would help me." What more could anyone require? How all-sufficient it has proved. In the strength of it he not only began but finished his course. In the same faith we who follow in his train are "carrying on." In the words of the wise man we can truly say, "There hath not failed one word of all His good promise. The Lord our God be with us, as He was with our fathers; let Him not leave us, nor forsake us; that He may incline our hearts unto Him, to walk in all His ways, and to keep His commandments, which He commanded our fathers." So, although we begin another year's work with an overflowing treasury, may our eyes be fixed only on Him who has been our help in the past and is our only sure hope for the years to come.

In these succeeding pages, without any desire or attempt to appraise their value or apportion merit to one more than another, we shall make such a selection from the multitude of gifts as seems to be of special interest or calculated to stimulate or even engender faith in God. Whatever encouragements or words of cheer may come to us by the way we shall pass on for the uplift of others. Brief reference also to the outstanding events of our little community will doubtless enable our "helpers together" by prayer and gift and service to share more intelligently in our work.

Receipts for the first day of this new financial year include £2 10s. from the Sunday School of a Baptist Church in the city; £5 from the Ladies' Work Party of a church in Perthshire; 6s. 8d. from two Winnipeg helpers; 15s. from Prestwick; and £1, under postmark of Helensburgh, anonymously. Three pounds from Alnwick, followed by three guineas later in the month from the same source, is accompanied by the request, "Please do not acknowledge receipt." One pound with 12 pairs of stockings is "in loving remembrance of our good mutual

friend" who knitted so much in her lifetime for our children; 8s. 6d., proceeds of "Margaret's Red Bag"; 5s., posted in Glasgow; £5 through an Edinburgh branch of the Commercial Bank; 2s. 6d. from a donor in Sowerby Bridge, "Praying that our Heavenly Father may guide and bless in all your service for Him"; 30s. from a fellow-worker; £5 from one who used to be; a guinea in memory of a third; £2 from a Bible Class in Troon; 10s., another memorial gift for the Colony of Mercy; 2s. 6d. from Walkerburn, Peeblesshire; £1, under postmark of Inverness; 5s. from one of our grown-up family, faithful still with her frequent tokens of gratitude; 10s. from ladies in Kent; £2, a small term gift from Arbroath; and £10 from Montreal.

"In gratitude and appreciation of the ready and unquestioning home given to little Alex." there has come to hand a cheque for £13 10s., which the members of a girls' club have contrived to raise on his behalf. Another friend interested in a delicate family admitted to the Homes some time ago says, "In sending you my contribution I have in mind the children you kindly took under your care, and I take pleasure, for this time, in sending you £50." Twenty-four shillings is the amount of a special collection on a recent Sunday at a Dumbarton children's service, whose workers' interest had been stimulated by a visit to the Homes in September. After having told something of our Thanksgiving Day at a meeting in Strathaven, half-a-crown was handed to the speaker by someone on leaving the hall with the request that it be forwarded to us "for the sake of the children."

"I do enjoy reading your annual report" is the remark accompanying £2 from Moffat; whilst with our old friends, Alice, Willie, and Jessie's long continued fortnightly gift is the emphasised exhortation and exclamation, "Yes, oh yes, 'Rejoice with them that do rejoice.'" Two pounds is the gift of a Paisley friend, who wishes us to have share of a small legacy just received; and our Honorary Treasurer has intimated receipt of twelve legacies amounting to £1909 15s. 9d. during the current month. Three pounds each for the Homes and the Colony of Mercy has come anonymously from Berwickshire; £2 from Stromness; £5 from a worker in our own village; £1 from a valiant soldier of the Cross, whose days of active warfare are past; £45 from a Glasgow business man; £20, "a mite" from a friend in Thurso; £1 from an Orkney minister; a guinea from Natal; and 10s. from Kelty, with II. Cor., 8-9:—"For ye know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that, though He was rich, yet for your sakes He became poor, that ye through His poverty might be rich." We have abundant experience of this Grace of Him, who has enriched us with blessings temporal and spiritual.

Saturday evening, the first of the month, was given over to old-time Hallowe'en festivities, which have not yet lost charm for our young folks. In ideal weather conditions on the following Monday, a school holiday, they had their beautiful lantern procession, ever a delight both to participants and to onlookers, to whom it seems like a picture from Fairyland. "Poppy Day" on the fifteenth afforded the community an opportunity for practical patriotism. Ten days later, by the kindness of a friend and the courtesy of the Marconi Company's representative, a marvellous radio demonstration was

given by means of the Marconiphone, which with three great amplifiers was audible in every part of the village. In the midst of the programme a special greeting was broadcast to our children from the Glasgow station. Unfortunately this was misinterpreted by some listeners-in as an appeal for funds instead of being merely a kindly personal touch on the part of the announcer to please the bairns.

The fifty-third annual meeting of the Orphan Homes, held in Glasgow on 28th inst., was as well attended and as full of inspiration and interest as usual. To find such a large gathering of friends and co-workers is always a great encouragement to us. Those unable to be present may be glad to read the following press notice:—

The fifty-third annual meeting in connection with the Orphan Homes of Scotland, Bridge of Weir, and its associate institutions, took place in the Christian Institute, Glasgow, yesterday afternoon. Mr. DAVID PERRY presided, and there was a large attendance of those interested in the Homes. During the proceedings a musical programme was carried through by a choir of children.

The CHAIRMAN said that one of the secrets of the success of the Homes lay in the perfect organisation, and in the fact that the founder of the Homes, Mr. William Quarrier, had recognised a great principle—the individuality of the child. He (the speaker) believed that there were no two children born into the world absolutely alike. Each was different in some way, apart from the purely physical difference. There was a stamp of individuality in character, in temperament, and in mentality. And this idea of individuality was put into the scheme—to the very heart of the scheme, he might say—by Mr. Quarrier. It was like a golden thread woven through the fabric. The study of individuality did not cease when the child reached an age to leave the Bridge of Weir. Each was studied regarding his or her future career—the boy's suitability for farm work in Winnipeg, the girl's aptitude for service and what her hopes would be in Ontario. Thus was success assured.

Pastor FINDLAY submitted the financial and secretarial statements. In connection with the Orphan Homes, said Mr. Findlay, there was a balance on the credit side of £64,414 17s., which included £63,448 8s. brought forward from the previous year. The Sanatorium accounts showed a credit balance of £15,307; those of the Colony of Mercy for Epileptics a credit balance of £8404 15s.; and a credit balance of £314 4s. 9d. in connection with the Home and Foreign Missions Fund. These figures, said Mr. Findlay, were a veritable romance of finance. It was an amazing statement, and a great delight to anyone who was privileged to have anything to do with the institutions.

The Right Rev. Dr. INCH, Moderator of the General Assembly of the United Free Church, spoke of the pleasure which a visit to the Homes always afforded him. There was one thing which always impressed him, the spirit of love which one always found at the Bridge of Weir. Everyone looked happy, and there was a benediction in the Homes which breathed of the spirit of love. There were no "slackers" there; everyone was a worker. He did not know the founder personally, but the story of his work made great reading, and he knew that that work was being superbly carried on by those who were now engaged in looking after the welfare of the children.

On the afternoon following the annual meeting we laid to rest another of our old workers, Mrs. William Hutchison, at the ripe age of 85 years. After some years of retirement following upon a long term of honorary service as "mother" of a boy's home, she has gone first to her reward, leaving behind her aged husband and fellow-labourer in the work, pathetic in his loneliness but assured of sympathy from every member of the community. "How many years have passed," writes a friend in Biggar, "since your father and my father met and talked about the children. Nearly all our old friends have passed over to the other side." Not many of that generation remain on this side of the

River. The old friends are gathering home now very fast, but our Great Friend remains and fills the vacant places in His own wonderful way. He knoweth best and doeth all things well.

DECEMBER, 1924.—During this busy season it has been very cheering to hear that the recently published "Narrative" has been so greatly



A CANADIAN GIRL GRADUATE.

blessed and appreciated by many widely-scattered friends, both rich and poor. The day following receipt of it, one in Coatbridge writes, "It makes one's heart rejoice to read it"; another from Sussex, "Your report has caused me deep joy in reading of our Father's care of your Homes"; a lady in Crieff, "Your experiences and example help many to thank God and take courage"; another in Worcester, "Your word has often cheered me in my own struggles"; and an old friend in Peebles, "I have read the wondrous story with the greatest pleasure and profit. It is an inspiration and makes one's faith stronger in the abiding goodness of God." Most unexpected of all a letter from a great city warehouse reads, "We have been interested in the 'Narrative of Facts' contained in the booklet which has been sent to us. It gives

us great pleasure to enclose cheque for £5. It would be our great pleasure to continue this donation annually." Not unto us but unto God be the glory, who has given such a wonderful story to tell. One hundred pounds from Ayrshire is "in memory of beloved and loving sisters who have passed within the veil this year." One of these dear ladies, who have long been generous supporters of the work, was 89, and the other 87 years of age. Another old friend, "now over 84 years of age and wearying for the call Home," has sent £4, "part of the Lord's tenth." We were deeply touched by the letter enclosing a very large and unexpected gift from two Glasgow friends, one of whom writes, "My husband left a portion of his estate to be paid in legacies, but owing to his distressing illness only part of this was allocated and the remainder fell to me. I am trying, however, to do what I know were his wishes, and have therefore very great pleasure in sending you the enclosed cheque for £3000 on behalf of the work in the Orphan Homes as a gift from him and me. You know how deeply interested he always was in the Homes."

Among other large sums are £50 from Crosshill; £20 from a lady in the county of Peebles; a like amount from a member of the China Inland Mission; £100 from Alexandria, with the observation which we have often had cause to repeat, "How true is God's word, 'Them that honour Me, I will honour'"; 50 guineas from Upper Norwood; £20, a thankoffering from Malvern; £100 for the Homes, with £25 each for the Sanatoria and the Colony from Hampstead; £80 for the Homes and £20 for the Sanatoria, the half-yearly donation of the friends who gave one of the boys' Homes; £100 from an old helper in Mauchline; and £50 for the Sanatoria from a Glasgow gentleman.

A blind helper in Ross-shire has sent £2 10s; one who has been contributing to the work for about 44 years and whose "interest is greater than ever," £1; someone in a lonely part of South Africa, £1; a New Zealand Sunday School, £5; another children's service in India, £3 7s. 9d.; a friend in Cairo, £1; two others in Bombay, £1; another in Pretoria, £2; one in Saskatchewan, 10 dollars; another in British Columbia, 5 dollars; a third in Alberta, £5; and one of our old girls now married and comfortably settled in the city of Montreal, other 10 dollars, hoping "to do better some day." In a letter enclosing 10s. from two girls, who left the Homes much more recently, one of them says, "It is very pleasant to look back on the past years and remember how we used to enjoy ourselves at the special treats, little thinking most of them would be at an end when we left our childhood days behind us and went out into the big world to face things for ourselves." Ten shillings from another of our grown-up family "is only a little but will help to get some child something for Christmas." One who has been left a small legacy by her master sends £1 with the remark, "faithfulness aye brings its own reward"; one of a younger generation, 6s.; one of the boys working on a farm in this country, 2s. 6d., regretting it is so small a sum but "hoping some day that it will be largely multiplied"; and one still within our gates, 4s.

Three pounds, besides a great deal of useful work for which no charge was made, belongs to the same category as the gifts mentioned in the last paragraph. Another of the old girls has forwarded 5s. for the Christmas trees from her children, who "remember you all every night in their prayers." Along with this she has enclosed other 2s. given her by a friend, "who was down on Thanksgiving and has been talking about the Homes ever since, and wishes she had more to send." A note containing 10s. from one who is filling a temporary vacancy on the staff, reads, "Please accept the enclosed. Wish it had been more, but believe me it is given with a grateful heart for all that has been done for me." Whilst yet another recent fledgling from our nest has sent 5s. to say, "I must apologise for not writing a bit sooner. You will be wondering how I am getting on. Well, I like my place very much and my master and mistress are very good to me, but I don't think anybody could be so good as you kind friends down at Bridge-of-Weir, and I have a lot to look back on."

From one who ministered in our Mount Zion on a recent Sunday we have received 10s., "in grateful acknowledgment of a great privilege and soul-challenging experience"; from the congregation of another, who has been telling them of his week-end visit to our village,

£2; from a member of the staff at the Colony of Mercy, £1; from one who used to help with the children's service at the City Home, £1; from a grateful couple, £3; from another couple of our co-workers, £1; from the mother of one of the village "mothers," £1; from one who renders priceless voluntary service, £1; from one who was compelled to relinquish her service here by the call of duty at home, 10s.; from another former fellow-worker, £1; from another in her retirement, 5s.; from one with a long record of voluntary service, £1; from two others still with us, £3; from another drawn from us by home duties, £1; from two sisters, £1 in memory of a loved one who used to be "mother" of a boys' Home; and "from an old worker whose thoughts often wander to Bridge-of-Weir and the friends there," £5. Another precious gift is a birthday memorial of one who was called from our midst to higher service in the Children's Kingdom, and who "would have wished it spent on the Christmas tree to buy a nice doll for a wee girl and a toy for a wee boy."

A friend of a small boy in the Homes contributes £1, with the remark, "John is so happy at Bridge-of-Weir"; a gentleman interested in two little brothers about whom he enquires, another like sum; a lady interested in a family recently admitted, £1 more; the aunt of two others, one of whom "writes regularly from Canada and is very well and happy," £1; the employees of a factory, where the father of five brothers used to work, a guinea, with two pounds additional to buy something for each of the boys; and a relative of one of our younger Canadian boys, 10s., saying, "It is so satisfactory to know that so many turn out so well. I had a letter from Robert last week, and he seems quite happy in his new home. Our prayer for him is he will turn out well. He is memorising Scripture and seems quite keen on it."

Five shillings is the self-denying gift of a poor aged woman dependent on parochial relief; £1, of a husband and wife in Cork; 10s. for the Missions Fund of someone in Bridge of Allan; 2s. 6d., of an anonymous friend in Crieff, "to help with the children's New Year dinner"; £10, of a lady in Keswick; 5s., of a Lerwick helper; 15s., of one in Newhaven, Sussex; £10 for emigration expenses, of a lady in Kent; £5, proceeds of an entertainment by a pack of Brownies; £2, of a donor in Avonmouth "for blessings received from the King"; 10s., of an Orkney Sunday School; other 10s., of a friend in a Stornoway manse; £5, of one who wishes therewith to give each child an orange; and £2, of an Aberdeenshire widow, "in gratitude to God for a dear husband and son who have been called home, and who were interested in your work." The following letter from a girl who left the Homes ten years ago came to hand in time for Christmas from the city of Chicago:—

Just a short note to let you know that I haven't entirely forgotten the Homes, although it is some time since you heard from me. I think of you often, and as the Christmas season draws near my thoughts are with you as I remember the happy times spent at the Homes. I am enclosing a money order for two pounds, and hope that it will help a little in the good work that you are doing. I hope everyone is well, and that you will all have a happy time this coming Christmas and New Year, and that the coming year will be more successful than any you have yet had. I am keeping well, and liking my work here. My sister and brother are well also. They are still in Canada. My sister had a baby boy in

September of this year, and he is doing fine. My brother's wife also had a baby on the first of this month, a girl, and they are both doing nicely. I am greatly interested in my church work here. We have a wonderful young people's society and a splendid minister. Some of the girls of our club are going out to sing Christmas carols to the "Shut-ins" on Christmas Eve, and I hope to be able to go with them. We have been very busy at our club meetings making aprons and Christmas stockings to send to the missions. Is Miss _____ still there? Remember me to her, also Miss _____ and all the others. With best wishes for a very happy Christmas and New Year.

For us, too, the carol singers heralded in another happy Christmas day for the young folks, all eager to be at their stockings and revelling in the extra fare and special treats their bountiful Father had provided with unstinting hand. Yet amid all their getting they are not unmindful of others less fortunate, as may be gathered from the amount of the thankoffering at the church services on the last Sunday of the year, which enabled us to send £17 1s. 4d. to the Free Breakfast Fund in Glasgow.

Almost ere we had realised it, the month, so full of extra duties and preparations, has sped by and the end of another year is upon us. In accustomed fashion its closing hour was spent with our fellow-workers and some of the older children at the Watch-Night Service in the church. Every heart in the gathering overflowed with thanksgiving to God for all the way He has led during 1924. None have more cause than we to exclaim, "My cup runneth over . . . because His compassions fail not. New every morning" have they been throughout this year, over which might well be written:—

With mercy and with judgment
My web of time He wove,
And aye the dews of sorrow
Were lust'red by His love;
I'll bless the hand that guided,
I'll bless the heart that planned,
When throned where glory dwelleth
In Immanuel's land.

After a brief survey of our numberless blessings and an exhortation to more whole-hearted dedication we went forth to begin another year's work with the Master's own words ringing in our ears, "Behold, I stand at the door and knock—Without Me ye can do nothing."

Each day, each week, each month, each year is a new chance given you by God. A new chance, a new leaf, a new life—this is the golden, the unspeakable gift which each new day offers you.

JANUARY, 1925.—No pen is adequate to a description of our village on the first of January. It would be much more satisfactory for our friends to see and hear for themselves the absolute abandon of the children in the full enjoyment of all this day affords. It takes more than a wet and stormy day to damp their ardour, and no one ever becomes blasé here. The short forenoon seemed all too long an interval between the morning feast of tea with ham and egg and the turkey dinner preceding the great event of the day, which they have been anticipating for many weeks.

When the clock has struck the hour of two, the constantly increasing hum of the great congregation, filling every corner of the church, is

momentarily hushed ere all give vent to their pent-up feelings in singing the doxology, which is followed by a brief prayer of thanksgiving. Half-an-hour suffices to strip the three great trees of every



SANTA AND THE BRIDE DOLLS.

sort of present, useful, ornamental, entertaining, or instructive, and the marvel of it is, when all is over, not one is without a gift, though there are no fewer than twelve hundred of them.

The evening gathering is a real "home night" when the children's choir and cinematograph provide the programme, and the day closes around the family altar. Worshipping with us to-night in spirit are the invisible host of our greater family, scattered the world o'er, but transported in thought to join this annual family re-union and receive

the blessing, which we pray our Heavenly Father will bestow according to His knowledge of their needs. No greeting was more welcome than the following letter, which the New Year's mail brought from the wife of one of our old "James Arthur" sailor boys:—

Thank you so much for your calendar and motto card which you kindly sent. My husband has been in China a year, and will most likely not be home before 1926. He was very well when I last heard from him. I am sure you will be pleased to hear that he was promoted to captain three months ago, so I assure you I feel very proud of him. He is the youngest captain in his firm. I know you are always pleased to hear of the success of one of your old boys. You will also be pleased to hear we have got a dear little baby girl, whom her daddy has never seen. She is just seven months old. Baby is a great comfort to me now Willie is away. Will you please accept the enclosed pound note as a little token of my great appreciation for your past kindnesses to my husband. Wishing you and the Homes much happiness and prosperity during the coming year.

Many of our boys and girls are mindful with tokens of gratitude at this season. Two girls in domestic service in this country have contributed 10s. each; a third 5s. for the Home and Foreign Missions Fund; the mistress of a fourth, who was with us for New Year's Day, £1; one of the boys, 4s. 6d.; other two girls respectively, 7s. and £2 10s.; a friend who adopted a boy and a girl, both of whom he reports to be doing well, £15; a girl in Edinburgh, 10s.; two more, 10s. each; and the aunt of a boy, who was sent to Canada in the spring, £5, "a token of remembrance for past kindness in regard to my nephew, who as far as we can gather from his letters seems to be getting on all right."

The sender of a Sunday School contribution, referring to one of our shoemaker boys, says he "is still employed with the writer and joined the church two years ago. Though not a regular attender he is a well-behaved lad." In reply to the "New Year's Letter to our Children at Home and Abroad," a girl in Dundee has written, "The boys and girls at the Homes will be having a fine time just now, I know, seeing they are on holiday and have just received their new toys and other things. I often wondered when I was in the Homes where all the things came from, but I wonder more now, when I look at some of the poor bairns here. I am enclosing a small gift, my grateful thanks for all that was done for me by you."

To help with the current expenses, which are always very heavy in January, there has come to hand 5s. from a member of a junior Bible Class in Shettleston; 10s. for the Colony of Mercy from Irvine; £1, "in memory of a sister who took a great interest in your work"; 7s. 3d., anonymously under postmark of Alva; 10s., "enclosed with great difficulty as business compels retrenchments"; 30s. from two missionary friends in County Antrim; £100 from an old and generous helper in Kilmarnock; £3, "of Thine own"; 12s. 6d. from Orkney; £10 from the donor of a girls' Home; 5s. "from an out-of-work"; £1 from Islay; £12 towards support of a girl in the "James Wilson" Home, from a husband and wife in memory of their daughter; 10s. from a lady missionary at home in search of health after a long term of splendid service in China; 5s. from Shetland; 10s. from one in Lossiemouth who is "pretty much dependent on old-age pension"; twenty guineas, being proceeds of an entertainment in Iraq; 7s. 6d. for the Sanatoria as "a thankoffering for our baby"; 10s., "in memory of our wee girl who went home"; 7s. from Aberdeen, "in memory of my dear little boy"; 5s. from Dublin county; and £1 from an old friend in Paisley, who tells us, "It is now 51 years since I first got to know of the work, being converted during 'Fiddler Joss's' meetings in the Dovehill."

The following letters from our overseas mail are sure to be of interest. The first comes from a girl who sailed for Canada about 30 years ago, and the second from one of the 1920 boys' party.

I am both very sorry and ashamed to think I have not been a faithful writer to you. Many and many a time you all are in my mind. I thought I had let so much time go by not writing, it was hardly worth while to start. A few years ago I paid a visit to the Brockville Home with my sister. We had a grand visit with Mr. Winters, and he told us all about the work, and how God was still blessing and helping it on. I had the honour, when coming to this country, of sailing with Mr. Quarrier. We children counted that something great, because he did not sail every year with the children. I was about ten years old. We enjoyed our trip so much. Well, I have often thought of the kindness and the good times you folks gave us orphans. As we have grown older and met with cares of life we appreciate the good times, privileges of education, and, best of all, the Christian influence you all had upon us. Truly, God will reward. I have a good home, kind friends, and I have Jesus with me. My aim is to serve him better each day I live. We now have in our church special meetings. Some are being converted and being filled with His Holy Spirit. We are living in a wonderful country of plenty. I am living on a farm near a beautiful lake. Campers from New York have their cottages here. I am very sorry I have not sent some of my earnings to help in the work. I was hurt when a child, and I have not been able to earn large wages like some, but I have a little. Please accept this dollar. It is very little, but hope to remember you all in your good

work in the future. We two sisters have had many ups and downs, but still we feel like giving God all the praise for His kindness to us. Wishing you and all the rest engaged in the good work a merry Christmas and a happy New Year.

Here comes that annual letter of mine once again. I suppose I should write oftener, but a farm is such a busy place one doesn't seem to have much time left to write. Well, it's nearing Christmas again, and I suppose things are humming in the old village busy with preparations for this holiday season. I can well imagine what will be going on, and wish I was there to help with the consumption of the Christmas pudding, not but what we have lots of it here, but somehow the Homes' has its own special flavour. As you'll notice by my new address, I've made a change since last writing. I was in the last place since I came out four and a half years ago, and decided that it was time I made a change, not but what I liked my place, but I thought I'd learn more by moving to another farm. The farm is a little over a mile from Fairknowe, so I'll be near a lot of the old boys and girls. Since moving I've not got settled at church. Out in the country here it's hard to get there, but I try at least once a day to get to the House of God. I tell you when one gets out in the world, with its many trials, it's a hard tussle sometimes to keep straight. I had a letter from the Christian Association, and was glad to see it was going stronger than ever. May God continue to prosper it. I had the great joy of hearing my sister has given her life to Jesus. That means that our whole family now are trusting Him and trying to walk as He would have us. I am sending three dollars this year as a little thankoffering for all He has done for us. I would like to wish you all a real merry Christmas, and may the New Year hold of God's richest blessing towards you.

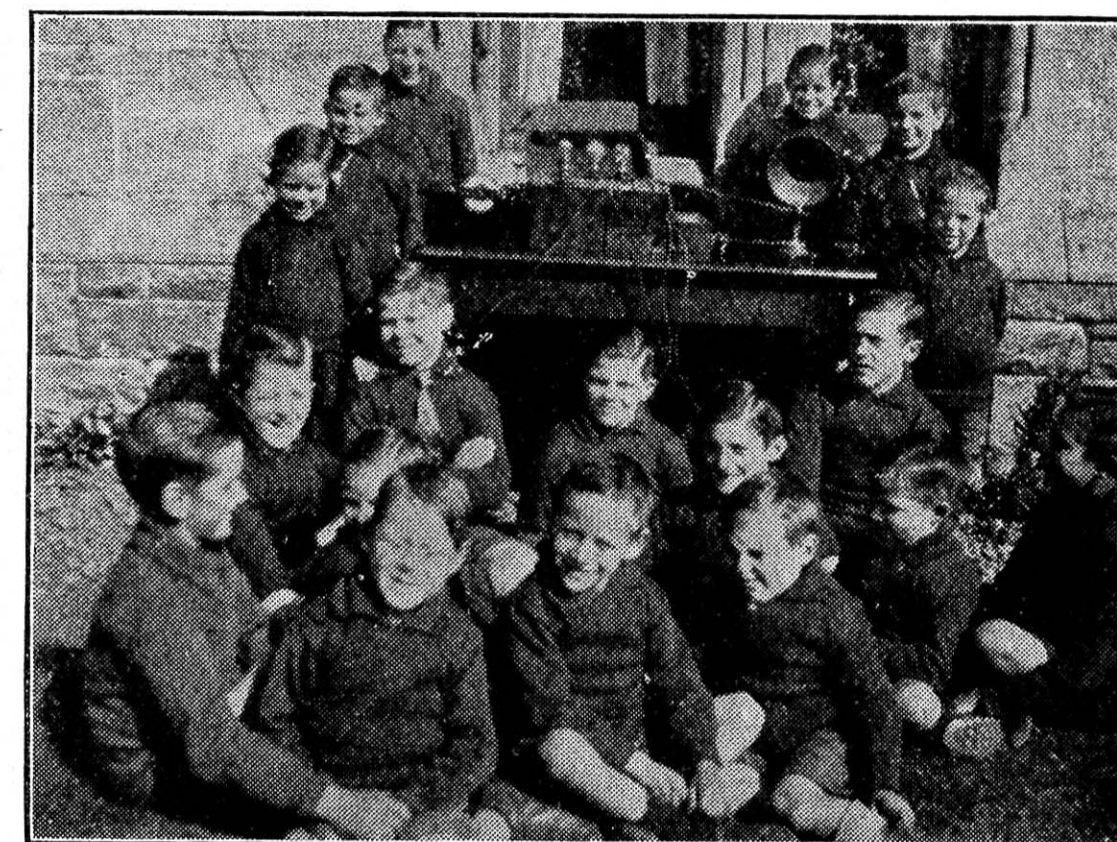
Among other gifts from abroad are 10 dollars from Hamilton, Ontario; £125 from a women's organisation in Hong Kong; 15 dollars from some new helper in Quebec, who asks for our correct address; £1 from a missionary in Nigeria; £2 from Sao Paulo, Brazil; £30 from a frequent and generous donor in Takoma, U.S.A.; and three guineas from Las Palmas. One hundred pounds, the annual donation of a very old friend, has reached us through the Charity Organisation Society; £1000 from the family of another, who during his last illness enjoined them to be mindful of the children's needs; and £20 anonymously under the Prestwick postmark, "to help in your good work from one whom God has helped to get stronger."

Two hundred pounds in bank notes has been received from an old friend, who had intended to leave this sum as a legacy but has decided to make a gift of it during her lifetime. She says, "My husband and I many years ago used to talk over how he would like to settle his affairs. He always favoured the Orphan Homes founded by your father. For years we had subscribed regularly in a small way. Now that I am left alone I feel my weakness and one never knows what may happen. So think it best to send you the enclosed now with my best wishes." Two other old friends who have long been contributors to the work ask us to "accept our annual mite, £4," saying, "God has been manifestly good to us in the year just closed, and has enabled us to celebrate our golden wedding. All our children, eight in number, and also all our grandchildren, eight in number, were there." Fifteen pounds for the general fund together with £5 for the Colony of Mercy is the gift of a lady, who "began to send small sums to your father's Orphan Homes when I was quite young. Now I am passed middle age and am thankful to have been spared in good health and still able to send you something each year."

The community's annual thankoffering to God for the priceless

blessing of health is usually made on the first Sunday of the year. On this occasion the congregation, comprising children and workers, and friends, rejoiced to send £18 18s. 2d. to assist in the good work of the Glasgow hospitals, always so needy and deserving of support. For the young folks the red-letter days this month were, of course, the school holidays, when the senior boys and girls were again able to spend a happy day in the city, shopping, window-gazing, sight-seeing, and enjoying this extra treat to the full during the Christmas and New Year season.

FEBRUARY, 1925.—The first of February is always a never-to-be-forgotten one for the tiny tots for whom it may be their first day at school. For others it marks the end of their school life, and in general it is time for reorganisation among the seniors, who graduate from house-helps at home to some sort of outside occupation in laundry or workroom, stores, garden, or workshop. This also is the season when the first lists of candidates for emigration are made up. By the time the young people have begun to settle into their new niches, for us older



LISTENING-IN AT THE ASHGROVE HOME.

folks another day of remembrance is upon us, as on the tenth of this month we recall with thanksgiving the laying of the first stone in this children's city "which hath foundations, whose builder and maker is God." What a vista of God's never-failing goodness and mercy is ours as we look back through the forty-eight years since the Broadfield Home was begun. Someone has said and truly that, "Faith begins in an experiment and ends in an experience," but the end we believe is not yet, for "eye hath not seen, nor ear heard, neither have entered into the heart of man, the things which God hath prepared for them that love Him." As the poet Whittier has expressed it, we confidently leave the future with our loving Heavenly Father.

And for the things I see
I trust the things to be.

Sending ten dollars from Vancouver, two friends write, "We are rejoicing with you over the wonderful provision our Father has made for you during another year's work. It is always an inspiration to read the Report, and we 'pass it on' to encourage others' faith." From another continent there comes this fellowship in thanksgiving from a dear old friend and former fellow-worker in Natal—"Praise the Lord for the Report. It is full of His goodness." From Asia also comes the

same note of praise, with a gift of £2 from two missionaries in China. Distant New Zealand, too, adds its word of rejoicing, as also one of our old boys in Ontario, whose letter reads thus:—

No doubt you think I have forgotten you and the Homes, but such is not the case—just a matter of putting off till to-morrow what should have been done to-day. I received the year-book, and it makes my heart glad to look at the list of donations and see how bountifully the Lord has supplied the needs of the Homes. I often remark to others when I hear ministers begging from the pulpit for money if they only had the faith that your father had they would not need to be begging continually. The past year the Lord has been good to us. We all have had good health and our daily needs supplied by our Heavenly Father. Our youngest daughter got married in September, and is now settled in her own home. Our baby boy of sixteen years has started out in the world for himself, so my wife and self are now just where we started twenty-seven years ago this March, just our two selves to play hide and seek in a house big enough for ten. I trust this finds yourself and family in good health. I am now enclosing with my token a wish for a happy and prosperous year for each and all at the Orphan Homes.

From a farm on the outskirts of the city of Ottawa another of our boys, but of a much more recent generation, has sent five dollars; a friend in Wishaw, inquiring about another Canadian boy, £10 for the Homes with £3 for the Sanatoria, and £2 for the Colony of Mercy; one of the old girls, 5s.; a fellow-worker, £4, of which one pound is earmarked for emigration expenses and two pounds for missions; and one of two orphan sisters recently handed over to a very grateful elder brother now able to have the oversight of them, 10s. She says, "I like my place, and I try to do my best to please. I go out with my sister on my day off, and on Sunday we go to the church. I often think of the Homes and of the many happy days that I spent there. I hope to come down to the Homes this summer if the Lord spares me."

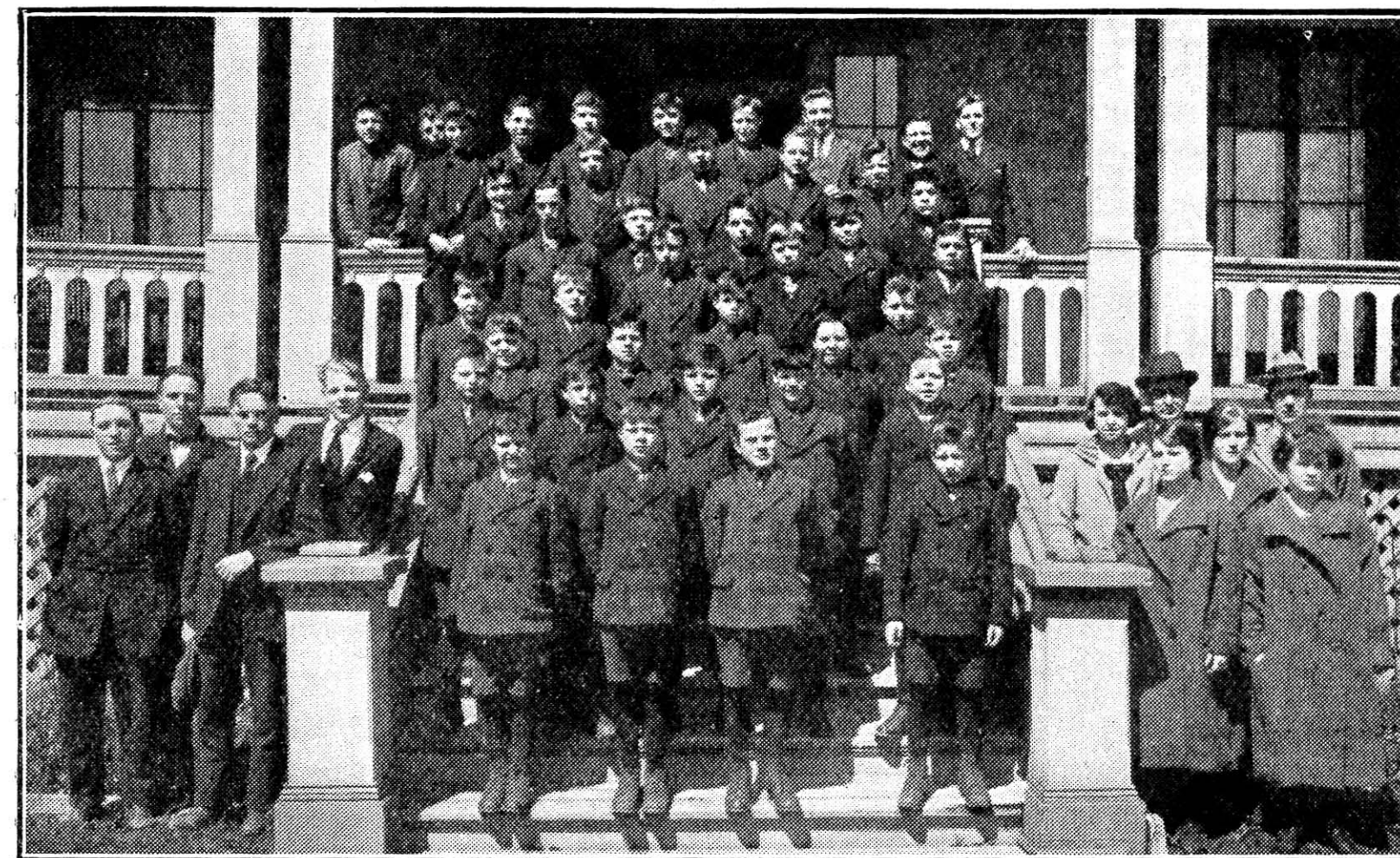
Ten shillings has been given by "a working man" in Broughty Ferry; 20s. by a minister in Blackpool, who assures us "your good work is daily remembered at the Throne of Grace"; 10s. by "a friend who has only lately known of your wonderful Homes"; a guinea by a Sunday School in Coldstream; 30s. by another in Tain; 17s. by a third in Orkney; £3 for the Colony of Mercy by a nurse in California; £10 by a friend in Hong Kong, sorry he had missed sending something last year; three guineas by the treasurer of the Sunday evening service at the City Home, which is proving such a great blessing in the district; £25 each by two ladies, one in Aberdeenshire, and the other in Liverpool; £25, "another birthday thankoffering, a little belated," by a friend in Lanarkshire; and £20 by two helpers in Nottingham, who "have long been interested in the work done by the Homes, and wish to show our sympathy by sending this gift out of some money we have set apart for giving away at this time."

A Forfarshire friend sending £2 from her three children tells of the death of her mother, "who had always sent some little donation for your children as far back as I can remember." Another mother, who has been showing hospitality to one of our own South American missionaries, enclosing 10s. in memory of her little boy, thanks God for "sparing our little girl to grow up," and "hopes to bring her down one day to see the Orphan Homes and so create in her an interest in all your wonderful work." Thus another generation is being raised up to fill the places vacated by many dear friends of the early days, whose day of service here is done.

Just as the month is closing we have again been called upon to mourn the loss of an old worker in the person of Mr. William Hutchison, exactly three months after his dear wife had gone "home," leaving him very lonely indeed. In their going not long divided how happy will their meeting be in yon summer land of love, where the eye is never dim.

MARCH, 1925.—Lovingly we commend our helpers, who like ourselves have been in the house of mourning, to Him who was anointed "to bind up the broken-hearted, to give the oil of joy for mourning."

"My times are in Thy hand;
Why should I doubt or fear?
My Father's hand will never cause
His child a needless tear."



1925 BOYS' CANADIAN PARTY.

Four pounds from Milngavie is "in memory of a dear husband"; 30s. from a Bible Class near Glasgow, the sender of whose contribution tells of the home-call of her father, who was keenly interested in the work of the Homes; 10 dollars from another lady in Saskatoon, Canada, who has also just lost her father; 10s. from Jedburgh, "a small thank-offering to God for His goodness to my dear old mother of 84, who fell asleep a fortnight ago"; and £10 from Essex, "as a note of thanksgiving to Almighty God, in that He gave me a good wife, permitted her to stay with me 43 years and has now taken her to Himself."

Our hearts have indeed been gladdened by a letter from one of our girls, who has had much to fight against. She says, "I had to write at once and tell you the great news. I have given myself to the Saviour to-night, and I feel that I want everybody to know. Your letter set me thinking, and I feel sure this is the answer to your prayers on my behalf. I think a lot about you all at Bridge-of-Weir. Many thanks for your kind letter and for all your kindness." From two others we have received respectively 3s. and 5s.; from one of the boys who is bearing a splendid Christian testimony by his exemplary life and con-

duct, £2; from the secretary of a miners' union £5, as "I understand that two of our members have children in your home, so this is to assist a little"; and from the grateful aunt of a family of whom some have been sent to Canada already, £15 towards the cost of the youngest boy's emigration, who, she says, "is looking forward to going abroad so much." She adds regarding his sister, "She is so happy and well cared for in the Home, that I feel so grateful for all your kindness. You have been father and mother to these children and have given them such a good home."

Among other gifts to hand this month £5 has been sent anonymously from London; £20, also anonymously, "with best wishes from a friend" in Kilmarnock; 5s. in the same way in an envelope bearing postmark of Cape Town; 10s. by a minister in the same place; £3 by two friends who heard him tell about our work in the church they attend; a like sum by another helper in South Africa; 10s. by an Alloa well-wisher; 5s. by a Cardiff minister; £10 by two old friends, whose father was associated with ours from the very beginning of the work; £2 by a lady in New Zealand; 10s. for the Missions Fund by one who says, "For the Lord has inclined me to send it"; £2 by a donor in Belfast; 5 guineas by one in Boston, Mass., with the prayer, "May God bless all the little ones under your care and also those who serve them"; 5s. by an Aberdeen friend who is "sorry I have not been able to send you anything for the orphans under your care for a while," and explains that "it has not been for want of will, but I don't forget about your work and labour of love in my prayers"; and 5s. by a retired nurse in Edinburgh, who has "just finished reading an account of your dear, noble father's life," and says, "I once met and talked with your father nearly 40 years ago—that is a cherished memory."

Twenty-two pounds has been allocated to the general fund from collections taken on board a line of transatlantic steamers; a guinea from a Cambuslang Sunday School, with the interesting information that "when voting on where to send their collections the Orphan Homes always tops the list"; and 15s. from another in Motherwell, where "despite bad times we have been able to increase our donation of last year by fifty per cent."

A cheque for ten pounds is to pay for a special treat which a friend ordered for the children one day last month, when everyone had an apple tart for tea, and the boys of the Home which was his gift had a pie for dinner as well. Another old friend in Wellington, New Zealand, has passed on £2 10s. with the familiar words of which we are so fond:—

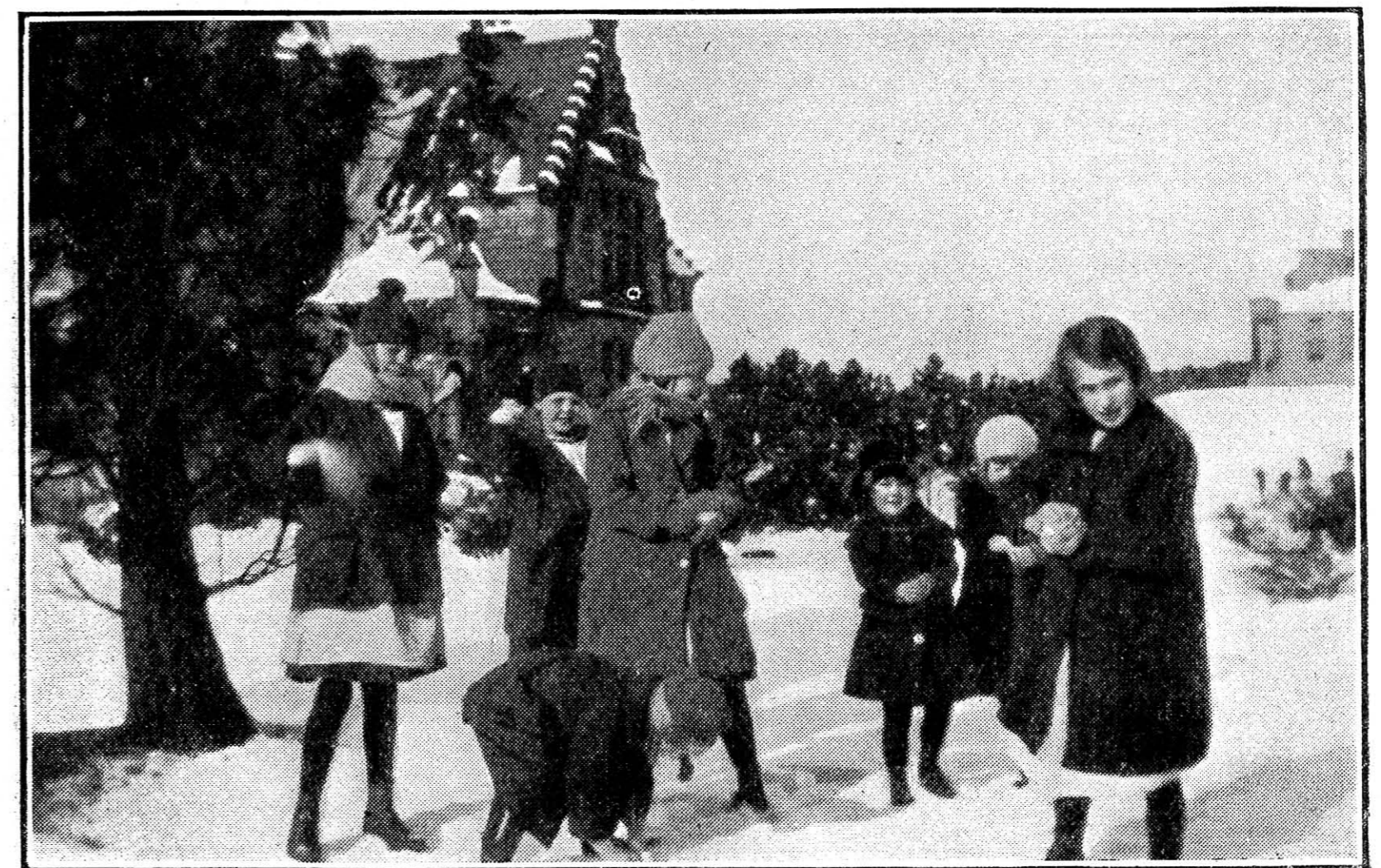
"We may trust Him fully
All for us to do;
They who trust Him wholly
Find Him wholly true."

and bears testimony, "I have proved the above for 58 years, since as a poor fatherless boy I was brought to know my Heavenly Father's love in Airdrie."

During the whole of this month the spirit of migration has permeated the community, which has been tense with excitement on account of the outgoing Canadian party. Since the official inspection by the Canadian Government's emigration agent on 16th inst. things have taken their

final shape, and there has been a hustling time with outfitting and packing and preparations of every sort for the projected exodus.

On the last Wednesday of the month the church was the scene of another valedictory service, which will live long in the memories of those to whom we were bidding God speed. Two days later, on the morning of 27th inst., the whole village was out to give them a hearty send-off as they set out for Bridge-of-Weir Station *en route* to join the Anchor-Donaldson liner *Athenia* at Yorkhill wharf. The trip down the river with them gave ample opportunity to inspect their reserved accommodation, which seems to grow better every year. By a quarter to four o'clock the great ship was abeam of Gourock, and it was time for us to take leave of the forty-one lads who comprise the 1925 Canadian party. The unavoidable sadness of farewell is brightened by the hope



A SNOW-FIGHT ON 1ST APRIL.

of a better prospect for the boys in the great land of opportunities to which they are going. Having brought them up in the fear of the Lord, we may confidently leave them in His care, expecting not necessarily greatness but good citizenship as becomes true Christian gentleman in the country of their adoption. One of our helpers, Mr. H. A. Prendergast, who has spent a great deal of time in outfitting and packing for many Canadian parties, has gone as conductor of this small contingent, and our superintendent convoyed them as far as Moville, which was reached after they were all snugly in bed and asleep a little before midnight. Guarded by many prayers, may each be guided to the place his Heavenly Father has prepared for him.

The various winter entertainments and activities came to an end with a very happy social gathering of the Girls' Guild on the last evening of this month.

APRIL, 1925.—A cable message that the *Athenia* had reached Halifax on the evening of 3rd inst., and that the party had arrived at their destination two days later, gave us fresh cause for thanksgiving. Among recent letters from Canada is the following from one of two sisters emigrated some years ago—

I received your ever-welcome New Year's letter. I always look forward to it. It always carries me back to the happy days I spent in the dear old Homes, and I am never ashamed to tell people about them. I have also shown the life of Mr. Quarrier to many people, and, after reading it, they have praised your good work. May God continue to bless you all, and give you strength to carry on. Well, friends, I must tell you a little about my own life. To begin with, I am happily married to an honest, hard-working, sober, clean-living man. We have a family of five sons and a darling baby girl three months old. We lost a little boy. He was very delicate, and only lived five weeks. The others are all very healthy. My sister was married two years ago, and is happy. I suppose there are a lot of changes since I left in 1911. I have not seen any



GIRLS OF ABERDEEN AND LEVEN HOMES ON HOLIDAY.

of the old girls since 1921. We are not farmers, but we live on a four-acre garden plot. We keep two horses, two cows, hens, and calves. My husband is thinking of purchasing a farm next fall. It won't be many years till our oldest boys will be able to help, and in another year we will have four cows and this place will be too small. How are Mr. and Mrs. Findlay? I saw them a few years ago in Ottawa. I have not written Mrs. Winters for some time, but really, with a family, and fowls, and gardening I certainly have a lot to do.

We are humbly grateful to God that the experience and testimony of the work here has been helpful to another of His servants in far away Africa. In a letter, enclosing a cheque for £2 towards the general fund, a missionary in Tanganyika Territory recalls his week-end visit to our village some years ago as "a fragrant memory" and says, "When, as is often the case in mission work, one has a call to go forward without anything so to speak but a call, yet a clear call that must be obeyed, I often think of you all and it helps me to go forward." Glad news has also come from a helper in the homeland who writes, "I have at last after long seeking found the Saviour. So it is a privilege

to do something for Him now. Please pray so I may be kept now free from sin and doubts and fears." One of our own girls in service in the city has given us further cause for rejoicing in telling that she sat down for the first time at the Lord's table on the closing Sunday of the year, and further that another of our girls joined the church on the same occasion.

To help supply the needs of our big family during April a Sunday School in Dornoch has contributed £1; another in Lockerbie, 10s.; a helper in Walkerburn, £1, "in memory of our dear mother"; an aged friend in Aberlour whose gifts to good works are small but very numerous, 3s.; a lady in County Donegal, a cheque for £500; two servants in Edinburgh, £2; a Peeblesshire farmer, after reading Mr. Quarrier's life, £2; one of the old girls, 5s.; another, 3s.; friends in Winnipeg, 3 dollars; a Sunday School in Brisbane, Australia, £3; a couple in Philadelphia, 5 dollars; "Thankful Jim," Edinburgh, £1; "a grateful patient," a guinea for the Sanatoria; an anonymous donor in Scone, Perthshire, £1; a lady in Stornoway, 5s.; members of a sewing meeting, £15 5s.; someone in Victoria, British Columbia, 10 dollars; a Glasgow warehouseman, £3, "as you will soon be sending some of the children for holidays and will want extra money"; an Elgin family, £25 towards the maintenance of a little girl in the Glasgow Home, this being the third in whom they have taken such a practical interest during nearly thirty years; and the congregation of that splendid old Scotsman and Christian soldier, Pastor John Currie, who recently laid down his armour in the city of Montreal, 20 dollars.

Another aged saint, sending £2 in money and lamenting her inability to make up a parcel of clothing for the children this year, says, "I am daily waiting the Lord's coming or His call for me." From the daughter of another servant of the Lord, who has gone to his reward, we have received £2 5s., collected at cottage meetings "from this small hamlet of twelve houses just at the foot of the Pentland Hills"; from a friend in Ross-shire, £1, "a thankoffering to God for health and strength for my work"; per the honorary treasurer, £36 17s. 6d., being the amount of a legacy to the Sanatoria; from one of our old girls, 2s. 6d.; and from another of them, 15s., "a small memento for what has been done for me and you are still doing for my brother, who is growing a fine, big, healthy boy." Yet another writes, "What a wonderful store of happy memories we bring away with us from the Homes, and how thankful we ought to be for such." The following letter of appreciation has come to hand from the sister of two girls, who were sent to join her some time ago in New South Wales:—

Just a little note to thank you for all you have done for the girls. They arrived all safe, and, as far as I can see, had a nice trip. I was glad to see them here, as there is a big seamen's strike on, and I was afraid they might get held up at some of the ports, but God is good and brought them safely those many miles. I have just set the pair of them down to write to you. This is the first mail that has gone out direct since they landed, otherwise I should have made them write sooner. We were telling them that they had a lot to thank the Homes for, and really they have lots of things with them that I did not have when I first started out in the world to make my living on my own. I must thank you and all others in the Homes for your kindness to them, and it won't be my fault if they ever forget any of you. I am not settled what I will get them

into yet. I will let you know when I place them. They are both inclined to be easily offended when spoken to, but I have made them understand that they will have to be corrected, and it is better for me to do it than a stranger. They are just at the age that they think they know everything and can't be taught. I think the book they brought of the life and work of Mr. Quarrier is beautiful. We have all read and enjoyed it, to think how the Homes were begun and the progress that has been made. I am sorry I am not in a position to help the cause meantime, but I will do so in the near future (*D.V.*), and will see that the girls do likewise. Thanking you one and all once again for your kindness to my sisters, and with all good wishes for the welfare of the Homes.

MAY, 1925.—Among the first donations to hand this month is one of £7 from a Banffshire church work party. Then from a Fife branch of the Y.W.C.A. there has come £7 12s., proceeds of a sale, with the promise of some clothing to follow; from a branch of the B.W.T.A. in the east end of Glasgow, 10s.; and a large quantity of useful garments from various organisations all over the country, who at this time of year are in the habit of distributing the fruit of their winter's work. Scarcely anything comes amiss in such a large and varied family as ours, although it may sometimes be necessary to cut or alter things, as we like our young folks to be smartly and suitably dressed, and they are as fond as others of "being in the fashion." The matron is always glad to advise friends as to the most useful size, style, and sort of garment to be made up, so that their labours of love may be of the greatest help and saving to our funds and staff.

A friend in London has forwarded a cheque for £53 4s., "being proceeds of some money left by a near relative of mine who died recently and who particularly requested that no name was to be given, only to say 'from a friend who gave in small sums from time to time.'" Of larger sums £20 has come from Kirkcaldy; £45 for the Homes with £25 for the Sanatoria, and £15 for the Colony of Mercy from a younger son of one who was deeply interested in and generously supported the work from its early days; £150, the half-yearly donation towards the maintenance of the Home for invalid girls, from a friend at present in Spain, who thus conscientiously and sympathetically carries out his father's behest; and £50 from a Glasgow couple who have taken a great personal interest in a family of motherless bairns recently admitted to the Homes. Not a whit less appreciated than these large amounts is the self-sacrificing gift of six shillings from Stranraer, whose sender writes, "I enclose postal order for 6s. to help with the work of orphan girls, specially. The money has been given me by a servant girl who has no home. She was brought up in the poorhouse, and is still helped by the matron about getting her clothes, etc. She has given me the money at intervals of months, when she came to town." It may be the Master has said of this gift, too, "she hath cast in more than they all."

One of our own girls near Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan, has sent 10 dollars; another in Edinburgh, after a recent visit, 10s., with 10s. more from her girl friend; one in Kilmarnock, £1; and a lad in Brockville, 15 dollars, with a card which reads, "Just a small token of gratitude at Easter time. I sometimes have felt ashamed for not giving a donation to help the work at Bridge-of-Weir. However, I am in a better position now and can do more. Lord and Lady Maclay are at Fairknowe just now, and I am going down to see them and will

give Lord Maclay this to take to you." In a letter from a girl, who has only just got settled in her first situation in this country, are two suggestive sentences, "The church here is quite different from ours. You see I still call it ours though I'm away." The following extract is from one of the boys who went to Canada with the last party:—

I guess you already know that we have all settled down comfortably in Canada. I am on the farm my brother Charlie worked on, and he stayed the first week-end with me, before moving away to a farm twelve miles off. I feel quite at home now, and am quite comfortable as regards health and food, to say nothing of raiment. Many thanks, Miss Quarrier, for such a beginning. You may be sure I cannot forget the Orphan Homes of Scotland, where I spent eight



WOMEN'S SERVICE EXCURSION AT LOCHGOILHEAD.

years, more than half my life. Thanks also for the schooling you gave me. I intend to go further afield and make a decent, respectable living for myself. I hope all of you at Homelea are in good health, especially Mrs. Burges. You can expect a note from me again sometime during the summer.

From a friend who wishes to be anonymous we have received £8 "towards the upkeep of a boy or girl in your Homes"; from "George's sisters" towards their orphan, £5; from several Scotch helpers in Demerara, £13 10s.; from a Christian worker in Cairo, £1, because the Lord had so strengthened him after an illness that the prescribed holiday was not necessary; from two New Zealand friends 5s. and £5 respectively; from one in Winnipeg, £5; from an Arbroath lady, £3, "part of some money I have got just now, and I wanted to send you something to help in your great and good work"; from readers of the

"Christian," six guineas; £2, anonymously under Edinburgh post-mark; £1, also from an anonymous donor as a "birthday thank-offering"; from Irvine, £1; which I usually send you on the anniversary of my little baby's birthday to help some other little one"; and 16s. 2d., forwarded by the teacher of an Ayrshire school "from my little children."

A variety of young people's gatherings have been mindful of our needs this month. Ten shillings is the contribution of a junior Christian Endeavour Society in Glasgow; a guinea of a Boys' Brigade Bible Class; £1 17s. 9d., "proceeds of a concert held by the Schoolgirls' Tennis Club in aid of the Orphan Homes"; 10s., of a Kelso Sunday School; and £9 12s. 6d., of the children in a district of Orkney. The sender of this gift explains, "We did not make it a church matter at all, but just from all. I interested the headmaster of the central school and he took up the matter most heartily and worked through the scholars, as well as our three Sunday School superintendents." The following letter came in our foreign mail from Arabia:—

Just a note from one of the old boys of the Homes. I went to the Homes in 1910, and I left them in 1921. Eleven years I spent in the Homes, and it is there that I owe my thorough good upbringing to so as to be able to take my place in the world. I have never had cause to regret that I passed through the Homes, and never will. I am proud of the Homes. Since I left I have taken to soldiering, and I am getting on well and enjoying it fine. You will see that I am on foreign service, and out here I often think of the many lantern lectures we had from missionaries on Wednesday nights, but I did not realise then that I would see all these wonderful sights with my own eyes. I am quite near to Dr. Young, of the Egypt General Mission. He is about ten miles away from where we are stationed, and I intend going over to see his mission some day soon. I was converted in the Homes in 1921, and how I think of those helpful meetings we had on Thursday nights. What glorious days those were. The little Testament I received when I left I still have, and I carry it about with me in my breast pocket wherever I go. I was lucky to get my draft leave at the New Year, so I was down at the Homes on New Year's Day and enjoyed myself immensely, and I am looking forward to the day when I shall see the children again. I will close now, wishing you all the best of success, and that God will bless all those who take an active part in the welfare of the children. May He in His goodness give you strength to carry on the good work which He has set you to do. God bless you.

JUNE, 1925.—The cheque for £93 16s. 4d. which the secretary of the Scottish National Sabbath School Union has paid to the honorary treasurer, on account of contributions from various Sabbath Schools throughout the country, is considerably larger than usual, and with the sum already accumulated from the same source during years gone by now totals £1005 5s. 3d. We are gratified by the continued interest which the Union takes in our work, which should always make a special appeal to the boys and girls of Scotland. A glance through the donation list at the end of this "Narrative" will quickly demonstrate how widespread is this interest, and how impossible it would be to enumerate here even the names of the places represented by the numerous Sabbath Schools whose gifts have reached us direct. We are grateful to everyone of them, and confident that in giving to help their brethren in the Orphan Homes, they themselves have experienced the greater blessedness of which our Master spoke. We are always ready to conduct parties of children over the village, so that they may get a more intelligent idea of how we spend their money, and thereby be induced

to continue to share in our work by prayer and gift long after their Sabbath schooldays have passed.

Of seven and sixpence from the primary department of a Govan Sunday School, the teacher writes, "Although our school as a whole sends their yearly subscription, this is the first special offering our little ones have made. It is small but is their own, and we trust to be able to make it more another year." Eleven pounds is "from proceeds" of a Sunday School entertainment in North Berwick; and £1 8s., the amount collected from the children of a Partick Sunday School in a birthday box; whilst £3 1s. 3d. from Brisbane, Australia, brings good news of conversions among the scholars of that Sunday School.

Other foreign donations this month include £2 4s. 6d., a collective



SENIOR GIRLS PICNICKING ON THE BANKS OF LOCH LOMOND.

gift from Natal; 5 dollars from New Westminster, British Columbia; £10, paid into the London branch of the Union Bank by someone in Sydney, New South Wales; £20, proceeds of a church jumble sale in Hong Kong; £25 from a frequent helper in Takoma, U.S.A.; and a draft for £12 6s. from one of our old boys in Saskatchewan, rejoicing in the arrival of another little girl in his family. A grateful girl has added 10s. to the treasury, and another of the boys £2. After a long silence, one of the tiny tots of the 1911 Canadian party has written as follows:—

No doubt you will be very much surprised to hear from one of your old girls. I intended to write before, but kept putting it off, so at last decided I would carry out my intentions. I hope you are well, also my other dear friends of the Home. Really you can't imagine how happy I am and how fortunate I have been since I came to Canada. I was adopted by a Mrs. ———, of Ottawa, whom I called mother, and her husband I called father. I was with them six years, and if I had been their own daughter they couldn't have been better to me than they were. In 1919 mother died, and I was adopted by her sister-in-law, whom I call aunt. She has been lovely to me too. I was sent to a very nice ladies' college, where I graduated two years ago. I love her

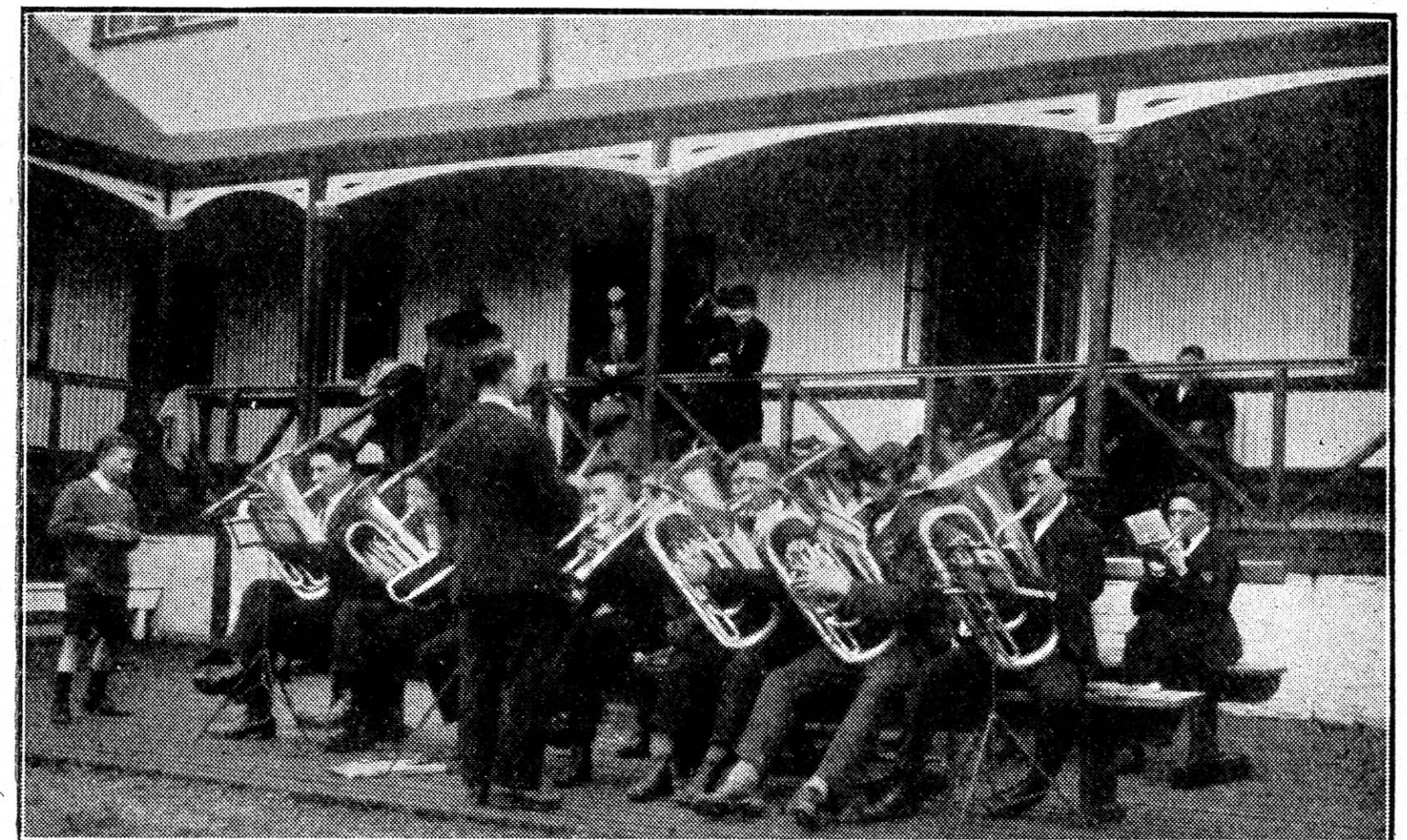
very much, also her daughter, who treats me just like a sister. I am now staying at home, helping to keep house, which I like very much. Next week we are moving to our summer home in Aylmer. We enjoy that very much. I wonder if I could get my birth certificate from you. My brothers got theirs from you. I have been hearing from them. They seem to be getting on very well too. Our weather has been extremely warm lately. I hope it gets a little cooler than it has been or else the farmers will have trouble with their crops. It is really too dry a heat. God is good, however, and I hope He will send rain. The city in which I now live is celebrating its 150th anniversary. Needless to say, there are great preparations being made. They are going to unveil a tablet to the man who founded it. Of course all the descendants [by whom she has been brought up] are asked to be there. I hope the weather is fine for it, as it will be something to remember. Well, I must close now as it is getting near bedtime. Hoping to hear from you soon.

One of our grown-up girls in this country, who is very faithful in her remembrance of the old home, has contributed £1; and enclosing a donation of £2, an Edinburgh lady says of another younger girl who is one of her maids, "She is a nice girl and a good worker, and it is delightful to find her so grateful for all that you did for her, and she has such happy memories of the Homes." In a letter containing £1 for the children in Elise Hospital, a lady, whose family ties have prevented her joining our staff, writes, "I brought away a desire that since I could not help personally in the glorious work I might do a little by stirring up the interest of others. There are always labourers ready for the vineyard, and we know that just the right and most suitable persons will be sent for the various positions." Through all the years behind us the Lord has provided the personnel, but many faithful workers have been called to higher service and for others their day of work is fast approaching eventide. In these days it is becoming increasingly difficult to find the right sort of helpers, for the spirit of service has become a rare thing in the land. To all our friends, who remember us at the Throne of Grace, we would say, "Pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that He will send forth labourers into His harvest."

Two pounds, to be divided equally between the Homes and the Colony of Mercy, from a Coatbridge friend, who was delighted with her first visit to our village last September, is accompanied by the explanation, "We are working folks with a small pay, but I have given a tenth to the Lord for years and so manage to save something for the Homes." We fully appreciate the position of two dear old friends who say, "It is vexing to think of diminishing subscriptions; but we know you will not imagine that we are losing interest in the Orphan Homes though we are now sending only £50." He who multiplied the loaves is still able to make their gift sufficient. Out of a sum of money given her by friends and admirers for distribution, a veteran social worker in the city, who has recommended the admission of many deserving cases to the Homes, has asked us to accept one hundred pounds; and another friend in Dundee, a bond for two hundred pounds. The sender of the last-mentioned gift tells us, "This is an old maiden lady of over 80 years of age, and this sum is part of her life savings when in service. She is a dear, good, Christian soul, but she is desirous of acknowledging the Lord's 'goodness and mercy' to her all the days of her life, and now when the shadows of evening gather, she feels still assured that the Lord will provide." What a sacred trust is ours. May the Lord enable us to set His own value upon such precious gifts and expend them wisely.

This month had two red-letter days for the children. The first was prize day at the school on 23rd inst.; and the second, the departure of the first contingent of holiday-makers (numbering 261 boys and 21 workers) for the seaside homes six days later.

JULY, 1925.—July has again been holiday time for the boys. The first party, as fortunate as usual in the matter of fine weather, returned home, after a never-to-be-forgotten fortnight by the sea on 13th inst., when the other half of the boys took their places at Torr Aluinn. They in turn were no less reluctant to give way to the first contingent of the girls two weeks later. As folks are prone to credit dry weather to the fact of their having carried umbrellas, so the new shelter erected on the field behind the beach has not yet been necessary. It has been a long felt want and is sure to be much appreciated when the rainy day



THE CITY HOME BAND AT LOCHGOILHEAD.

comes. For ten days at the "Glasgow Fair" the older lads from the City Home enjoyed a happy holiday under canvas at Tarbert, Loch Fyne, where once more the public school building was kindly placed at their disposal for cooking, dining, and storage of supplies. The accompaniment of their band was not only an attraction but also a real aid to the helpful evangelistic services, largely attended by residents and visitors alike. The friends, whose special gifts have made such a healthful outing possible, may rest assured that they have made a profitable investment. Could they but see the resultant enjoyment of our young folks, they would be satisfied that already the dividend was sufficient, although a sure reward is yet laid up for them by and by.

To help with the ordinary expenses there has come to hand £2 10s. from children attending a gospel service in Birmingham; £5 from an anonymous donor in Peterhead; £2 from an older worker; 10s. from another; £1, a repeated gift of one who rejoices to call himself "a steward"; 2s. 6d., "a small thankoffering" from Greenock; £2, a

collection from Christian Endeavourers on holiday; a guinea from a lady in London; £20 from a friend in the village on one side of us; and 19s. 6d. from a Sunday School in the village on the other side; £1 for the Colony of Mercy from two sisters; 10s. from a Sunday School in a northern county, "for your big family, some of whom hail from our district"; £1 from a helper in Kent; and £21, "being donation from an anonymous giver handed to me to forward" from St. Fillans.

An extra interest beyond that of the holiday excitement this month centres around the ten girls, whom we were able to send to Canada on 17th inst. by the Anchor-Donaldson liner *Letitia*. Leaving Greenock at one-thirty that Friday afternoon, they arrived safe and well at Fair-



GIRLS ON BOARD T.S.S. LETITIA.

knowe on the following Sunday week. For journeying mercies we render God thanks, and pray that His everlasting arms may be underneath them both during the first days in a strange land and throughout all the later days, when doubtless they will have established homes of their own, into which, we trust, they will carry the same spirit and influence which surrounded them here.

Towards the emigration expenses of one of these girls a grateful relative has contributed £10; and the uncle of another £2, with the encouraging verse, "Therefore, my brethren, be ye stedfast, unmoveable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labour is not in vain in the Lord." We have been greatly distressed by the sad news of the accidental drowning, while bathing, of one of our younger Canadian boys, than whom our superintendent says,

"possibly there was no boy who had the esteem or goodwill of all our staff to the extent that Sam had." Further, regarding the public funeral he adds, "Even allowing for the boy's winsome manner and sociability, the response of the community to a call for sympathy was most spontaneous, and in some respects most remarkable, as the lad was little more than a stranger, having been in the district but six months. The many floral tributes, the most fitting church decorations, the presence and services of the church choir, and the remarkably largely attended funeral, were all or more than a resident of the district might have expected for his own family; as for his employers, they could not have done more for a son." Alongside of this we have also received a press cutting, from which the following extract is taken, telling of the bestowal of an honorary doctorate degree in Divinity upon one of our older Canadian boys, who is already B.A., M.A., B.Th., and B.D. of another university.

Mr. ——— has done in the old First Church a work which will probably not be surpassed in many generations. He has conspicuous gifts, and has steadily won his way upward. He is recognised as a preacher of unusual ability. He is a builder in the true sense. He is one of the finest Christian characters that I have ever known. He is a real winner of men for the Kingdom. If we had more men of his truly spiritual and scholarly type in our churches the Kingdom of God would more quickly come in its fulness. In the city he has gathered about him a congregation made up in the evenings of a larger number of theological and other students than listen to any other man there. He draws without spectacular subjects or methods. His work is from the foundation up.

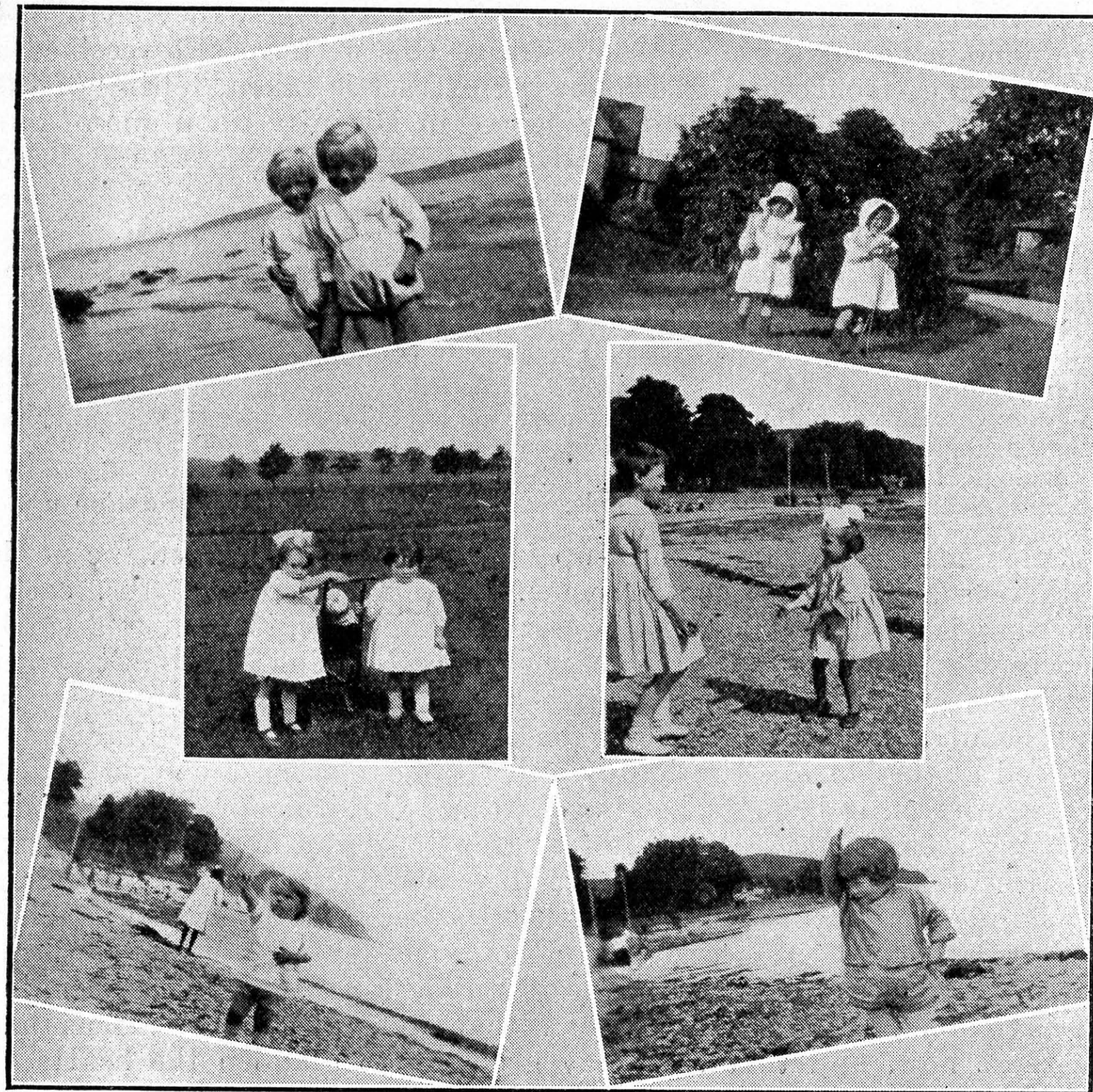
Other members of our grown-up family have remembered the needs of their successors in the old home, three with gifts of 10s. each; another with 4s. 6d.; one with 30s.; yet another with 2s., "a small contribution towards the children's holidays," saying, "I don't forget the bustle and excitement I used to have at this time when I was in your beautiful home. I'll never be able to repay all the kindness I received at the home. I'm happy and trying to shine for Jesus." A girl, who recently brought her husband and children for a day's visit, enclosing a 5s. postal order writes, "How busy you must be kept looking after so many children going to the coast every fortnight. It is a great undertaking. May he strengthen the back for the burden. What lovely weather they are having and how they must be enjoying themselves. It makes me wish sometimes I were a bairn in the Homes again, but as that can never be, my prayer is that God will bless the bairns that are there now, and that they may grow up to gladden the hearts of their kind benefactors, and bless the day they were ever there."

We have been asked to accept a guinea, "our appreciation of the splendid work of the Orphan Homes" by a couple, who have one of our girls as their maid, and tell how they "have been greatly impressed by what we have heard and read of the Homes through—and hope one day to have the pleasure of visiting at Bridge-of-Weir." Three legacies this month have totalled £674 7s. 10s., and from the sons of two of the Founder's earliest helpers in the work we have received cheques for one hundred pounds each.

AUGUST, 1925.—A minister, who preached in the Orphan Homes for the first time on a recent Sunday, has forwarded £10, "the outcome of telling my people about your great family and the splendid work

being carried on under your supervision," and later 10s. additional from a friend "who read the article in our magazine supplement," from which we quote as follows:—

"Ye fearful saints fresh courage take!" It is the best antidote to fear and doubt we have yet seen. We should like to take all those superior people who say they don't believe in God and prayer and the reality of religion to Bridge of Weir, for they will see God, prayer, and Christianity actually at work before their eyes. We would say to all such Christians as are of a fearful heart, "Go to Quarrier's Homes and walk up Faith Avenue, Church Road, and



SUMMER SNAPS OF THE TINY TOTS.

Peace Avenue, and you will have the best evidences of the reality of religion that it is possible to behold. You will see orphans being brought up amid healthy surroundings, and in the fear and admonition of the Lord; consumptives being nursed back to health and happiness in an atmosphere that is purely Christian; epileptics having their unhappy lot made as comfortable and happy as it is possible for Christian men and women to make them. This is the Lord's doing; it is marvellous in our eyes." It was to this remarkable community of men, women, and children that we were asked to minister. The day began with a children's service in the church. There were a thousand children present, and many adults over and above. Children in church are proverbially restless, but not these children, and such reverent behaviour in the house of God we have never seen. One looked down from the platform upon a sea of happy young faces; and to hear them repeat their Scripture portions and sing the psalms and hymns

was something that will not readily be forgotten. We came away on Monday morning with impressions that will remain for long, and with thanksgiving to God for a truly wonderful week-end.

We take this opportunity of gratefully acknowledging the services of clergymen and laymen of all sections of the Christian evangelical church who minister the Word of Life to our community in many a helpful message, and trust that in blessing others they, too, are blessed.

His birthday having come round again, an old friend has sent "eighty-six bawbees" in commemoration thereof; and the donors of another birthday offering assure us they "have a great interest both in the work and the workers, and throughout the year are often remembering you all in prayer." Anonymous gifts have come in, £5 from Troon; 5s. from Perth; £1 from Sunderland; and 1s. 6d. from Glasgow. Four little girls have collected 5s. for the Colony of Mercy; members and friends of an Orkney Y.W.C.A., 6s. for the general fund; someone



OFF FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

in Penicuik £2 3s. among "some of our finishing department."; and one of our old boys, 15s. 6d from a party of visitors he brought to see the Homes.

The month's foreign mail has brought from various helpers, severally in New York city, 5 dollars; in Cape Town, £5; in New Zealand, £10; in Saskatchewan, 10 dollars; in Berlin, £1; in Bloemfontein, 10s., and in Chateaugay, N.Y., 5 dollars. The last-mentioned sum was forwarded by the conductress of our small group of girls who went to Canada last month. She received it from a lady, accidentally met, who asked her to send it in memory of having travelled across the ocean 37 years ago on the old Buenosayrian with 100 of our boys with whose good behaviour and singing she was very much struck. One of our married Canadian girls has sent another 5 dollars; and one of the last to emigrate, one dollar, to say, "I am settled at last and in a good home."

Two others in this country have given 10s. each; two more, £1 each; another, 5s.; and one, now happily married to a naval officer and

resident in London, £5. Her visit in a beautiful motor car with her dear little child made our hearts glad indeed, for she is one who chose the wrong path at first but has come back to the fold. £3 8s. 5d from Baghdad is the proceeds of a hockey match; £1, the first fruits of a boy who has grown up within our gates; £20, the gift of someone in London; £5, of a lady in Bristol; £3, of a friend in Cumberland; 5s., of another in Shetland; £100, of a business man in Glasgow in memory of his mother and elder son; and £3, of a Forfarshire Sunday School. The sender of the last amount writes, "You have still with you two children from this parish. I am in correspondence with their brothers in Canada. Both are delighted with their homes."

Happily, the good weather has continued during August, so that the girls have had as enjoyable a time at the seaside as the boys. The second half of the girls went to Torr Aluinn on 10th inst., and returned a fortnight later for the re-opening of school next day. Then came the turn of the Colonists, who have been eagerly anticipating what is a big event for them.

SEPTEMBER, 1925.—Sometime ago the Canadian mail brought a letter from an Ontario farmer's wife, in whose home have lived during the last thirty-two years a succession of our children. The good lady was right in thinking we would be interested to know her report and opinion of them, and we believe these extracts are worth passing on to readers of the "Narrative":—

Richard was a lad of 11 years when he arrived from Brockville about 1894, and lived with us about five years, when he thought a change would be beneficial financially, etc., and he got employment with another farmer, and through time he drifted to the city and worked at some mechanical employment. I heard later that he had an attack of appendicitis which proved fatal. He was a very fine boy, and we were well pleased with his character when under our roof.

Martha was with us and in our community for a number of years. She then went to the city of Toronto, and then to Hamilton, where she got married and was comfortably settled in a home of her own. She also was a very industrious, kind-hearted girl.

Mary came to our home in June, 1894. She was a member of our home for 14 years, and then married a young man of excellent Christian character, who is now an elder in our church and superintendent of the Sabbath school. They have a beautiful home and a fine family of three children, which they are training in the Lord's service.

William came from Scotland to us about 1895, and was in our home nine years, when he had an attack of appendicitis which resulted in his death at the age of 23. He was faithful and true—a very beautiful character in every way.

John worked for me a year after William's death. He visited at Bridge-of-Weir some 15 or 16 years ago. You would hear personally from him. He was accompanied at that time by Charles, who also is one of your large family, and by Mr. ———, who was an elder in our church.

Charles also served in my home for about two years. He is now married, and employed in the Canadian National Railway. He is very industrious, impulsive, but having many excellent traits of character.

Janet came to our home from Bridge-of-Weir, June, 1907. She was with us nine years, and married a young man of high moral character. They, with a family of four children, live now in Oakville, Ont. Janet was a very faithful girl and strictly honest, had a stubborn disposition, but possessed of other graces which helped to overcome the undesirable things.

I have written this short account of those with whom I have had somewhat to do, believing that you, who have been instrumental in nurturing those young

lives, will be interested to know that the "bread" you have scattered upon the waters has not been wasted.

There has been added to our treasury by one of our nurse girls, £3; by another who often helps, 4s.; by one who is "beginning from now on to put aside one-tenth of what I earn for the Lord," and adds, "I want my first 'tithe' to go towards the work that lies nearest my heart," 5s. "as a small thanksgiving"; by another in a situation in Edinburgh, 10s.; and by one married in Toronto, 5 dollars. Among other foreign donations, 20s. has come from South Australia; 5 dollars from a Philadelphia couple; £10 from helpers in Hong-Kong; a five dollar bill from Boston, Massachusetts; £2 "as a thankoffering" from a friend in New Zealand, who writes, "I still have the picture of your place in my heart, and we remember you all in prayer"; other £2, a birthday remembrance from the same oversea dominion, with a similar



A SEASIDE PIC-NIC PARTY.

assurance of daily intercession on behalf of our work; £9 10s. 10d. from a missionary in Persia, who, having decided to cancel his life insurance policy, has asked a friend in Glasgow to pass on its surrender value; £10, a thanksgiving for his wife's sixtieth birthday and in memory of their daughter, from another missionary in Manchuria; and £1 from one in an Indian mission house, saying, "It is now twenty-seven years since I left you, but the memory of the holy, happy time I had in the Homes is still green. I often remember you and pray that you may continue to be blessed."

Another old worker has sent £1 for the general fund, together with £1 for missions, "in thanksgiving for the Lord's goodness in giving us a new 'home,' you will see we have taken the liberty of calling after yours, in grateful memory of your father and mother and all our associations with the work in your hand." A postal order for half-a-crown from Ardrishaig brings this explanation, "I am now into my seventy-third year and an incident of kindness in the Trongate by your father to another came into mind." A two guinea cheque is to buy a toy; £1 18s. 6d., the amount of collection taken at a military service

on Salisbury Plain; £5 from a boarding school for boys; and £150 from "Teach us Lord how much we owe." The mother of three fatherless children helped has given expression to her gratitude thus:—

I am writing regarding my three children whom you have so kindly cared for during the past years. Through your kindness I have been able to make a very comfortable home for myself as well as the children. I will never be able to repay you, but I will show my gratitude from time to time in a practical way. Nor will I let the children forget the Homes. I would dearly love to meet personally a daughter of the man whom God gave the privilege and blessing to start such a wonderful haven of rest for hundreds of dear wee children. I can't express my thanks to you on paper, but believe me the Homes will always have a corner of my heart.

This our friends will remember is the month of two anniversaries—that of the formal opening of the Homes on 17th and that of the Founder's birth on 29th inst. For neither was there any special celebration, but on the latter the children had a special tea; and friends and fellow-workers, past and present, marked the day by their loving gifts of remembrance. Next year at this time our biennial Thanksgiving Day falls due, when we hope for a great gathering of our helpers to unite in praise to God for His never-failing provision for all our varied needs. When the date will have been fixed, announcement will be made in the press, and intimations posted to all friends within reasonable distance.

OCTOBER, 1925. For three weeks most of the patients from the Elise Hospital have been in residence at the seaside, and returned home on the first of this month ever so much better for the change, so that all the difficulties of transportation and extra work entailed in their accommodation have been well worth while. The two large dining-rooms in Torr Aluinn were transformed for the time being into hospital wards, so that from their beds without even the effort of sitting up the youngsters could enjoy the expansive view up and down our beautiful Firth of Clyde. Happily most of them were so much improved that they were able to get out of doors a great deal. For these delicate children this excursion will be a glorious memory during the somewhat sombre days of winter, when they are shut away from all the active interests of their stronger brothers and sisters.

Though the Hospital and Oswald and Elim Homes for invalid children are generally full, we have great cause for thankfulness that the health of the village during the year has been so good. This, we believe, is due to careful medical supervision, and to the ample and varied diet provided in well-regulated homes, where they are "mothered" and kept clean and comfortable by our devoted band of fellow-workers. Only three deaths have occurred throughout the twelve months, though there have been over a thousand children constantly in residence.

Over and above the numerous money donations, there has been a multitude of varied and valuable gifts in kind. Individuals, schools, church and other work parties, branches of the Y.W.C.A. and kindred organisations all over the land have made or bought or given from a single article or garment to as many as the several hundreds generally contributed by our good friends in Largs, who for many years have

been probably the largest donors in this category. Between four and five thousand new, together with about half as many used articles of clothing, in addition to over four hundred and twenty pairs of socks and stockings, besides tweed and other materials in the piece, small-wares, more than two hundred girls' hats, boots, shoes, and wool have reached the drapery department of the stores.

Books, toys, games, and dolls have been most welcome, especially for the Christmas trees; sweets, nuts, fruit, cakes, &c., at Christmas New Year, Glasgow Fair, Hallowe'en, and other times; provisions, tea, sausages, fresh eggs, 266 boxes of deliciously-flavoured kippered herrings, meal, and flour for the grocery store; malt and oil for the dispensary; and bulbs for the garden. Other articles to be found in this wonderful collection, which has saved a big expenditure in cash, are a harmonium, a piano, a violin, knitting machines, automatic washing machines, bedsteads, and other furniture, perambulators, and



WADING AT THE COAST.

two marble busts of Sir Walter Scott and Charles Dickens, which have found suitable corners in the hall of the School.

The month's money gifts include £21 2s. 6d. from friends in Campbeltown collectively; 20s. from a doctor who has died since this sum reached us; 10 dollars from friends in San Francisco, who visited the Homes last year; 5s. for the general fund, with 5s. more for Jewish missions from Somerset; a guinea from South Africa; £5 from Chile; £6, being two-thirds of an allowance paid to a fellow-worker and returned as a donation; £80 from a Glasgow bequest fund; £150 towards cost of outfits from another; £10 from a Sunday School in New Bedford, Mass.; 10s. each for the Homes and the Sanatoria, "part of some money paid recently in memory of a late employer" from a lady in Eastbourne; £68 2s. 4d. willed to us by a helper in New Zealand, but handed over in the first instance by the public trustee to another beneficiary, a local church, whose treasurer has been instructed to pay the amount to us according to the testator's intention; £1, a memorial

gift from a home in Newcastle-on-Tyne, where the husband has been out of employment for two years; and three guineas from an Australian visitor, who writes, "Since leaving our home last February we have seen some wonderful sights, but nothing in my judgment more interesting and wonderful than your beautiful homes at Bridge-of-Weir."

Among gifts to hand on the twenty-second anniversary of the day on which the beloved Founder was taken from us, is one pound "in loving memory of Mr. Quarrier from one of his old girls who decided to follow the Saviour at his home-going on 16th October, 1903." A short note from one of our Canadian boys on his farm in distant Saskatchewan reads, "Another year is going by and I thought I would write to let you know that it is a better one than last. Enclosed please find a money order for ten dollars to help feed some little child. We have three little boys of our own. Thanking you for kindness received." One of last year's party says in his letter, "I am very thankful to all who took part in my coming to Canada and for things provided. I have a very nice class of boys in the Sunday School. I was asked if I would take the class and I accepted the offer because the boys said they would like me to be their teacher."

Another who was emigrated as long ago as 1883 has been in correspondence with us lately from his manse in the States. Referring to a hymn he heard in the old school in the Central Building, which "stuck in the little boy mind all these years," he asks, "was your song a seed dropped by the wayside that God willed to cherish, I wonder." Further, he says, "I am in the Presbyterian church ministry. We have two girls in our family. For their sakes I am hunting our family records to know what is best to follow or avoid. Well do I remember Mr. Alex. Burges on his visits to see me as a boy in Canada, his advice, sympathy, and tactful wisdom. I always felt bigger when he had visited me."

Side by side with a gift of one shilling from Colchester is a memorial cheque for one hundred pounds from Glasgow. At the close of this wondrous tale we have woven, we trust to the glory of its Great Designer, there comes an Orkney donor's reminder, "Mr. Spurgeon on one occasion said, 'The God that answereth by orphanages, let Him be God,' " and surely our readers have had abundant proof from these pages that Elijah's God still lives to-day. The end of another financial year finds us with six more in our family than when it began, and with a treasury still overflowing with our Heavenly Father's bounty. Truly we can say with the Psalmist, "Thou art the Helper of the fatherless," and with the Prophet, "Hitherto hath the Lord helped us." We cannot merit any of His mercies but pray that we may in some measure be worthy of them. "O give thanks unto the Lord; because His mercy endureth forever."

O Love of God! How strong and true,
Eternal, and yet ever new;
Uncomprehended and unbought,
Beyond all knowledge and all thought.

Speak, lips of mine, and tell abroad
The praises of thy God.
Speak, stammering tongue, in gladdest tone,
Make His high praises known.

THE CITY ORPHAN HOME.

ARMISTICE day, 1918, with its world-wide peal of bells proclaimed the "End of the War," and yet these same bells rang in all unconsciously a new day for the youth of our land. These seven years have meant to multitudes of young lads between the ages of 15 and 18 the smashing of old ideals, the breaking down of home discipline, the mad giddy pursuit of pleasure in picture and dance hall, the shirking of work; and in the exuberance of their youth and ignorance they were out to down everything that had gone to make our country the greatest under the sun. Thank God these seven years debacle of youth is changing; a new outlook is being visioned; God is again being acknowledged as one to whom all men turn in the day of calamity; goodness and truth recognised as essentials of everyday life; work is anxiously sought after; and this Armistice day of 1925 has ushered in a new spirit that will inspire and lead into paths of righteousness our young folks, who may yet help make this old land of ours "A new Heaven and a new Earth."

During the year over sixty lads have been resident in the City Home, and over all these this new spirit which we believe is from above is brooding. All are employed at various trades in workshop, office, and warehouse in and around the city. Good reports continue to be received from employers. The more ambitious and studious of the lads are all keen on night classes under the Education Authority, while numbers are keen on the Home Library.

Some thirty lads devote two nights a week to band practice, and our Silver Band continues to render good service to many deserving causes throughout the city and neighbourhood. We again "camped" in July on the hills of Loch Fyne at Tarbert, and here was spent a right royal health-giving holiday. Turning from Home to the Mission one can only exclaim:—"Surely goodness and mercy hath followed us." We rejoice in the crowds of men and women who throng our Hall at all services. The women's service on Tuesday at 3 o'clock is a continual revelation of God's working amongst us. Five hundred women, representing five hundred homes, gather to hear the "Word of Life" and enjoy an hour of social fellowship that must sweeten the whole of life. Great blessing attended Jock Troup's three weeks' mission during the spring. Our Sabbath night services are a great inspiration to all, and who can measure the results of such. "Now we see through a glass darkly but then face to face." The Foundry Boys' and Girls' Sabbath forenoon meeting is a real live service, and is making its impression on the lives of "grown-ups" in the neighbourhood. Our Band of Hope and lantern story on Thursday night continues to flourish like a green bay tree. Anyone desiring a cure for old age should visit the Orphan Home Hall on a Thursday night. Other services continue to help and bless, especially Mrs. Young's Young Women's Bible Class on Sunday afternoon. Here are gathered seventy young women from factory, mill, shop, and service studying their Bibles and taking a deep personal interest in the whole service.

In conclusion one would wish to tender to all members of staff and a great body of willing workers their sincere thanks for all the faithful service rendered during the year.

WALTER YOUNG.

EMIGRATION WORK.

The superintendent of our Canadian Distributing Home has submitted the following report on the year's work at Fairknowe:—

"We and all our family in Canada, who were able to see them, were highly favoured in having so many in one season from the Orphan Homes of Scotland. Mr. Prendergast, Mr. and Mrs. Findlay, Lord and Lady Maclay in visiting our work and seeing so many of the children, made us feel in a very real sense the bonds that make us a part of that great work at Bridge-of-Weir. These were indeed red-letter days in our experiences, and it is to be hoped they may come more often in future.

"Another year, similar, in most respects, to the preceding ones, has passed, and it is ours to give an account of our stewardship. This, however, is very difficult, as we are, for the most part, dealing with factors and results that are intangible and that cannot be tabulated. Of course much of our time is taken up with the inevitable round of business detail—such as placements, wage adjustments and settlements, interviews, visitations, etc., but these in themselves are not criteria that will establish the success or otherwise of our efforts.

"We, of course, can demonstrate that the physical needs of the boys are adequately met. Rarely is there much to be desired in this connection. Visitation made by myself shows that the boys are receiving, on the whole, proper care and attention. We always inquire carefully into the sleeping accommodation, hours of labour, privileges granted, and condition of clothing. Seldom is there anything amiss. Removals are nearly all due to the incompatibility of employer and employed. Neither are, thereby, condemned, for in most cases, each proves satisfactory when brought into relations with another personality. Cruelty or unreasonable severity has had no place in our experience for many years. We see to it that each boy and each girl receives a fair wage, and that proper settlements are made at the appointed times. As every dollar must be accounted for, there is no reason why clothing should be denied; in general our young people are as well clothed as those with whom they live. As a matter of fact, it is comparatively easy to obtain the more particularly temporal needs of our family. It is not, however, so easy to secure in all homes the same excellency of factors making for the spiritual development of young life. In all society too little is known of the vital requirements of young life if it is to be of real service, eventually, to God and man and true to itself. Yet I venture to say that our children are faring as well in this particular as can be expected when a study is made of what people do for their own flesh and blood. In any case, we have this problem constantly before our mind and striving to obtain the best results, and believe there is a gradual improvement as the appeals and selective processes are continued. Never have we had so many inquiring about and attempting educational advancement; the conduct of our children has been most gratifying; Church and Sunday School attendance is regular. The earlier training at the Homes supplies a splendid foundation for this work.

"The party of forty-one boys made a good impression, and were heartily welcomed into our rural life. All are doing as well as can be expected. The ten girls who came later were no less welcome. We are meeting a real need in Ontario when supplying the farmer with the help our boys can give, and in so doing are making a contribution to the increasing prosperity of the country. There is no validity in the charge that we are supplying "cheap labour," for our boys are being well paid for the services they give.

"But what is of far more importance, we are giving them a greater opportunity to make successes of their lives, especially along temporal lines—an opportunity which is characteristic of a new land. We are proud of the number who avail themselves of it.

"In closing, I feel it a duty to testify to the support we have had from helpers, and doctors and other friends, who have given their service so ungrudgingly, and to the Divine guidance which has been ours largely because of the prayers of others who constantly support our work in this way."

CLAUDE A. WINTERS.

HOME AND FOREIGN MISSIONS FUND.

We have just come from our annual "Foreign Missionary Meeting" in the church. Of course there have been many interesting missionary meetings during the year, but this is our own meeting. Two weeks ago we asked the authority of the children to disburse their year's offerings amongst a series of about forty missions, and this they readily gave us by a unanimous show of uplifted hands. The necessary cheques were written and sent out, and to-night we have been giving some account of our stewardship, and reading extracts from some of the letters of thanks which covered the receipts.

The service opened with the singing of the hymn:—

Jesus shall reign where'er the sun
Doth his successive journeys run.

followed by the reading of a lesson from Matthew's Gospel. Have you ever heard our children read in church? If not we wish you could have the opportunity. Usually the leader reads the first verse, and then the young folks in four sections read responsively in rotation. And how they read! What delight they take in it as with one voice they ring out the sacred words.

Prayer followed, which carried our thoughts to many parts of the great mission fields of the world, and made us feel something of our high privilege and responsibility, in being in touch with so many labourers and interests in the Kingdom of God, finishing with the uniting of all hearts and voices in "The Lord's Prayer."

In acknowledging gifts from the children, Mr. S. H. Wilkinson (Mildmay Mission to Jews) and Mr. David Baron (Hebrew Christian Testimony to Israel) tell a little about their work on behalf of Israel in London and on the Continent, and Mr. Wilkinson writes:—"The gift you enclose from the O. H. S. H. and F. M. Fund comes this morning as a very definite token of our Father's love and care; for we have been submitted of late to a very intense exercise of faith and patience in many directions. The Lord carry the blessing back a hundredfold to the participants in the gift."

The Secretary of the North Africa Mission sends a grateful letter of thanks; and one of their old and faithful workers amongst the Mohammedans of Tunis writes:—"Thank you very much indeed for your kind letter and cheque. The Lord is graciously supplying all our needs according to His riches in Glory, but we must confess to feeling somewhat down at times, for we work on and on and see so very little fruit to our labours, while there is much to discourage. This religion of Islam is indeed a masterpiece of the devil. Still we have come to this land in the name and power of our Almighty Captain and He must reign."

Dr. F. B. Meyer says:—"Please thank the young people of the Orphan Homes very heartily for their very welcome gift for the support of Miss J. M'A. on the Congo. She is a beautiful link between them and the Congo work, and we are much obliged."

The Secretary of the Qua Iboe Mission (West Africa) writes:—"We have to thank you for another gift from the Orphan Homes. I wish our thanks could be conveyed personally to all the workers and

children for this most welcome help. The money itself is a great help to us, and we value the gift much more because of the source from which it comes. We count it an honour to have this link between the Christlike work at Bridge-of-Weir and the preaching of the gospel on the banks of the Qua Iboe River."

The Secretary of the Zambesi Industrial Mission (Nyasaland) says:—"This gift is peculiarly welcome just now because, owing to a long drought, the coffee harvest this year has been a very poor one—not a berry has yet reached this country! So the past few weeks have been a trial of faith for the Z.I.M."

Dr. W. T. Grenfell, of Labrador, says:—"Thanks ever so much for the generous help towards our new hospital. We are working hard at it, and for Glasgow Orphans to send out £20 is wonderful in these days. I can't begin to tell you how truly we feel the bond of fellowship. It always to me makes the "Great Companionship" so much more real."

Mr. Marcus Wood, of the China Inland Mission, writes:—"Many warm thanks for the further generous gift from the O. H. S. H. and F. M. Fund, which we gratefully accept towards the support of Miss Anna Ritchie in China. May I just say how greatly we value all the long continued and prayerful fellowship of the friends towards the evangelisation of China."

Miss Florence S. H. Young of the South Sea Evangelical Mission (Solomon Islands) says:—"Many warm thanks for the kind gift from the Orphan Homes. I often think what a beautiful link it is between those Homes and the far-off islands of the sea. We are joined together by gift and prayer; and perhaps our dear boys, with their simple faith and prayers, are bringing a special blessing upon all the dear ones at Bridge-of-Weir."

The Secretary of the Africa Inland Mission writes:—"It was a real cheer this morning on opening the post to find your kind letter enclosing the generous donation from the Orphan Homes. We are very grateful to God for this gift, and I am sure you will convey to any others besides yourself to whom we are indebted our warm thanks on behalf of the A.I.M. work and workers."

The Secretary of a Canadian Mission to French Roman Catholics—in which we have long been interested—says:—"I wish that you would kindly convey to your young people at Bridge-of-Weir our thanks for their co-operation in giving the gospel to the French people of this province, and our earnest desire that they may not only give to send the gospel to these people, but that they themselves may rejoice in the blessings of salvation which Jesus Christ has brought to them, and which is contained in the gospel they are giving to others."

These are a few extracts from many letters which have reached us at this time.

Another missionary hymn and prayer brought an extremely interesting meeting to a close—the children following throughout with the keenest attention.

The sum we have been privileged to pass on this year was £1427 5s. 4d., which is made up of the church door offerings at Bridge-of-Weir, together with earmarked gifts sent in by friends.

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

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The Consumption Sanatoria of Scotland, Bridge-of-Weir, is established to deal therapeutically with tuberculosis in the curable stage. The majority of the patients treated suffer from the pulmonary form of the disease. The others suffer from tuberculosis of the bones and joints, from lupus, and from tuberculous glands.

There are three pavilions in the Sanatoria—two for females, one for males. Usually there can be accommodated 75 men, 70 women, and 22 girls. No provision is made for boys.

The patients are drawn from all over Scotland. At the present time nearly every county in the country is represented. A large proportion of the patients are, as would be expected, from Glasgow, Renfrewshire, and Lanarkshire.

The patients come into the Institution privately, at the instance of the family physician, or through public authorities, particularly the health committees of various town and county councils. Preference is always given to those for whom no similar provision is made—the large middle class who do not desire to go into public sanatoria and would not be happy in their associations there, and who cannot afford the cost of the rather expensive private institutions.

The accommodation is at all times fully taxed. It would by no means be difficult to keep a much larger number of beds filled. Many cases continually require to be refused consideration.

During the year which has just been completed, 169 patients were discharged—72 males, 97 females. There were 9 deaths during the period. Of these patients 163 suffered from tuberculosis of the lungs. The remainder did not suffer from tuberculosis. One was affected with diverticulitis; another with lupus; one with pyopneumothorax; one bronchiectasis; one cancer of the lung; one hip-joint disease; six with cervical and hilum adenitis; and three with multiple tuberculosis.

Regarding the patients suffering from pulmonary tuberculosis, the following interesting facts and figures were noted:—

TABLE 1.—STAGE OF DISEASE ON ADMISSION.

		Early.	Intermediate.	Advanced.	Total.
Males	...	6	29	37	72
Females	...	15	30	46	91

The system of classification used is that of Turban, which records

the extent of the disease in the lungs. That is quite useful for statistical purposes. It, however, often fails to represent the true facts. In tuberculosis of the lungs, it is by no means always the extent of the disease that tells but the intensity of the disease—the systemic intoxication produced by the disease. Many with disease in an early stage on this account are more ill than others with advanced mischief. Many, with very advanced disease live for years, often quite fit for the varied duties of life, provided there is but little intoxication or poisoning resulting.

The majority of the patients admitted were unfortunately in an advanced stage, but few were in an early stage. Many of those admitted were taken in, in order that an attempt to induce an artificial pneumothorax might be made. This, if effected, often changes the character of the case entirely, improving the outlook, and making the future more assured.

In addition to lung disease, probably because of their low resistance, at times through secondary infections, many complications had to be dealt with. Lack of space forbids us to enumerate these.

TABLE 2.—THE RESULTS OF TREATMENT.

	Arrested.	Improved.	Not Improved.	Died.	Total.
Males ...	23	26	21	2	72
Females ...	34	22	30	5	91

We never use the word "cured." It is almost impossible to be sure that a case of tuberculosis is cured. Time alone can determine that, and the period that the patients are under observation by us is far too short to enable us to make that statement. We look upon the disease as arrested when there has been no cough nor spit for two or three months. A forced specimen of sputum on thirteen consecutive occasions must fail to show any tubercle bacilli. Examination of the chest also must fail to show the presence of the signs which we associate with active mischief—spasm of the muscles, crepitations or other adventitious sounds, etc. The temperature, pulse and weight must be satisfactory, and persistently in accordance with the standard of health.

Fifty-seven or 35 per cent. of the patients were so greatly benefited that on discharge they were classified thus. The majority of those we know, continue to keep well.

Of the total 48 or 29.4 per cent. were improved. Many of these classified as "improved" were very definitely helped, and such on returning home usually make further progress and are fit for work. A number are unfortunately on the border line, and do not do well eventually.

There were 58 or 35.5 per cent. who did not benefit by sanatorium measures. They were discharged "not improved" or died.

There is no doubt that sanatorium treatment, with all that it implies, while of unquestionable value in a very large percentage of cases, particularly those in whom the disease shows but slight toxæmia—it matters little how advanced that disease is—is definitely detrimental to others. Those in whom the toxic manifestations of the condition are marked and the reactive powers of the tissues poor, often become rapidly worse with rigorous open-air measures. They should

not be sent to sanatoria, or if sent, and the response is not satisfactory within a short period, they should be removed. Modified open-air measures along hospital lines are better far for such.

Taking the 163 patients all together we can state that 64.4 per cent. definitely benefited by treatment in the Sanatorium.

THE TREATMENT OF TUBERCULOSIS.—The basis of all our treatment is found in the words rest, hyperaeration, hyperalimentation, and graduated exercise.

Rest.—There is no doubt that this is of all things the most important. Prolonged rest particularly when the case comes first under observation practically always produces encouraging results. Periodic rests in bed throughout the day all through the treatment is most important. The rest should be complete in every respect. Most of our cases who have responded well to treatment and later have relapsed have done so because of over-exertion or neglect of rest.

Hyperaeration.—The aim is to have the patient continually in moving air. Its stimulating effect is, by the patient before long, very greatly appreciated. It soothes the cough, increases the appetite, stops all sweating, reduces the temperature, and produces a feeling of well-being.

Hyperalimentation.—We do not, as in the early days of the Sanatorium, "stuff" the patients. They are encouraged, however, to eat up to the level of their digestive capacity. Increase in weight is practically always an encouraging index of satisfactory progress.

During the year 108 or 66.2 per cent. increased in weight while in residence.

Graduated Exercises.—These are begun only when we feel that the patients can walk with safety. That is when the symptoms have abated to a marked degree and the disease is settling down. The first walk is but a short one—about one mile per day. The walks are gradually increased to about six miles per day, and then the patients are put on light garden work for two to four hours. Later they do the heaviest possible work. Tested thus by work, we considered that on discharge 82 or 50 per cent. of the patients who left the sanatorium this year were fit to work.

Many adjuvants have been used by us in the treatment of tuberculosis—for example,

Artificial Pneumothorax.—This has been used on a large number of cases with excellent results. We never resort to it unless the indications are that the disease is not likely to yield to other measures. Several patients who were apparently hopeless were admitted specifically for this treatment. It is one of the most encouraging things in our work to notice the really very remarkable response made by a certain proportion of such cases to this treatment. Artificial pneumothorax treatment has decidedly come to stay.

Tuberculin.—This is not a specific. It, however, is certainly an

exceedingly valuable adjuvant, stimulating and helping forward towards cure cases otherwise stationary. We specially favour Bacillary Emulsion Tuberculin, although throughout the year Defatted Tubercle Vaccine has been given to not a few with good results. Tuberculin was given in all to 81 cases, and of these 61 or 75.3 per cent. definitely benefited by the treatment. Twenty or 24.7 per cent. on whom it was used did not benefit by it.

Light Treatment.—We have used this now for fully ten years at the Sanatoria. At the present time we have a variety of lamps. Quartz Mercury Vapour, Tungsten Arc, Cored Carbon, and Carbon Arc Lamps. The aim is to produce artificial sunlight. Light treatment has proved of greater value in complications of tuberculosis than in tuberculosis of the lungs itself. Laryngeal Tuberculosis, Tuberculous Glands, Scrofuloderma, Lupus, Tuberculous Sinuses, Pleurisy, and Sciatica have all been much helped by this method of treatment. Nature is the best physician. By the utilisation of nature's methods thus, we are producing some of its results.

Vaccines, sodium morrhuate, ethyl morrhuate, angiolympe, continuous inhalation, calcium therapy—intravenous, intramuscular and per os, cupping, the actual cautery, ionisation and many other methods of treatment have been used during the year with varying results, sometimes discouraging, frequently excellent. While there is no specific for tuberculosis, we are justified thus in trying everything calculated to stimulate and reinforce the resistive powers of those whose tissues are invaded by such a serious enemy as the tubercle bacillus.

The work at the Sanatoria has involved continual severe strain. That it has been efficiently done is indicated by the figures already given, and by the fact that the average period of residence was 9.6 months.

The burden has been loyally borne by the Matron and her excellent staff of Sisters and Nurses. To her and those associated all credit is due.

JAMES CROCKET, M.D., F.R.C.P.E.

COLONY OF MERCY FOR EPILEPTICS.

The Colony of Mercy for Epileptics provides accommodation for 90 patients, although at the present time there are 94 in residence.

There are three houses—two for males and one for females. We admit to the Colony epileptics who are sane and capable of industrial employment or, if children, of attending school and receiving instruction such as is given in an ordinary school.

The Colonists are admitted from various parts of Scotland. Frequently they come in at the instance of Education Authorities or of Parish Council Authorities. Many are admitted privately.

An investigation is always made into the causation of the condition, and treatment is given to each individually. The patients, being usually quite well physically except during the period when the epileptic seizures are affecting them, are encouraged to work as ordinary

individuals. They do much of the housework; they go to the laundry; they work in the fields, and a few do office work and laboratory work.

There is no doubt that mentally and physically they are much the better of being thus occupied, and if perchance as a result of measures adopted, the fits become arrested, on leaving the institution they are fitted to fill some useful niche in life.

At the beginning of the year there were 91 patients in residence—42 men, 23 women, 18 boys, 8 girls. During the year 47 were admitted, 40 were discharged, and 4 patients died.

At the end of the year we have in residence 44 men, 25 women, 18 boys, and 7 girls—a total of 94.

There were recorded a total of 12,089 fits during the year—4353 major, 7736 minor. On the whole these are fewer than formerly. It is possible by therapeutic measures now to control those more effectively than previously.

During the year we had a visit from a Commissioner and the Secretary of the General Board of Control. Their report may to some be of interest:—

5th October, 1925.

The patients, who are all epileptic, were found in good general health. The medical care is of a most energetic and thoughtful description. The kindly enthusiasm of the nursing staff and the excellence of the conditions under which the patients live are very striking. The inmates are most contented, and everything possible is done to make them so. The employment of the patients is carefully attended to, and under supervision they are employed at outdoor and domestic work as fully as possible.

(Signed) JAMES P. STURROCK,
Commissioner, General Board of Control.

The work at the Colony is not one that appeals to the multitude. It can never be crowned with great success if success be measured by the perfect cure of the condition. It is, however, a good work.

The Colony is the only institution of its kind in the country which deals exclusively with a very much neglected class—not a small class, there are probably at least six to seven thousand epileptics in Scotland. By dealing with them it relieves relatives of a very great strain; it protects patients from innumerable dangers; it gives those who cannot get it otherwise that chief source of satisfaction—regular work—and it enables such patients to have their cases investigated and treated along scientific lines that are of proved value.

The one fault in regard to the Colony is that for most effective work it is really too small in every way. The demand for beds is such, and the character of the work is also such, that an institution four or five times its size is really called for.

The Staff is one that is frequently tried in many ways. The irritability of a group of epileptics is proverbial. Much tact is demanded. Continual consideration of each individual is also essential.

Many of our Staff have been with us for long periods. To them, for their patient continuance and increasing effort to make life happy, contented, and safe for those entrusted to their care, all praise is due.

JAS. CROCKET, M.D., F.R.C.P.E.

In Memoriam.

Miss Helen Alexander, Inverkeithny.	Miss Lees, Moniaive.
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Mrs. Anderson, Selkirk.	Miss Logan, Mauchline.
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Mr. James Bayne, Bankfoot.	Mrs. M'Kay, Grangemouth.
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S.S., Dumbarton, £4; Dundee High U.F. Ch. S.S., 10s; Bannockburn Parish Ch. S.S., £1; Nairn U.F. High Ch. Sewing Party, £5; Glasgow and District Postmen's Hospital Fund, £5 5s; Misses M., Arbroath, 10s; Mrs. R., Leith, 2s 6d; Miss C., Annan, 2s; Mr. and Mrs. F., Clydebank, £1; J. S., Kilmarnock, 10s; Mrs. C., Kilmacoll, £1; G. C., Aberdeen, 5s; A. B., Edinburgh, £50; J. D., Kilmarnock, £3; Miss D., Kilmarnock, 10s; D. B., Crowborough, £5; J. M'D., Walkerburn, £1; A Friend, per J. M'D., Walkerburn, 10s; Mr. and Mrs. S., Thurso, £1; Westend Children's Service, Forfar, £2; C. J., Forfar, £1; G. J., Forfar, £5; W. J., Forfar, £5; Mrs. U., £1 10s; A. G. S., £1; Miss B., £2; T. C., Musselburgh, 10s; Miss M., Kilbarchan, £1 1s; Miss T., Walkerburn, 10s; Misses A., £1 1s; P. S., £1; Rev. W. M'M., Corstorphine, 10s; Mrs. and Miss S., Dunfermline, 5s; Ian, Buntly, and Wee Donald, £1; Mrs. F. and Miss L., Aberdeen, 10s; Friends, Galston, £1; Miss R., Edinburgh, 10s; Kelvinside U.F. Ch. S.S., £2 3s; Greenlaw Parish Ch. S.S., Paisley, £1; Berwickshire High School Hostel Girls, Duns, £2; St. Columba Ch. S.S., Kilmacoll, £1; Blackburn U.F. Ch. B.C., Bathgate, 10s; Overtown S.S., Wishaw, £1; Cromarty U.F. Ch. Women's Guild, £1; W. D. & Bros., Ltd., Dumbarton, £8; J. J. R., Kirkcaldy, £2 2s; Miss M., Aberdeen, £5; Mrs. I.-J., Edinburgh, 3s 6d; Mr. M'N., Ayr, 10s; Miss H., Paisley, 5s; Mrs. T., Wateringbury (Emigration), £10; Mrs. C. and the late Mr. G. C., £3000; In loving memory of a husband, £5; J. B., Giffnock, 10s; W. K., £1 10s; Miss M'A., Langbank, £1; J. M. D., Ayr, £2; Miss O., £1; Mrs. J., Aberdeen, £1; Miss B., Stirling, £1; Miss M'N., Kildonan, 10s; G. A. M., £10; Mrs. M'R., Aberfeldy, 10s; Miss A., per Mrs. M'R., Aberfeldy, 6s; M'A. Bros., £5 5s; G. S., £4; Miss D., Maybole, £1; Miss M'N., 5s; Mrs. D., Edinburgh, 10s; Miss S., North Berwick, 5s; Mrs. M'C., Edinburgh, £5; J. V., Blairgowrie, £1 12s 3d; Mrs. R., Holytown, £1; Miss S., Coatbridge, £1; Miss S., Peebles, £1 10s; G. H. L., Shotts, £2; Miss M'K., Saltcoats, 10s; G. M., Crieff, £1 5s; Miss S., Edinburgh, £1; Mrs. E., High Blantyre, 7s; Mrs. P., Danneverke, 5s; Gospel Hall B.C., Forfar, £1 5s; Dalziel U.F. Ch. Girls' Auxly., Motherwell, £1; Monzie U.F. Ch. Women's Guild, £2; Coatbridge East U.F. S.S., 17s 6d; Employees' Charities Fund, Motherwell Waggon and Rolling Stock Co., Ltd., £5 5s; C. B., Worthing, £5; Mrs. F., Jedburgh, 10s; Miss G., Aberdeen, £5; A Friend, Johnstone, £5; Z. J., £1; Mrs. S., 10s; Miss J., Aberdeen, £1; Mrs. M., Airdrie, £1; Mrs. M'K., and Miss H., Ayr, 5s; Miss A., Langholm, 10s; G. H. S., Bearsden, £4; Mr. and Mrs. A., Saltcoats, £1; H. W., Cambuslang, 5s; Mrs. and Miss G., Perth, £1 10s; Two Sisters, Dalry 10s; Millworkers, Walkerburn, £1; Miss S., Walkerburn, 5s; Misses M'C., Cannes, £1 10s; Mrs. F., Broughty Ferry, £1 1s; Mrs. R., Sleat, 7s 6d; W. M'F., Whiting Bay, £2; Mrs. M.H.,

Airdrie, 10s; Anon., £1; Mrs. C., Paisley, 10s; Capt. I. W. M'L., Houghton-le-Spring, £1 1s; Mrs. G., Bearsden, 10s; Mrs. G., Irvine, £1 5s; J. A., Ardrossan, 2s 6d; Miss H., Oban, 5s; J. A. C., Aberdeen, 10s; A. D., Kirkcubbin, 10s; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. M'F., Bearsden, £5 5s; Mr. and Mrs. J. A., Darvel, £1; Miss M'B., Rothesay, £5; Miss M'L., Ayr, £2; South U.F. Children's Ch., Paisley, 10s; West U.F. Ch. S.S., Kinross, £2; Douglas Park S.S., Bellshill, £1; Powmill S.S., Fossoway, £3; 2nd Crieff Brownie Pack, £5; Dunsinnan Y.W.C.A., £5; Employees, Greenlees & Sons, Ltd., £1; S. & Y., Ltd., £10; A. K., Ltd., Nitshill, £1 1s; Two Sisters, Brockville, £2 2s 2d; Mrs. P., £1; R. L., 10s; Mr. and Mrs. J. H., £1; Mrs. W., 10s; Employees, John Brown & Co., £1 1s; Tolleross Park U.F. Ch. S.S., £1 1s; Mrs. S., £2.

WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 27.—Alice, Willie, and Jessie, 10s; Miss M'L., Guelph, £2; J. R. M'P., Bombay, £2; Miss M'E., £1; Mr. R. and Mrs. M., Blairgowrie, £2; A few workers, Lyle & Scott, Hawick, £4 3s; Miss R., Belfast, £1; R. S. D., Rothesay, £5; J. H., Beattock, £1; Mrs. R., 10s; Masters J. & S. G., St Andrews, 5s; Miss W., Scotstoun, 5s; Mrs. M., Skelbo, £1; Miss B., Farnborough, 6s; Anon., £1; W. Y., Bombay, £1; Miss N., Edinburgh, £1; Rev. and Mrs. W. B., Edinburgh, £2 2s; Mrs. W., Kilmacoll, £5 5s; W. M. E., Coldstream, £3; Mrs. G., Dunrossness, £1; "For Flowers sold in Gala," £1; F. E. P., Bristol, £2; G. D. S., Edinburgh, £2 2s; Mrs. M'N., Colintrave, 10s; Mrs. S., Coupar-Angus, £2; Misses B. & Y., Aberdeen, 4s; J. M., Reston, £1; A Friend, 10s; Miss L., Perth, 10s; Miss B., Wishaw, 11s 9d; J. S. N., 10s; St. Mary's U.F. Ch. S.S., Govan, £1; Holyrood Abbey U.F. Ch. S.S., Edinburgh, £2; Graham Street S.S., Airdrie, £1; Howgate S.S., Penicuik, £1; Gilcomston U.F. Ch., Aberdeen, £1 10s; St. Olaf's U.F. S.S., Lerwick, 10s; Paisley E.U. Congl. Ch. B.C., £1; Caldwell Parish Ch. Women's Guild, £1; Pupils of the Killean School, Kintyre, 12s; Mrs. C., 5s; Mrs. W., High Blantyre, 1s; The late Mrs. J. Winter, Peterhead, per Gray & Gray, £115 4s 3d; A Grateful Girl, £2 2s 1d; Mrs. A., Wishaw, £1; Miss H., Airdrie, 10s; C. R. L., £10; Mrs. W., Aberdeen, 2s 6d; Miss A., £1; J. T., Glengarnock, 10s; G. L. M., Alexandria, 10s; "An old Girl," £2; J. H., Avoch, £2 10s; J. M'D., Regina, 4s; Miss W., Bristol, £2; R. M., Coatbridge, £1; D. H., Carlisle, 3s 6d; Miss C., Edinburgh, 5s; Mrs. B., Jedburgh, £3; Miss M'K., Wootton Bridge, 5s; Miss R., Kirkcaldy, 10s; G. D., Coupar-Angus, 5s; J. C., Motherwell, £5 5s; Mrs. M'E., Kilmarnock, 5s; Mr. and Mrs. M'L., £2 2s; Mrs. T., Lancaster, £1; Mrs. L., £1; J. H., £5; G. W., Edinburgh, 5s; Mrs. D., Keith, £1; Misses S., Forfar, £1 1s; M. E., £1; Miss G., Juniper Green, £1; Miss C., Keith, £1; Miss C., 10s; M. E. M'N., Edinburgh, £3; Miss G., Arbroath, 10s; R. R. M'N., London, £5; Mr. and Mrs. A., Kilmacoll, £1; Misses A., 5s; J. H. R., £1; Rev. H. M. O., £1; C. M'D., £1; G. S., £10; D. R. M., £1 1s; Mrs. K., Greenock, £1; D. M., Broughty Ferry, 10s; Mrs. M'G., Torquay, £1; A. M'K., M.D., £1 1s; Misses W., Maybole, £1 10s; W. B., Stirling, £1; J. W., sen., Dundee, 10s; J. D., Cairo, £1; "Old Nurse," £4; A. M. L., Harrow, 10s; Miss R., Greenock, £2; Mrs. M'K., Bournemouth, £5; J. M'D., Walkersburn, £1; R. F., Marmarth, £1 2s; Ebenezer Gospel Hall B.C., Johnstone, £1 10s; Coupar-Angus Parish Ch. S.S., £2 10s; Bellgrove U.F. Ch. S.S., £1; North Morningside U.F. Ch. Missionary Society, Edinburgh, £3; Saffronhall S.S., Hamilton, £3; New Galloway S.S., 12s 6d; Olive Hall S.S., Hamilton, £1 10s; Airdrie High U.F. Ch. Senior B.C., 10s; Ballantrae Parish Ch. S.S., 6s; Clune Park S.S., Port-Glasgow, £1 10s; Campsie Home Mission, £1; Wellwynd U.F. Ch. Primary, Coatbridge, 10s; B. C. & Co., Ltd., £20; Elderslie Graving Dock Emp., per Barclay, Curle & Co., £2; C. B. & Sons, Alloa, £10; R. & W. S., Carlisle, £10; Scottish Iron and Steel Co., Ltd., Woodside Works, £5 5s; J. W. & Sons, Ltd., £3 3s; Employees Office and Pension Retails Depts., Paisley Co-op. Manufacturing Society, £1 1s; T. C. N., Ltd., £3; J. Y. & Sons, £1 1s; Employees, Doulton & Co., Ltd., Paisley, £3 3s; Mrs. M'G., Alexandria, 5s; Mrs. M'V., 2s; Mrs. F., Ladykirk, 5s; Mrs. W., Bridge of Weir, £1; Mrs. H., Falkirk, £2; J. R., Greenock, £1; Rev. J. C., Dundee, £1; Mrs. W., Auchentheat, £1; Miss J., 5s; Miss L., £6 6s; W. R., Kilmarnock, £1; Miss M'M., £1; Anon., £1; Mr. and Mrs. P., 5s; G. W. W., Bury St. Edmunds, £5; Miss M'K., £2; Miss C., £2; Mrs. W., Dundee, £1; J. B. O'N., Belfast, £2 2s; Pearl and Tom, £2; In Memoriam, £1; R. B., Aberystwyth, £2 2s; Miss N., Ashton-on-Lyne, £1; Mrs. W., Edinburgh, 10s; Misses S., Perth, 7s 6d; A. W., 15s; W. D., Udmoy, 10s; Mrs. S., Broxburn, 10s; Misses W., Aberdeen, £1; Mr and Mrs. T., Edinburgh, 5s; Misses D., Aberdeen, £1; Miss E. M'K., Row, £2; H. K. M'G., Helensburgh, £1 10s; Mrs. W., Paisley, £1; J. H. L., Edinburgh, £2; Mrs. I., £1; A Friend, 5s; R. C. P., Lundin Links, £5; Mrs. K., Clarkston, £1; In Loving Memory of M. G., 10s; Mrs. W., Hamilton, 10s; A. H. T., Strathaven, 5s; Miss B., Greenock, 2s 6d; A. M'K., Forfar, £2; Mrs. G., Huntly, 7s 6d; Miss W., Greenock, 10s; W. H. S., Pretoria, £2; Miss Y., £1; J. L., Newport, £5; Mr. and Mrs. J. M'C., sen., £10; J. W. M'C., jun., 2s 6d; T. H. M'C., jun., 2s 6d; Mrs. C., Dunoon, 10s 6d; Miss M., £1; Brandon Street U.F. Ch. S.S., £5; York Place S.S., Perth, £1; Balmullo House S.S., Leuchars, £1; Crossford S.S., Dunfermline, £3; Paisley Abbey S.S., £2 15s; Middle U.F. Ch. B.C., Greenock, £2; Mid Calder U.F. Ch. S.S., £1 1s; R. S. M'C., Ltd., and Staff, £2; A. P. & Co., £10; A. & C., Ltd., £2 2s; Mr. and Mrs. A. F.-P., Alloa, £77 10s; E. A. and C. F.-P., £1 10s; C. N., Morocco, £1; Miss A., 10s; Miss R., £1 10s; Miss M., Kilmarnock, 10s; M. S., £2; Miss G., £1; Miss M., 10s; Mrs. R., Swansea, £1; Mr. and Mrs. L., £2; A. J., London, £2 2s; Wallacetown Glencairn S.S., £2 4s 6d; Mrs. H., Galashiels, £1 5s 6d; Miss H. and Friends, 4s 6d; M. & P., Edinburgh, £2; Miss R., Helensburgh, 10s; G. S. R., Cove, £5; Anon., 10s; E. C. H., 10s; J. M. and Mrs. H., Kirkcudbright, £2; M. D., £1; T. S. H., East Kilbride, £1; Children of Mr. B., Largs, 10s; J. S., Twechar, 5s; W. S., Lesmahagow, £20; Miss B., Brechin, 5s; G. W. R., Blackheath, 5s; J. G. W., North Berwick, £1; Mrs. R., Kirkwall, 10s; Miss F., Kirkwall, 2s; J. B., 10s; Miss T., Edinburgh, £1; Nurse M., Edinburgh, 5s; M. A. S., Kendal, 2s 6d; W. B., £1; H. L. Troon, £1; Mrs. B., Newport-on-Tay, 10s; Mrs. M'L., Forfar, £1; J. W., 8s 6d; U.C., Ltd., £15; J. H. I., Bristol, £10; Miss R., Motherwell, £1; W. H., Stepps, 10s; A. M., Newmilns, £2; W. G. M'G., £10; R. Y., Elgin, £5; F. C. B., Dunblane, £5; P. L., Greenock, £100; Mrs. T., Alloa, £10; J. L. and Niece, West Kilbride, £3; Lieut.-Col. W. T., Peebles, £5; W. R. S., Dundee, £1; Mrs. C., Leven, £1; Miss C., Lawrencekirk, 10s; W. B., Keith, 10s; Mrs. A., £2; Braidwood S.S., £2; Ebenezer U.F. S.S., Leith, £2; S. Morningside U.F. Ch. J.B.O., Edinburgh, 17s 6d; St. John's S.S., Dundee, £2 4s; Part of S.S. Collection, per D. F., Aberdeen, 16s; Kelmeldrum S.S., £1 1s; Employees of Wm. Beardmore & Co., Ltd., £10; Employees of Ballochmyle Creamery Co., £1 1s; Craigmailen U.F. Ch. S.S., Bo'ness, £2;

Mossvale U.F. S.S., 10s; A. J. B. & Co., £2 2s; Mrs. B., Paisley, 5s; Employees of M. Cockburn & Co., Falkirk, £5; Mr. and Mrs. P., £1; J. S., Edinburgh, £2; Caldercruix U.F. Ch. B.C., 5s; Mrs. B., Bathgate, £3; Mr. S., Wigtown, 10s; Miss H. and Nephew, Crossgates, 15s; High Street U.F. Ch. S.S., Inverness, £1; Miss J., Oyne, £5; Miss G., Edinburgh, 5s; Staff and Employees of Brown Bros. & Co., Ltd., Edinburgh, 14s 6d; Mr. J. Dunoon, 10s; Classes IV. and V., High School, Stirling, £2 10s; Mr. and Mrs. A., Perth, £1; C. F., Galashiels, £1; T. B., Selkirk, 5s; Four Children at Alyth, 10s; Shiskine U.F. S.S., 10s; Mrs. S., Hamilton, 10s; Glenluce U.F. Ch. S.S., £1; Mrs. M'Q., Irvine, 10s; Mr. and Mrs. M'A. and Family, £3; Workmen at R. Addie & Sons, £10 10s; Oakshaw U.F. Ch. C.M.S., Paisley, £1; D. & G. B., £1; Middle U.F. Mission S.S., Paisley, £2; J. B., Ayr, 10s; Miss S., Ardrossan, 10s; Mrs. T., £1; "George," 4s; Mrs. I., Cults, £2; J. R. G., Ayr, £1; Employees, J. Gould & Lauder, £1; Son, Ayr, 10s 6d; Mr. and Mrs. M'M., Baily, 10s; Mrs. K., Auckland, £5; Miss O., Stepps, 2s 6d; Mrs. G., Coaltown of Wemyss, 10s; Anon., 10s; Miss B., 10s; Miss D., Strathaven, 10s; Mrs. T., Dumbarton, 10s; Miss G., Milnathort, £1; Miss G., Stranraer, 5s; J. M'N., £2; Mrs. A., £1; T. L., St Andrews, £1 5s; H. M'Q., Mauchline, £100; J. T. M'K. & Brother, £5; Mrs. M., Alloa, 5s; J. P., Beaully, 10s; Miss M'Q., Skipness, £1; H. R., Paisley, 10s; Misses G., Stranraer, 10s; Miss J., 10s; G. W. F., Coulter, £1 6s; J. A. I., £1; Rev. R. M., Stornoway, 10s; G. S., Ayr, £1; Employees of David Colville & Sons, £1 1s; Lochwinnoch West U. F. Ch. Junior B.C., £1 4s; Maidens U.F. Ch. S.S., Kirkoswald, £1; Kilbride S.S., Kyles of Bute, £1; Sheuchan Parish S.S., Stranraer, £3 3s; Miss B., Strathaven, £1; St. Mary's Holm S.S., Street U.F. Ch. S.S., Dumbarton, £2 2s; High Street U.F. Ch. J.B.C., Dumbarton, £1 10s; St. John's U.F. Ch. Mothers' Union, Cupar-Fife, 10s; Infants and Juniors, Alva Academy, £1 2s 6d; W. F., 10s; R. C., £1; Cumberland B.C., £2; Cathcart Road Gospel Hall B.C., 17s 6d; Cathcart Road S.S., £3 4s 5d; Bellahouston Parish Ch. S.S., £3; Mrs. B., 10s; Employees, Smith & M'Lean, £2 2s; Employees, Smith & M'Lean, Mossend, £5 5s; M'C. & Co., £3 3s; W. P. T., Greenock, £1; A. C., 5s; J. F., 10s; P. L., jun., £1; Dale Street Mission S.S., £1; S. G., £5; J. J. and E. L., £3; Mrs. S., Wick, 7s 6d; Mrs. D., Inverurie, £2; J. C. B., £1; Mrs. K., Dumfries, £1 1s 3d; Mrs. K., Alyth, 10s; J. K., Dundee, £1; Mrs. G., Darvel, £1; Mrs. A., 10s; Mrs. B., Leith, £1; Miss R., Liberton, 10s; Mrs. S., Irvine, £1; Mrs. T., Freuchie, £1; A. L., Aberdeen, 6s 3d; T. W. M'A., £1; Mrs. M'L., Cardonald, 5s; Miss R., Crieff, 2s 6d; Miss R., Greenock, £1; K.P. Co-op. Society, Ltd., £2 10s; Stewarts & Lloyds, Ltd., on behalf of their Staffs at Clyde and British Tube Works and Sun Foundry, Coatbridge, and Imperial Tube Works and Climax Works, Airdrie, £5; Shawlands Parish Ch. S.S., £1 15s; Mortlach S.S., Dufftown, 14s 4d; Langbank U.F. Ch. S.S., £1; Morton Parish Ch. Dumfries-shire, £10 6s 5d; Landsborough U.F. Ch. Prim. Cl., Saltcoats, £1; North U.F. Ch. Ladies' Wk. Party, Crieff, £5; Crieff U.F. Ch. S.S., £4; Found in Boxes, 7s 9d. *Per C.O.S.*—L. C., £1 1s; A. T. R., Auchterarder, £10; Mrs. Y., £5; Mrs. I., 10s; Dr. and Mrs. M'K. A., £2 2s; W. R., Rothesay, 10s; Miss H., Eaglesham, 5s; Mrs. B., £5; Mr. and Mrs. I., £3; H. A. N., £2 2s; D. R. & Co., £2 2s.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer between 1st and 31st December.—Mrs. P., £1; P. H., £1 1s; Employees of David Colville & Co., Ltd., £12; A.M.C. Co., Ltd., £3 3s; Glasgow Indoor Postal Hosp. and Ben. Fund, £4 4s; Miss M'C., £2; St. Clements Parish Ch., £1; Miss C., Edinburgh, £5; G. P. M'I., £2 2s; Employees, J. Taylor Wheatholm, Ltd., Airdrie, £2 2s; A. A. R., Edinburgh, £5; D. M. & Co., £3 3s; D. C. & Co., £1; Mr. J. M. Drennan's Trust, per Mitchells, Johnston & Co., £13 6s 8d; Rev. L. C. M. M., Corstorphine, £1 1s; Ayr U.F. Ch., 6s 6d; Employees, The Scottish Tube Co., £4 4s; D. R., £50; A. M. A., Kilmacoll, £10; St. Mary's Parish Ch. S.S., £1; St. Mungo S.S., £1 1s; J. M. M., £1 1s; A. W. R., Edinburgh, £3 3s; Lieut.-Col. D. F. D., Aberdeen, £3 3s; Newarthill S.M. Boys and Girls' Meeting, £1; W. G. M., £1 10s; Miss Marion C. M'Ewan's Trust, £9 13s 9d; M. E. D., £2; A. M'R., Applecross, 12s 6d; The Incorporation of Maltmen, £3 3s; Queen's Park Parish Ch. S.S., £1; P. & S., Ltd., £5; Rev. W. and Mrs. D., Joppa, £1; Employees, Albion Motor Car Co., Ltd., £9; Misses W., 5s; Miss H., Perth, 5s; Workmen, James Nimmo & Co., Ltd., Slamannan, &c., Collieries, £10 10s; Mr. A., Lockerbie, £3 3s; Members, Greenock Cent. Co-op. Society, Ltd., £5 10s; Kenyhill Bequest Fund, per Mitchells, Johnston & Co., £30; Employees, Hurst, Nelson & Co., Ltd., £3; D. B. M., 10s; A. R., Dundee, £1; Pollokshields Cong. Ch. S.S., 15s; Employees, The Mirrlees Watson Co., Ltd., £7; Abbey U.F. Ch. S.S., Perth, 13s; "A Woman Sympathiser," £5; The Staff, N.B. Diesel Engine Works, Ltd., £1; The Workmen, N.B. Diesel Engine Works, Ltd., £5; The D. & S. Co-op. Society, Ltd., £2 2s; Langside Parish Ch. S.S., £1; C. Co-op. Society, Ltd., £5; Employees, D. & W. Henderson's, Meadows, £2; Thomas Kirkhope's Trust, per Wm. Murdoch & Son, £60; Giffnock U.F. S.S., £3 3s; The Workers of Wm. Fulton & Sons, Ltd., Paisley, £3; Trinity U.F. Ch. Camelon Prim. S.S., 10s; The Staff, Goods Manager's Office, L.N.E. Rly., £2; John Street U.F. Ch. S.S., 10s; J. M'F., £2; West Ch. S.S., Grangemouth, £2; Shipyard Employees, Bow, M'Lachlan & Co., £3; St. Columba S.S., Helensburgh, £3 2s 6d; St. James' U.F. Ch. S.S., Paisley, £2 10s; Employees, Wm. Denny & Bros., £5; Employees, Wm. Collins & Co., £3 3s; Employees, Dalziel Co-op. Society, Ltd., £6.

WEEK ENDING JANUARY 3.—Bonnington U.F. Ch. S.S., Edinburgh, £1 10s; Miss H., Edinburgh, £2; D. B., Pitlochry, 10s; J. M. S., Uddingston, £3 3s; M. H., Paisley, 10s; J. B., £1; Mrs. W., Edinburgh, £1; H. A. L. and Family, Thorntonhall, £15; Miss J., Galston, £100; J. F. H., Motherwell, £2; G. R., 10s 6d; W. I., Gourrock, £2; Mrs. S., 10s; J. M. P., Kirkintilloch, 10s; P. W. R. S., 5s; Mrs. W., Comrie, 10s; "Wellwisher," 5s; P. R. A., Campbeltown, £1 1s; Mrs. C., Carnoustie, 10s; Miss H., Coatbridge, 10s; Miss L., Shanghai, £1; In Memory of J. A. S., £1; J. S., £2 2s; K. Co-op. Society, Ltd., £3 3s; J. & D. H., £5; Employees, Fulwood Foundry Co., Ltd., £1 1s; Viewforth U.F. Ch. S.S., Edinburgh, £2; Glasserton S.S., Whithorn, 3s; Y.W.C.A., Cupar-Fife, 10s; Luss Parish Ch. Christmas Collection, £1 0s 4d; West U.F. Ch. S.S., Forfar, £1 10s; West Ch., Auchterarder, 5s; Brunton U.F. Ch. S.S., Markinch, £1; A Grateful Girl, 6s; Miss B., Gourrock, 10s; Mr. J., Paisley, £1; Mr. and Mrs. R. and Family, £3; W. C., Eaglesham, £1; W. C. N., Argyll, £5; Mrs. S., Ross-shire, £1; J. K., Crieff, £1; Mrs. G., Edinburgh, £1; A. I., Coatbridge, 10s; Mr. and Mrs. R., Paisley, £3 3s; A. M. B., £1; Mr. and Mrs. B., Kilmacoll, £2 2s; Mrs. H., 5s; Mrs. W., Coupar-Angus, £1; Miss H., Peeblesshire, 2s 6d; Mrs. L., Portobello, 5s; Mrs. M'G.; I. P. F., Chryston, 10s; "A Typist," 2s 6d; Mrs. Y., £2; "For the

Funds," 4s; A. MacK., £1; J. P., Ayr, £3; Nurse H., 2s 6d; J. A., Tarbolton, £10 10s; G. W. L. S., Arbroath, £5; J. S., Riddrie, £1; Miss O., Fife, £1 10s; Mrs. B., £1; To help with Children's New Year Dinner, 2s 6d; J. T., Swansea, 5s; Rev. J. K., Portobello, £1; N. G., Cumbernauld, 10s; In Memoriam Dec. 30th, J. S. S., 10s; A. W., Neilston, £5 Misses A. J. and P. M., £1; Mrs. B., 5s; Employees, Alex. Henderson, Ltd., £1 1s; T. G., £1; C. W., Johnstone, 5s; Anon., 10s; Employees, Drysdale & Co., £3 3s; S. & Sons, Bowling, £10; Workmen, Barr & Higgins, £12 12s; G.E. Co-op. Society, £3 3s; Employees, Glasgow Eastern Co-op. Society, £3 3s; Forfar Branch, S.S. Union, £1; Dunniker U.F. Ch. S.S., 10s; Nethy Bridge U.F. Ch. S.S., 12s 6d; Bridge Street U.F. Ch. S.S., Dunkeld, 5s; J. M., Dunkeld, 15s; Clarkston Mission S.S., Airdrie, £3; Members of B.C. and S.S., U.F. Church, Fossoway, £2 6s; Garngad Hall B.C., £3; Mr. and Mrs. B., £1, Bearsden S.S., £2; Westerton S.S., 17s 1d; Girvan Chalmers U.F. Ch. S.S., 16s 6d; Douglas U.F. Ch. S.S., £1; Dollar Parish Ch. S.S., £2; Junior Guild, Paisley, £2; B. Co-op., 10s 6d; Woodside Congl. Ch. S.S., £1 1s; North Street Mission S.S., Leven, £1; North U.F. Ch. Work Party, Stromness, £10 10s; Wallacetown Parish Ch. Women's Guild, £5 5s; Gospel Hall, Busby, £2; Cordiner U.F. Ch. S.S., £1; Members of Ivy Cottage Club, Bearsden, 14s; D. M., Vancouver, 4s 3d; Miss B., Saskatoon, £2 2s 1d; Mantlepiece Box, W.U., £1; Mrs. E., Orkney, £1; Miss L., Alloa, £1; G. F. N., £2; Miss D., Elderslie, £2; T. B., Motherwell, £2; J. T., £3 3s; Miss A., Arbroath, £1; Miss M'G., Helensburgh, £1; J. Y., Aberdeen, 10s; R. B., £5; Miss M'K., Ayr, £6; Mrs. C., £1; J. C., New Galloway, 10s; R. J. D., Leith, £5; Mrs. H. Dumfries, 5s; Misses P., Galashiels, £3; Miss R., Gourrock, £1; W. M., £2; "Milnathort," £5; A. P. Leeds, £2; "In Loving Memory," 10s; "Ayr," 5s; Missionary Box, Edinburgh, 5s; J. M'G. & Sons, Greenock, £2; O. S., Edinburgh, £1; Mrs. R., Edinburgh, 5s; West U.F. Ch. Congl. S.S., Coldstream, £1 8s 9d; R. C., Coldstream, £1; In Memoriam, £1; Mrs. K., Alyth, £1; Mrs. R., Edinburgh, 10s; Mrs. L., 10s; Mrs. G., Strathaven, 5s; Miss M., Strathaven, 5s; F. H., Blackburn, £1; W. J., £2 2s; Miss G. K., 19s; T. G. K., £1 1s; Employees, Jas. Lindsay & Son, Ltd., £1 1s; Staff and Employees, Motherwell Foundry, £2 2s; Portland Road U.F. Ch. Mission S.S., £1; Mannofield Parish Ch. S.S., £1 10s; Dalziel U.F. Ch. S.S., £3; Thornliebank Parish S.S., £1; Crawford Lane S.S., 10s; Logierait Parish Ch. Women's Guild, 10s; Springfield U.F. Ch. S.S., £1; Abbey Ch. S.S., North Berwick, £2; Dyce U.F. Ch. S.S., £2 2s 6d; Hanwood U.F. Ch. S.S., £1 10s; Parish Ch. Women's Guild, Kirriemuir, £3; Liff U.F. Ch. S.S., £1; Sanquhar Mission Hall S.S., 15s; Hallside Parish Ch. S.S., 10s; Ruchill U.F. Ch. S.S., £6; Chalmers Street U.F. Ch., £1; St. Serfs S.S., £1; Scotstoun U.F. Ch. S.S., £1 10s; Strathaven West U.F. Ch. B.C., £1; Shilford S.S., £1 8s; Battlefield U.F. Ch. B.C., £1; Anniesland Hall S.S., £1 6s; Polmont Parish Ch. S.S., 10s; Springburn Parish Ch. S.S., Association, £1 10s; Kinlochleven U.F. S.S., £1; Mission S.S., Stonehaven, 10s; Sheuchan, Stranraer, U.F. Ch. S.S., £2 7s 3d; Miss M., Edinburgh, £2; Newhaven U.F. Ch. S.S., £15; R. M. J., £1; Mrs. A., £150; J. C., 10s; Bridgeton U.F. Ch. S.S., £1; Whitevale U.F. Ch. S.S., £1 5s 3d; E. R. T., 10s; Mrs. S., 5s; John Street U.F. Ch. Session Poor Fund, £2 2s; St. Andrews U.F. Ch. S.S., £1 10s; Chapelhall U.F. Ch. S.S., £1 5s; Employees, Bow's Emporium, £1 1s; Employees, Stephen Mitchell & Son, £1; J. P., £1; Hobe A. (Home and Foreign Missions), 5s; Mrs. C., Mossend, £1; Miss R., Kilmarnock, 10s; J. F., sen., Greenock, £25; Mrs. L., Hong Kong, £5; Anon., 10s; Mrs. T., £5; Miss C., £1; J. C., Aberdeen, 10s; Rose N., 10s; J. W. M., Aberdeen, 10s; Dr. L., £1; Miss S., Edinburgh, £1; Mrs. C., Kilmacollm, £1; Mrs. P., Moreton, £1; J. J., £1; Miss C., Buckhaven, £5; Anon., £1; R. M. D., £2; Anon., 5s; W. S. Gourrock, £1; Miss G., West Ferry, £1; T. C., 10s; Mrs. and Miss T., 10s; T. C. C., £1 5s; Mr. and Mrs. F., Crosscates, £1; Mr. and Mrs. R., Kirkintilloch, 10s; A. R., £2 2s; "Willie and Cecilia," £1 1s; Miss P., Fauldhouse, £3; Mrs. A., Milnathort, 5s; Mrs. G., £1; Miss B., 5s; Two Friends, £300; Two Friends (Home and Foreign Missions), £1000; A Grateful Girl, 10s; Employees, Benevolent Fund Information Dept., J. & P. Coats, Ltd., £5 5s; Employees, Geo. Christie, Ltd., £1 1s; Burnbank Bowling Club, £1; Greenbank Parish Ch. S.S., £2 10s; Victoria P. Bapt. Ch. B.C., £2; Wick U.F. Ch. S.S., 15s; St. Andrew's S.S., Alloa, £1; Cromarty U.F. Ch., £1 10s; Mauchline Children's Sabbath Morning Meeting, £1 10s; Stockbridge Mission S.S., Edinburgh, 8s 6d; Stenhouse Mission S.S., Edinburgh, £4; Inverallan S.S., Grantown-on-Spey, £2; Castle-Douglas U.F. Ch. S.S., £1; Wilkieston U.F. Ch. B.C. and S.S., Kirknewton, 5s; West U.F. Ch. S.S., Strathaven, £9 4s 2d; Vennel Mission S.S., Greenock, £1 5s; Airdrie Town Mission S.S., £1 18s; North Richmond Street S.S., Edinburgh, £1 5s; Wellwynd U.F. Congl. S.S., Airdrie, £2; Inverleven U.F. Ch. S.S., Methil, £1; Erskine Orr Mission S.S., Greenock, £1; Charing Cross S.S., Grangemouth, £2; Rev. R. W. H., West Ealing, £1 1s; W. B. M., Motherwell, £5; Mrs. P., Milngavie, £50; A. C. M'D., Aberdeen, 10s; Miss C., Sowerby, 10s; Mrs. H., Saltburn-by-the-Sea, £2; R. M'G., Las Palmas, £3 3s; The late Mrs. Meiklejohn, Newton of Falkland, £1 7s 6d; Miss F., £2 10s; "A New Year Gift," £2; Mr. and Mrs. W., Gorgie, £15 15s; Mrs. W., Gourrock, £2; C. J. B., Milngavie, £3; "A Thankful Offering," £1 1s; "In Memory of Wee Judy," 7s 6d; Miss C., Chryston, £1; Mr. and Mrs. G. N., £2; Miss M., Galashiels, £1; J. W., 10s; J. J., Hunter's Quay, £1 1s; Anon., £1 10s; J. A. D., £2 2s; "In Christ," 7s 3d; J. L. T., £1 1s; Miss T., 5s; Friends per Mrs. C., Murtle, £5 10s; W. J. D., Ayr, £10; T. T., Dunoon, £1; W. F. B., Ardrossan, 10s; Mrs. G., £3; Miss G., Paisley, £2; W. K., Bearsden, £5; C. M. C., Edinburgh, 10s; W. S., Paisley, £1; Miss T., Aberdeen, 7s 6d; A Friend, £1; T. C., Motherwell, £2; J. H., Cambuslang, £3 3s; J. P., Alexandria, 10s; Auchtertool S.S., Kirkcaldy, £2; Dingwall Parish Ch. S.S., £1 10s; Clydebank West U.F. Ch. S.S., £2; Forfar East U.F. S.S., £1; St. Cuthbert's Parish Ch. S.S., Edinburgh, £1; Rutherglen Bapt. Ch., £2 10s; Anniesland Cross, U.F. Ch. B.C., 10s; Ebenezer Hall B.C., Wishaw, £2

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Mission S.S., Edinburgh, £2; Chalmers U.F. Ch. S.S., Larkhall, 10s; Tulliallan Parish Women's Guild, Kincardine, £2; Tulliallan S.S., Kincardine, £1; Huntly U.F. Ch. S.S., 11s; Wester Pardovan and Bridgend U.F. Ch. S.S., Philipstoun, £2; Rosehearty U.F. S.S., 10s; Battlefield Parish Ch. S.S., £6 3s 3d; Gartsherrie Parish Ch., Coatbridge, £3; Renwick U.F. Ch. S.S., £2; 34th Glasgow Coy., B.B., £2; A Grateful Girl, 10s; Uncle Willie, 5s; Uncle Jamie, 5s; W. C., Coatbridge, £1; Mrs. S., £1 2s 6d; W. P. F., Strathmiglo, 15s; Miss K., China, £1 10s; Mrs. B., 7s 6d; Miss W., Dundee, 5s; "The Macphails," Kirkintilloch, £1 1s; Miss L., Edinburgh, 5s; Miss B., Dalry, £1; Anon., £1; J. D., Prestwick, £21; Master A. S. N., Newport, 10s; Mrs. B., Fyvie, £2; Mrs. H., Airdrie, 5s; Anon., 3s; Miss F., Kilmarnock, £100; Friends in Kinneswood, £1; Mrs. N., £1; "A Well-wisher," Alloa, 10s; A. A., Monkton, £1; Mr. and Mrs. G., Broughty Ferry, £1 10s; J. M'W., £3; Stow U.F. S.S., Midlothian, £1; Relief U.F. Ch. Mission S.S., Irvine, 17s; St. Andrew's U.F. Ch. S.S., Blairgowrie, £1; Mansfield U.F. S.S., Kilwinning, £1 10s; Linwood Parish Ch. S.S., 10s; Balshagray Parish Ch. Guild Fellowship Association, £1; Barony Parish Ch. Women's Guild W. Party, £3 3s; Bridge Street U.F. Ch. Mission S.S., Alexandria, 11s; Alexandria Wesleyan Ch. S.S., £1 15s 6d; St. John's U.F. Ch. S.S., Gourrock, £1; Regent Place U.F. Ch. S.S. and Bell Street Mission S.S., £1 19s 3d; Milngavie and Baldernock U.F. Ch. S.S., £1; Miss C., Airdrie, 2s 6d; D. R., Airdrie, 2s 6d; Margaret's Red Bag, 12s 6d; Rev. R. H. M., Inverness, 5s; Anon., 5s; A. P. S., £5; D. K., Edinburgh, 10s; J. H., Airdrie, £10; Mrs. D., 10s; Misses W., 5s; Do. (Emigration), 5s; Mrs. H., Dundee, £1 12s 6d; Mrs. N., Blairgowrie, 10s; Misses E., Bo'ness, £1; Mrs. C., £1; Mr. and Mrs. H., Saltcoats, 10s; Rev. T. M., Kilwinning, 10s; Mr. M'F., Islay, £1; Mrs. M., Buckie, 5s; Miss N., Sanquhar, £1; Miss H., 5s; Misses H., Aberdeen, £2; G. D., Stewarton, £8; Mrs. T., Larkhall, 5s; Mrs. T., St. Boswells, £15; J. J., Dundee, £5; Miss B., Aberdeen, 10s; Miss MacK., Edinburgh, £1; Miss K., Ontario, 4s 2d; J. V. M., Brockville, 12s 6d; Erskine U.F. Ch. S.S., Carnoustie, 15s; Ward Rd. Bapt. Ch. S.S., Dundee, 10s; St. John's U.F. Ch. S.S., Aberdeen, £1; St. John's U.F. Mission S.S., Montrose, £1; Cockpen U.F. Ch. Mission S.S., Bonnyrigg, £2; Prim. Dept. Children, Paisley, 6s; "Of Thine Own," £3; Miss H., £1; Wasbister, Ronsay, 12s 6d; A. D., Strathaven, £1; W. J. & Sons, Helensburgh, £5; Mrs. F., Motherwell, 5s; Mr. and Mrs. N. and Family, £4; A. F., Grangemouth, 10s; Mrs. F., Coupar-Angus, £2; Miss R., Nairn, 5s; Mrs. R., Nairn, 5s; W. F. S., Kelso, £10; Mr. and Mrs. R., £1; Mr. and Mrs. K., £1; Miss M., Laurencekirk, £2; Misses R. & C., Kirkcaldy, £1 5s; Mrs. R., Kirkcaldy, £1; The children, per Miss M'F., Lochgilphead, £2 10s; Mrs. H., Kirkcudbright, £1; A. O. E., Southampton, £10; Miss H., Dumbarton, 7s; Miss M'G., Yoker, 7s 6d; Miss M., 10s; West U.F. Ch. S.S., Lochwinnoch, £1; Parish Ch. B.C., Bonnybridge, £1; High U.F. Ch. S.S., Airdrie, £2 10s 6d; Buchanan Memorial U.F. Ch. S.S., £1; Pathstruie S.S., Forgandenny, £1 5s; Alvie S.S., 5s; Newport Y.W.C.A., 10s; Parish Ch. S.S., Tobermory, £2 2s; Parish Ch. S.S., Castle-Douglas, £1 5s; J. C., £1; A. S., East Kilbride, £1; A Few Friends, Lochgilphead, £2; W. E. S., Westminster, £2 2s; Miss G., Bridge of Allan, 10s; V. D. & C. F., £1 7s 6d; In Memory of J. C. B., Hunter's Quay, £1; Miss M., Edinburgh, £1; P. M., Furnace, 5s; W. M'D., 10s; Miss C., Edinburgh, £2; In Memory of My Dear Sister C. F. M., 10s; In Memory of our Old Nurse H. C., 10s; Mrs. T., Bellshill, 2s 6d; W. F., Motherwell, 10s; Mrs. M., 5s; W. K., 10s; Mrs. M., Peterculter, £4; Mr. and Mrs. L. (Emigration), 10s; Henry Drummond Memorial Y.M. & Y.W., £1 1s; Employees, Wallace Scott, Ltd., £3 3s; Lethen S.S., Nairn, 15s; St. Andrew's U.F. Ch. S.S., Annan, £1 13s 6d; Irvine Bank U.F. Ch. S.S., Darvel, £1 10s; Muiravonside Parish S.S., Linlithgow, £4 17s 2d; Acharn S.S., £1 5s 6d; Tongland and Twynholm U.F. S.S., Ringford, £1 1s; Kingskettle U.F. Ch. S.S., £1 5s; Blantyre E.U. Ch. S.S., 10s; Canmore Street Ch. S.S., Dunfermline, £9; Rutherglen Parish Children's Ch., £1; Miss B., Berwick-on-Tweed, £1; Anon., £12; Mr. and Mrs. R., 7s; Miss P., Fraserburgh, £5; Berwickshire High School, Duns, 10s; Miss M'T., Lochgilphead, 5s; Miss B., Wrexham, £1; Mrs. G., Perth, £1; Mr. and Mrs. P., Inchture, £1; Miss M'L., by Aberfeldy, 8s; J. S., Edinburgh, 10s; D. P., £3; Stour U.F. Ch. S.S., Trabboch, 5s; Canonbie U.F. Ch. S.S., 10s; Inveraray U.F. Ch. S.S., 10s; Ferryhill U.F. Ch. S.S. and Holborn Street Mission S.S., Aberdeen, £1; Moffat Parish Ch. S.S., £1 14s; Dryfesdale Parish Ch. S.S., Lockerbie, £1; Dublin U.F. Ch. of Scotland, £1 8s 6d; Adelaide Place Bapt. Girls' Aux., £2; Employees, Coatbridge Tinsplate Co., Ltd., £4 4s; St. James' Parish Ch. S.S., 10s; J. C., £2; J. B., 10s; J. M. P., £1; Mr. and Mrs. M'C., £4; Ashton U.F. Ch. S.S., Gourrock, £1 5s; Employees, John Glen & Co., Ltd., 10s 6d; Miss G., 10s; Springburn Railway Mission, £1 15s; F. S. B., 10s; Central U.F. Ch. S.S., 10s; Carden Place U.F. Ch. S.S., Aberdeen, £1 10s; Mr. W., £5; Fairfield U.F. Ch. S.S., £2 2s; Chapelton Parish Ch. S.S., 17s 6d; Miss B., Scotstoun, £1; John Dewar's Trust, £2 9s 7d.

WEEK ENDING JANUARY 17.—Miss B., Kilmacollm, £1; T. O'M., 10s; Rev. J. S. L., 3s; Flora, 5s; D. B., Paisley, £1; E. D., Hardgate Clad., 5s; Mrs. S., Inverurie, 5s; Rev. A. N., Arisaig, £1 10s; D. C. M., St. Andrews, £1; Mrs. and Miss C., 10s; Miss R., Edinburgh, £10; Mrs. P., Gourrock, £5; Mrs. F., £1; Mrs. C., Middlesex, £1; Misses G., Airdrie, 5s; Tayvallich S.S., 13s; Kirkcolum S.S., Stranraer, 5s; Bonnybridge Parish Ch. S.S., £1 1s; Ardbeg Bapt. Ch. S.S., Rothesay, 10s; Forman U.F. Ch. S.S., Leven, £1; Cairns U.F. Ch. S.S., Motherwell, £1 10s; Avon Street U.F. Ch. S.S., Hamilton, £1 1s; Greengairs Parish Ch. S.S., by Airdrie, 10s; Coaltown of Balgonie S.S., Markinch, £1; Markinch Parish Ch. S.S., 15s; A. R. B., M'F. & Co., £5 5s; J. D. P., £1 1s; "For the Bairns," £1; Miss C., £1; W. T. P., Alloa, £25; J. L. A., Dundee, £2; Mrs. M'A., £5; "In Memory of my Mother," £3 3s; The Hay Family Cap Collection, £1 1s; Anon., £20; Miss L., Montrose, 10s; Mr. and Mrs. S., £12; Miss C., I.O.W., 2s 6d; G. R., Montrose, £3; Miss C. and Sister, 15s; H. G., Manitoba, 4s 2d; Miss M'F., Winnipeg, 4s 2d; J. B., Winnipeg, 4s 2d; Victoria Hall B.C., Clydebank, £1; Prestonkirk U.F. Ch. S.S., £1 1s 6d; Wm. Dunn Mission Children's Ch., Paisley, £4; Summertown U.F. B.C., £1 1s; Mure Memorial U.F. Ch. S.S., Baillieston, 10s; Fauldhouse U.F. S.S., £1 10s; Springburn North U.F. Ch. S.S., £1 1s; West U.F. Ch. B.C., Broughty Ferry, 10s; Tighnabruach Parish Ch. S.S., £4; South U.F. Ch. S.S., Montrose, £1 5s; Rose Street S.S., Kirkcaldy, £2 7s 6d; Wm. Dunn Mission S.S., Canal Street U.F. Ch., Paisley, £1 15s; C. Co-op. Association, Ltd., Airdrie, £1 1s; Miss C., Lincoln, £1; Anon., £1; Mrs. K., 10s; Miss M'L., 2s 6d; Miss M'K., Bishopton, 5s; A. L. R., Uplawmoor, £1; B. L., China, 10s; Miss M'D., 5s; D. W. D., Kilbirnie, £1; A. D. G., Bridge of Weir, £1 1s; Miss L., Alexandria, £1; Mrs. R., Edinburgh, £1; Family of late Sir T. G. C., £1000; Miss H.,

Whitecairns, £1; J. R., Denholm, 10s 6d; Thankoffering, Corstorphine, 5s; Miss B., Alloa, 10s; D. B., Newtyle, 5s; Houston U.F. Ch. S.S., £1; Prim. Dept., Holburn U.F. Ch. S.S., Aberdeen, £1; Forres Parish S.S., 10s; Galston Parish Ch. S.S., £1 10s; Torry U.F. S.S., Aberdeen, £1; St. Andrew's Parish Ch. £7; Senior Lads' and B.B. B.C., St. Leonard's U.F. Ch., Perth, £1; Fullarton U.F. Ch. S.S., Irvine, £1; Trossach Parish Ch., Callander, £1 5s 3d; Heiton S.S., Kelso, £1; Lochgilphead U.F. Ch. S.S., 10s; Dalziel U.F. Ch. S.B.C., Motherwell, £1; K. Gen. Society, £3 3s; Dr. D. M. P., Melbourne, £5 5s 6d; Mrs. C., S. Shields, £1; G. J., Cleland, £1; Mrs. and Miss R., Edinburgh, £2; Mrs. C., 10s; Mrs. B., £200; Miss G., Shetland, 5s; Mrs. M'K., £10; Mrs. B., £1; Mrs. A., Thurso, £3; Mrs. W., Bridge of Allan, £5; Rutherglen Town Council, £5 5s; Ledaig S.S., 10s; Balshagray Parish Ch. S.S., £2; Ladyburn Parish Ch. Y.M. Guild, Greenock, 10s; South U.F. Ch. S.S., Fraserburgh, £3 3s 6d; Mearns Parish Ch. S.S., £2 10s; Livingstone Station S.S., 10s; Ferryhill Parish Ch. S.S., Aberdeen, £1; Hamilton Kirk Session S.S., £1 1s; Cardwell Bay S.S. Gourrock, 10s; Clackmannan Parish Ch. S.S., £2; Queen Street U.F. Ch. S.S., Tayport, £2; Miss W., Johnstone, £1 10s; Mrs. H., Balfour, 10s; Rev. A. B., Dunfermline, 10s; Mrs. M., Darvel, 5s; J. B., 7s 5d; Miss S., Aberdeen, 10s; My Family and Myself, Scotstoun, 10s; Misses F., Kilmacoll, £2; Rev. W. M'D., Edinburgh, 7s 6d; R. M., £20; Perthshire, £1; Mrs. H., Dundee, 10s; W. A., Greenock, £1; W. K., 10s; Mrs. L., Troon, 2s 6d; Mrs. W., Troon, 10s; Mrs. S., Rothesay, £1; Miss A., Rothesay, £1; Miss M., Saline, £2; D. S. J., Norfolk, £5 5s; Salors' Home, Leith, £1 18s; 85th Coy., B.B., £1 1s; Parish Ch. S.S. Prim. Dept., Helnsburgh, 18s; U.F. Middle Ch. S.S., Paisley, £4 4s; Galashiels Cong. Ch. S.S., £1; Barrhead South U.F. Ch. Women's Guild, £1 1s; Mrs. M'F., 10s; "Teviotdale," £1; "In His Service," 10s 6d; Miss G., Aberdeen, £1 3s 3d; A Few Friends, Sussex, £1; J. D., Auchterarder, 10s; Mrs. R., Bournemouth, 2s 6d; J. M., Perth, £2; Abbey U.F. S.S., Dunfermline, 10s; Clark Memorial S.S., Largs, £1; Garmouth U.F. Ch. S.S., 7s 6d; Hope Park U.F. S.S., St. Andrews, £1 18s; Monkton and Prestwick Parish Ch. S.S., £2; Ferry Porton Craig S.S., Tayport, £1; St. John's U.F. Ch. S.S., Leith, £3; Loudoun U.F. Ch. S.S., Newmilns, £1; Jordanhill U.F. Ch. S.S., £1; Mrs. S., £5; Cairns Junior B.C., £1; Finnieston U.F. Mission S.S., £3; Westbourne U.F. Ch. S.S., 10s; Bridgend U.F. Ch. S.S., £3; Wardlaw Y.M.C.A., 15s; London Road U.F. Ch. Prim. S.S., £2; St. Paul's Parish Ch. B.C., £1; Pollokshaws Original Secession Ch., £1.

WEEK ENDING JANUARY 24.—Miss M'C., Prestwick, 5s; Anon., 10s; Alice, Willie, and Jessie, Grangemouth, 10s; Miss P., Peterhead, 5s; Miss P., Ayr, 2s 6d; Mrs. D., Beal, 10s; W. S., Edinburgh, £10; Miss P., Ontario, £2 1s 8d; Dunlop Parish Ch. S.S., £5; Peddiston S.S., Cromarty, 7s 6d; Middle U.F. S.S., Perth, 15s; South Queensferry S.S., £1 10s; Hawick Baptist Ch. S.S., £1 12s 9d; Freeland U.F. Ch. S.S., Bridge of Weir, £2 8s 7d; Mr. and Mrs. F., Colintrave, 10s; "Viewpark Manse," Dumbarton, 10s; Miss T., Peebles, £1; British League Children's Ch., Leith, £3; J. W., Leith, 5s; J. M., Renfrew, £1; Renfrew Bapt. Ch., £1; E. W., Newton Stewart, 10s; Collection from friends at Strathblane and elsewhere, per Mrs. K., £8; "His Birthday Gift," 10s; Coats Parish Ch. S.S., Coatbridge, £1; Foundry Boys and Children's Ch., Troon, £9; St. Meddan's U.F. Ch. S.S., Troon, £2; U.F. Ch. S.S., Wigtown, £1 8s 3d; Sir Michael Street U.F. Ch. Mission S.S., Greenock, £1 1s; Wellwynd U.F. Ch. S.S., Airdrie, £1 5s; Anderson U.F. Ch. S.S., Kilsyth, £1 10s; Queen Anne Street U.F. Ch. S.S., Dunfermline, £2 10s; Staff and Employees, Brown Bros. & Co., Ltd., Edinburgh, 12s 6d; Basrah Amateur Dramatic Society, Abadan Gymkhana Club, £21; J. G. P., Fauldhouse, £1 1s; Mrs. L., £7; Miss L., £7; Miss A., Forgue, £1; J. T., Edinburgh, £5; Crossford S.S., 10s; Shawlands Ch. of Christ S.S., £6; Vennel Mission B.C., Greenock, £1; Canal St. U.F. Ch. S.S., Paisley, £2; Catrine U.F. Ch. S.S., £2; St. John's Street Mission S.S., Stanraer, £1; Gillespie U.F. Ch. Juv. Missionary Society, Dunfermline, £1; Overton U.F. Ch. S.S., West Kilbride, £1 10s; Employees, Cowlares Coop. Social and Literary Union, £4; W. T. M'D., Leith, £1; Mrs. T., Montrose, 2s 6d; Miss M'K., Ruskie, £1; Miss S., Stanley, 10s; Captain V. E. R., Beckenham, £3; Master R. F. R., Beckenham, 2s 6d; "A Reader," 10s; Miss M., Kent (Home and Foreign Missions), £1 10s; M. M'Q., £5; Mr. and Mrs. M., £10; Mrs. Y., £2 2s; Smith's Lane Mission S.S., Greenock, £1 12s; Auchinheath S.S., £1; Helnsburgh Cong. Ch. S.S., £2; St. Michael's Parish Ch. S.S., Edinburgh, £1; South U.F. Ch. S.S., Alyth, 5s; Langholm North U.F. Ch., £1; Eadie U.F. Ch. S.S., Alva, £1; West U.F. S.S., Denny, 10s; East U.F. Ch. S.S., Inverness, £1; Dunbeth U.F. Ch. Intermediate B.C., Coatbridge, £1 7s; Mr. and Mrs. S., B.E.A., £3; The late James T. Lockhart, per James Russell & Sons, Edinburgh, £45; "A Birthday Gift," £1; Miss C., Aberdeen, 5s; St. Ninians Parish Ch. S.S., 15s; North U.F. Ch. S.S., Keith, 15s; Evangelist S.S., Renfrew, 14s; Eastbank U.F. Ch. S.S., Shettleston, £3; Colville Memorial U.F. S.S., Cleland, 10s; St. Ninian's U.F. Ch. S.S., Arbroath, £1; West Port U.F. Ch. S.S., Hawick, £1; Leadhills F. Ch. S.S., 10s; Ardrossan Y.M.C.A. Boys' Club, £1; Hong Kong Women's Guild and Ministering Children's League, £125; A. H., Thornhill, 10s; W. M'L., £2 2s; Torry U.F. Ch. Senior E. Society, Aberdeen, 10s; Cupar Parish Ch. S.S., £1; Peebles Parish Ch. S.S., £5; T. Co-op. Society, £1 1s; Employees, W. Beardmore & Co., Paisley, £5; Lenzie U.F. Ch. Auchinloch S.S., £2 2s; Anniesland Hall B.C., £3 10s; City Home Women's Meeting, £3 12s.

WEEK ENDING JANUARY 31.—J. B., Kilmacoll, £5; A. MacK., Caithness, £2; H. G. D., Co. Dublin, 5s; M. G. S., £5; Mrs. L., Aberdeen, 7s; Employees, L. & N.-E. Rly. Loco. Dept., Kippes, £7 5s 9d; Chalmers U.F. Ch. S.S., Wishaw, £5 15s 6d; Lerwick S.S., £2; Memorial Hall Cong. Ch. S.S., Montrose, £1; Garngad Hall S.S., £3 3s; High U.F. Ch. S.S., Elgin, £1; D. S. C., Grand Mere, £3 2s 6d; Miss L., Nithill, £1 1s; A. R. S., Windermere, £15; J. M. S., Windermere, £15; J. M.D., £2 2s; Mrs. B. and Miss M., Balfour, £1; C. M. P., Lasswade, £2; Miss B., Midlothian, £5; Miss F., Aberfeldy, £1; G. W. N., Canobie, 5s; Mrs. B., 10s; Miss H., and a few friends, Rosneath, £1; Mrs. M., Ayr, £1; Hallside and Gilbertfield U.F. Ch. S.S., Cambuslang, £2; St. John's Ch. S.S., Bathgate, £1 10s; St. Kentigern's U.F. Ch. S.S., Prim. Dept., Lanark, £1 10s; Pambride U.F. Ch. S.S., Carnoustie, £1; St. James' U.F. Ch. S.M.S., Paisley, £1; Grove St. Mission Children's Morning Ch. Edinburgh, £5; Ivy Place S.S., Stranraer, £2; St. Nicholas Parish Ch. S.S., Prestwick, £2; West U.F. Ch. S.S., Alva, £1; Macduff Parish Ch. S.S., £2; Open Air Mission Funds, Galashiels, £3; E. & W., Ltd., Strathaven, £5; J. F., Motherwell (Emigration), £1 10s; Mrs. G., 5s; Miss K., Dufftown, 2s 6d; A. D., Alnwick, £10; "In the name of the Lord Jesus," £2; Miss B., Greenock, £2 10s; Coats Par. Ch. Junior B.C., Coatbridge, £1 1s; Coats Parish Mission B.C., Coatbridge, £1 1s; Coats Parish Children's

Ch., Coatbridge, 10s 6d; St. James' Parish Ch. S.S., Clydebank, 14s 6d; St. Mary's Parish Ch. S.S., Motherwell, £1 10s; Gallatown U.F. Ch. S.S., Kirkcaldy, £2; Glassary S.S., £1; Bellshill Parish Ch. E. End S.S., £1; Macgregor Memorial U.F. Ch. S.S., Govan, £2; East U.F. Ch. S.S., Kilbirnie, 10s; Trinity U.F. Ch. S.S., Saltcoats, 10s; Tolleross Cent. U.F. Ch. S.S., £1 10s; "In Memoriam," Mrs. O., Cardiff, £1; Rev. and Mrs. W., Brentwood, £5; M. C., £1 10s; J. B. M., Sao Paulo, £2; H. F., Biggar, £1; Miss M'G., Calabar, £1; Montrose Dunoon, £1; J. B. M., Sao Paulo, £2; H. F., Biggar, £1; Miss M'G., Calabar, £1; Montrose Parish Ch. S.S., £1; Kilchattan Bay U.F. Ch. S.S., 10s; Smith Parish Ch. S.S., Aberdeen, £1; West U.F. Ch. S.S., Brechin, £1; Mrs. S., Castle Douglas, 10s; Miss M., Longniddry, £1 1s; "From a Friend," Renfrew, 10s; Misses F., 10s; Cong. Ch. S.S., Stewarton, £1 10s; East U.F. Ch. S.S., Lochee, 10s; Muir of Ord U.F. Ch. S.S., 10s; Stoneywood Ch. S.S., Bucksburn, £1; "L.M. & S. Rly. Hospital Fund," Crewe, £21 8s; Carradale U.F. Ch. S.S., 10s; W. S., Carradale, 10s; J. T. Takoma Md., £30; J. D., 10s; Anon., 2s 6d; Miss S., Edinburgh, £2; W. A. B., Edinburgh, £2; Mrs. S., Auchterless, 2s; A. K., 10s; A. K. (Emigration), 10s; South U.F. Ch. S.S., Kirriemuir, 8s 9d; G. B., Kirriemuir, 5s; Prospecthill Mission S.S., Greenock, 15s; Relief U.F. S.S., Irvine, £3; N.E. Co., Ltd., Polmont, £5; Mrs. D., Dumbarton, £3; Cathedral Square U.F. Ch. S.S., £1; Cathedral Square U.F. Ch. C.E., 5s; Bluevale Parish Ch. Children's Morning Service, £1 1s; Employees of Lang's Bread Co., Ltd., £1; St. Paul's Parish Ch. S.S., £2; Sydney Place U.F. Ch. S.S., £5 5s; Found in Boxes, £2 3s 1d. *Per* C.O.S.—Employees, Wm. Thomson & Co., 10s 6d; J. G., £1; "H. A.," £1; B.B. Co., Ltd., £2 2s; C. F. P., £1 1s; J. R. & Sons, 5s; Sir A. C., Bart., £5; P. & R. F. & Co., £2 2s; £2 2s; T. M. S., M.B., £2 2s; Eastwood Parish Women's Guild, £1 1s; Professor W. M. F. H. Y., £5; C. A. M., £1 1s; L. B. & Co., 10s 6d; R. M. S., £1; Lord R., £100; M'G., D.D., 10s; C. A. M., £1 1s; L. B. & Co., 10s 6d; R. M. S., £1; Lord R., £100; "J. M.," £1; G.T. Co., Ltd., £2; F. L. M. M., £1; Miss D., £1; J. L., 10s; Sir R. G., £2 2s.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer between 1st and 31st January.—Whitehill U.F. Ch. S.S., £6 15s 10d; Nithill U.F. Ch. S.S., 5s; The Staff and Employees of the Clyde Structural Iron Co., Scotstoun, £2; Erskine U.F. Ch. S.S., £2 5s 7d; Employees of Seedhill Finishing Co., Ltd., Paisley, £1; St. Andrew's U.F. Ch. S.S. and Prim. Bo'ness, £3 3s; Holm Street Mission S.S., 15s; North Woodside S.S., £2 10s; Wellpark Children's Forenoon Meeting, £2 0s 6d; Ibrox U.F. Ch. S.S., £2 14s 8d; Darlington Place S.S., Ayr, £1; East and Belmont Street U.F. Ch. Upper Dinburn Mission S.S., Aberdeen, £3; Lenzie U.F. Ch. S.S., £1; Springbank U.F. Ch. S.S., £1; Employees, Bilsland Bros., £12 12s; Calton Parish Ch. S.S., £1; Cambuslang Morriston Mission S.S., £6 10s; St. Mary's Ch. Senior B.C., Ibrox, 10s; Easton Memorial S.S., Darvel, £1 13s; Paterson U.F. Ch., Kirkwall, £3; Brandon Street Ch. Y.M.C.A., Motherwell, 10s; W. R., £1; Miss S., £5; J. S., Caithness, 5s; Langbank Parish Ch. Women's Guild, £1; Roderick Mackenzie's Trust, per Duncan & Duncan, Dingwall, £1 7s; Scotstoun Parish Ch. S.S., £1; Canon Bridge Ch. S.S., Coatbridge, £1; A. G. Cook's Trust, per Wink & Mackenzie, Elgin, £100; Lansdowne U.F. Ch. S.S., £1 10s 6d; Employees, Campbells and Stewart & McDonald, Ltd., £6; Old Monkland Parish Ch. S.S., Coatbridge, £2; Paisley U.F. High S.S., £2; Glenboig U.F. Ch. S.S., 10s; Shamrock Street U.F. Ch. S.S., £1; H. H. & Son, £10; Misses D., Ayr, £1; Employees, Andrew Motherwell, Ltd., £1 1s; George Square Cong. Ch. S.S., Greenock, £2; Lossiemouth Bapt. Ch. S.S., £1 1s.

WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 7.—Alice, Willie, and Jessie, Grangemouth, 10s; Anon., £1; "Robin," 10s; Mrs. H.-R., St. Andrews, £4; G. E., £1 1s; Miss L., £1; W.L., Edinburgh, £2; Mr. and Mrs. J., Vancouver, £2 1s 2d; North U.F. Ch. S.S., Dunfermline, 10s; Union U.F. Mission S.S., Dalmuir, 10s; Greenock East Parish Ch. S.S., £2 2s; Greenock Working Boys' and Girls' Religious Society, £9 13s 1d; Beith U.F. Ch. S.S. Association, £1; Flora, 5s; Helnsburgh Town Mission S.S., 10s; S. W. M., 10s; "Ivy," Broughty Ferry, 10s; Nurse W., Melbourne, £1; Mrs. and Miss M., Edinburgh, £2; Mrs. P. and Friend, Natal, £2 2s; Miss M., Walkerburn, £1; Mrs. M'C., Johnstone, 10s; Mrs. G., Kilmarnock, £2; Miss H., Fenwick, 5s; Macdonald Memorial U.F. Ch. S.S., Bellshill, 10s; Broomknoll U.F. Ch. S.S., Airdrie, £1; Trinity U.F. Ch. S.S., Cambuslang, £2 2s; Chalmers Memorial Ch., Anstruther, £2; High Street U.F. Ch., Dumbarton, £2 9s 3d; Y.W.C.A., Lochgilphead, £1 10s; G. L. C., near Keighley, 10s; A. G., Achnalt Station, £2; Star Inn Hall Mission S.S., Saltcoats, £2 10s; Copland Road U.F. Ch. S.S., Govan, £1; Laurencekirk U.F. Ch. S.S., £1 0s 9d; White Street, Cong. S.S., Govan, £1; Mrs. S., Dunfermline, £1; Joan D., Edinburgh, 10s; D. D. D., 10s; J. C., Arrochar, £1; Mrs. B., Dunedin, N.Z., £2; A. R. D., Darlington, £10; Mrs. R., Aberdeen, £25; Cargill U.F. S.S., 11s 2d; Dingwall U.F. Ch. S.S., £2 5s; P. H. R., Winnipeg, 4s 2d; Mr. and Mrs. B., do., 4s 2d; Mr. J., do., 4s 2d; D. C.W., do., 4s 2d; W. T. T., do., 4s 2d; Miss R., do., 2s 1d; Miss J., do., 2s 1d; Miss T., do., 2s 1d; Mr. S., do., 4s 2d; Mr. J., do., 4s 2d; W. A. Campbell's Trust, per A. & R. B. Stewart, £959 10s 2d; Rev. C. F. S., Kingussie, £1; Miss R., Baillieston, £1; D. M., Alexandria, 5s; J. L., Motherwell, £25; Miss M., Mull, 5s; J. L. T., £2 2s; A. S. P., Portland, Oregon, £2; Employees, James Meighan & Son, £1 1s; B. of W. Angling Club, £1; Collace S.S., Perth, 10s; Highlanders' Memorial U.F. Ch. S.S., £1; Brandon S.S., Hamilton, £1; Mrs. W., £1; Mrs. W. (Emigration), £1; Mrs. W. (Home and Foreign Missions), £2; Rev. W. C. and Mrs. C., China, £2; Miss R., Edinburgh, £1 5s; Miss D., Skene, 10s; Miss W., Dumfries, 5s; Miss G., Kilmarnock, £2; Pans Mission Hall S.S., Campbeltown, £1; O.H. Hall, S.E. Service, £3 3s; Telephone Service, Ltd., Hospital and Benefit Fund, per Miss C., £3 3s; Employees, Kelso & Co., £1 10s.

WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 14.—Portland Road U.F. Ch. S.S. Junior B.C., Kilmarnock, 15s; George Street Bapt. Ch. S.S., Paisley, 10s 6d; Anderston U.F. Ch. S.S., £2; Kingussie U.F. Ch. S.S., £1 10s; Mrs. H., Ayr, 10s; Mrs. R., Kilmacoll, 7s 6d; Mrs. S., Edinburgh, £2; Mrs. W., Kirriemuir, 10s; Miss S., Kirriemuir, 10s; J. H. & Son, Bathgate, £1; Rev. J. S., Blackpool, £1; Mr. and Mrs. M'D. S., Nottingham, £20; D. Co-op. Society, Ltd., £2; High U.F. Ch. S.S., Kilmarnock, £1 10s; Rodger Memorial Ch. S.S., Coldstream, £1 1s; St. Andrew's S.S., Kirkintilloch, £1 10s; St. Andrew's S.S. Senior Class, Kirkintilloch, 15s; North U.F. S.S., Stirling, 15s; Misses R., Cupar, Pife, 5s; A. H. P., 10s; N. F., Dunfermline, £5; Gaelic U.F. Mission S.S., Greenock, £2; Irvine Relief U.F. Ch. Prim. Dept., £1 10s; Laurencekirk Parish Ch. S.S., £1; Stepps U.F. Ch. Junior B.C., £1 5s; Mrs. H., £4; Miss W., 4s 2d; Mrs. S., Cowdenbeath, £20; M. M. M. & D. I. M., Edzell, £2 0s 6d; Miss M., £5; Mrs. M'T., Ecclefechan, £2 10s; Juv. Rechabite Tent, Port-Glasgow, £1 1s; Sanquhar Cong. S.S., £2; Dysart Forenoon Service, £2; Panmure U.F. S.S., Monifeth, 10s; Tain U.F. Ch.

B.C. and S.S., £1 10s; Hamilton Bapt. Ch. S.S., £1 10s; White Memorial U.F. Ch., £2 9s; J. W. H., Crieff, £2 2s 9d; Employees, Bertrams Ltd., Edinburgh, £1; Employees, Robert Clow & Co., Abernethy, £8 14s; S. J., Ontario, £2 1s 3d; Mrs. M'L., Kilmacollm, 10s; A. C., Paisley, £1 1s; Miss B., 2s 6d; Miss M'L., Greenock, 10s; Newark Parish Ch. S.S., Port-Glasgow, £1; "New Year Service," Abbey U.F. Ch. N. Berwick, £2 9s 1d; Mrs. M., 10s; Rev. W. R. S., Wigan, 10s; Thread Street Children's Ch., Paisley, £1 10s; West U.F. Ch. B.C., E. Kilbride, 15s; Stanley U.F. Ch. S.S., Perth, £1; Employees, A. Massey & Sons, £1 1s; Employees' Charity Fund, Arthur & Co., £10.

WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 21.—Alice, Willie, and Jessie, Grangemouth, 10s; Mr. and Mrs. T., Greenock, £1 10s; J. F., Ayr, £2; J. B. R., Bedford, £5; A Friend, Edinburgh, 10s; J. M., £2; St. Cuthbert's U.F. Ch. S.S., Lockerbie, £2; "From Readers of *The Christian*," per Morgan & Scott, Ltd., £6 5s 11d; J. B., Ottawa (Emigration), £1 0s 10d; C. W. T., Buckie, £3; Miss M., Bathgate, £1; Mrs. W., 10s; Miss M'O., Greenock, £1; Miss D., Cardonald, £1; Irving U.F. Ch. S.S., Falkirk, 10s; "In Loving Memory 10th February," £1; T. S., Dunfermline, £2 12s; "In Memory of Robert," 10s; Alva Parish Ch. S.S., £1 10s; West Parish Ch. S.S., Cambuslang, £2; Mrs. H., Bridge of Weir, £2; Mrs. K., 10s; S. M'D., Fort-William, £10; Miss M'D., Skye, 5s; Hamilton Bapt. Christian E. Society, £1 5s; M'Lellan Street Children's Forenoon Meeting, £1; Shettleston Bapt. Ch. B.C., £1; St. R. Co-op. Society, Ltd., £1; Misses S. and K., Moffat, 10s; J. L., Dundee, £2 2s; Shore Street Mission S.S., Inverness, £1 6s; W. A., Inverness, £5; Renwick U.F. Ch. S.S., £4; Bristo Place Bapt. S.S., Edinburgh, £5; Winchburgh U.F. Ch. S.S., £1; Graham Institute S.S., Paisley, £1; Braid Ch. Junior Girls' B.C., Edinburgh, 16s; Mrs. D., Broughton, 2s 6d; Mrs. L., Helensburgh, £20; Mrs. H., near Wrexham, £25; A.-D. Line, £5 5s; D. Line, £5 5s; D. Bros., Ltd., £5 5s; Davidson U.F. Ch. S.S., Edinburgh, £1; Kettlebridge Mission S.S., 15s; Carnwath Parish Ch. S.S., £1; Kinning Park U.F. Ch. S.S., £1 19s; Citizen Companionship and Club Fund Society, £2 2s.

WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 28.—Miss H., Aberdeen, 5s; Mrs. C., Vancouver, £2 1s 2d; A. S. D. C., Hong Kong, £10; South U.F. Ch. S.S., Galashiels, £1; Thomas Coats Memorial Ch. S.S., Paisley, £1 5s; Cumbernauld U.F. S.S., 10s; A Friend, per Miss B., Burntisland, 10s; South U.F. Ch. S.S., Aberdeen, £1 16s; Hebron Hall S.S., Glengarnock, £3 15s; M. M. Q., £5; Miss D., Galashiels, 10s; J. D., Galashiels, 10s; J. G., £1; Mrs. L., £1 1s; "George's Sisters," £5; J. M., Wishaw, £10; St. Cuthbert's U.F. Cong., Lockerbie, £8 17s 5d; Pulteneytown Central U.F. Ch. S.S., Wick, £1 10s; High U.F. Ch. Mission S.S., Kilmarnock, £2; "Jock," a reader of *The British Weekly*, £1; "A Wellwisher," Edinburgh, 5s; Mrs. M'M., Kintyre, 6s 6d; E. A. C. M., Moffat, £2; A. W., Yeadon, £1; A. S., £1 1s; L. D., Co. Antrim, £10; Broomhill Cong. S.S., £2; Fairbairn U.F. Ch. S.S., £1; Argyll U.F. S.S., Dunoon, 10s; Monikie U.F. Ch. S.S., Dundee, £2 12s; Mrs. M., Rugby, 10s; League of Kindness, Uddingston, £2 2s 6d; Willing Helpers Society, Uddingston, £6 1s 2d; Deerness U.F. Ch. S.S., Kirkwall, 17s; Vale of Leven Railway Mission S.S., Dumbarton, 10s; Staff and Employees of Brown Bros. & Co., Ltd., Edinburgh, 14s 6d; In Loving Memory of Wee Sheila, Whitley Bay, £1; A Widow, Huntly (Home and Foreign Missions), 4s; Rowden Children's "Outward Bound" Club, St. Boswells, £1; Parkhead Forge Ambulance Section, 10s; Overton Gospel Hall S.S., Wishaw, £1; Yoker Mission Children's Morning Meeting, £1 0s 4d; Dornoch U.F. Ch. S.S., £2; Crosslee S.S., Houston, £1; Mrs. D., N. Berwick, 5s; South Leith Par. Ch. S.S., £2; Found in Boxes, 10s 9d. *Per C.O.S.*—E. & Sons, £2 2s; A. & W. P., £1 1s; Rev. R. G. P., D.D., 2s 6d; R. B., 10s; F. J. S., £5 5s; E. & M., £1 1s; Miss G., 2s 6d; M. N., £15; Mrs. C., £1 1s; A. M. M., £1 1s; J. W., £1 1s.

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WEEK ENDING MARCH 7.—J. P., Cambuslang, £1; Rev. W. S., £1 1s; Hallelujah Mission S.S., Motherwell, £8; Blair Atholl U.F. Ch. S.S., 10s; Anon., 15s; Rev. R. M. R., Cardiff, 5s; Miss M'L., Hamilton, £1; E. D., Milngavie, £1; Mrs. and Miss T., Edinburgh, £1; Mrs. F., Jedburgh, 10s; Miss C., Dumfries, £1; Anon., 5s; Rev. P. L. H., Mount Ayliff, 10s; Mrs. J., Glencoe Junction, £3; Bonmethill U.F. Ch. S.S., Dundee, £1 6s; The Mount Park S.S., Greenock, £3 11s 1d; Trinity U.F. S.S., Lockerbie, £2; Glencairn U.F. Ch. S.S., Kilmarnock, £2 5s 6d; Union U.F. Ch. S.S., Kirkcaldy, £1 5s; Kingarth Parish Women's Sewing Guild, £1; Hawick Home Mission C.E. Society, 5s; Cross Roads S.S., Harthill, £1 3s; Flora, 5s; "A Wellwisher," Alloa, 10s; Mrs. C., £1; Mr. and Mrs. T., Stranraer, £1; A. C. W., Kilmacollm, £15; R. C., Ayr, £5; East U.F. Ch. S.S., Strathaven, £2 14s 6d; Wilson U.F. Ch. S.S., Perth, £1 16s; J. C., Kirkwall, £2; Mrs. S., Dundee, 10s; "In Loving Memory of J. W. M.," Greenock, £5; "In Loving Memory of M. G. M.," Greenock, £5; "In Loving Memory of R. W. M.," Greenock, £5; Broadsea Mission S.S., Fraserburgh, £2; West Scotland Street Mission S.S., Cardonald, £1 7s 6d; East U.F. Ch. S.S., Broxburn, £2; Boys' and Girls' Railway Mission, Grangemouth, £2; Miss T., Markinch, £2; "For the Bairns," £10; Mrs. R., Holytown, £1; J. M'W., Inverkeithing, 3s; W. O. H., Edinburgh, £1; Udnay U.F. Ch. S.S., £1; Carntyne U.F. S.S., £1 2s; Holytown Parish S.S., £1; W. H. W., East Linton, 5s; Miss H., Hawick, £2 2s; Torry U.F. Ch. S.S. No. 2, Aberdeen, 10s; Southern District S.S., Cumbernauld, 10s; The late Sir Charles Cameron, per Hallett, Creery & Co., £45; Langside Hill U.F. Ch. Sen. B.C., £2 12s; Chapelhill U.F. S.S., Rothesay, 10s; Miss T., Edinburgh, 5s; Rhinsdale U.F. S.S., Baillieston, £1.

WEEK ENDING MARCH 14.—Miss C., Musselburgh, £2; Mrs. Y., Crieff, £10; Mrs. T., £2; Misses F., £10; Saffronhall U.F. Ch. Junior B.C., Hamilton, 9s 6d; Kelvin Street Mission S.S., £5 4s; A Grateful Girl, 3s; Mrs. B., Greenock, £1; A Steward, £1; Miss G., Craigmore, 10s; D. W., Milnathort, £8; D. N. S., £5; Hamilton Bapt. Ch. Senior B.C., 15s; Rankine U.F. Ch. S.S., Strathaven, £1; St. Andrew's Presbyterian Ch., Mount Frere, £3; A Friend, £20; Anon., £5; T. G., £10; W. M., Leadhills, £3 3s; Lady C., St. Andrews, £5; Cambuslang Bapt. Ch. S.S., £1; High U.F. Ch. S.S., Kilsyth, £1; Kilbarchan U.F. Ch. S.S., £1; Abbotshall U.F. Ch. S.S., Kirkcaldy, £1 19s 5d; Partick Parish Ch. S.S., £1 1s; Prestwick North U.F. Ch. S.S., £1 5s 7d; Miss Y., Edinburgh, 5s; Mrs. P., Annan, 10s; Mrs. S., Fearn, 10s; A. P., Bucksburn, 5s; St. John's Ch. Women's Foreign Mission Association, Bathgate, £10; Stirling-shire County Miners' Union, Bannockburn Branch, £5; F. A. B. D., Edinburgh, £1; Mrs. H., Cleland, 10s; Misses J., Edinburgh, 7s 6d; Cambuslang Parish Ch. Children's Ch., £2 6s; Mrs. P., Milngavie, £4; G. Family, Rutherglen, £1; Heathfield B.C., Chryston, £1 10s; Newton-on-Ayr U.F. S.S., £1 7s 9d.

WEEK ENDING MARCH 21.—"Workers in Conference," Qua Iboe Mission, W. Africa, £8 5s; Regent U.F. Ch. B.C., £1 10s; The late Miss Elizabeth Dempster, per J. K. Lasker, £23 2s 3d; Misses H., Edinburgh, £2; Miss M., Bearsden, 10s; Bearsden South Cupar, Fife, £23 2s 3d; Misses H., Edinburgh, £2; Miss M., Bearsden, 10s; Bearsden South U.F. Ch. S.S., £3 4s; Kirk Lane Mission S.S., Pollokshaws, £2 2s; Moray Knox U.F. Ch. S.S., Edinburgh, £1 12s 6d; Hilltown U.F. Ch. S.S., Dundee, £1; Sherwood U.F. Ch. S.S., Paisley, £4; York Place U.F. Ch. Band of Hope, Perth, 5s; Miss B., Saskatoon, £2 1s 7d; Mrs. M'A., Blairmore, 3s; A. D., Kirkcounell, 10s; R. T. B., Essex, £10; Mrs. S., Renfrew, £1; J. M'D., Walkersburn, 10s; F. H., Bournemouth, £2; Causewayend U.F. Ch. Cong. S.S., Aberdeen, 10s; Gaelic U.F. Ch. Minister's B.C., Greenock, £3 3s; Friends in Gaelic U.F. Ch., Greenock, 11s; Tradespark S.S., Nairn, £1 10s; M. M'V., Dunedin, £2; "In Memoriam W. W. F.," Edinburgh, £1 10s; In Memoriam H. M., Edinburgh, 5s; Pollokshaws Parish Ch. Women's Guild, £3; Trinity U.F. Ch. S.S., Greenock, £2; Employees, John Orr & Sons, £1 1s; L. Bros., £4 4s; Collections taken on board Anchor-Donaldson Line Passenger Steamers, £22; A. B., Paisley, £1; Mrs. D., Edinburgh, £1; Mrs. S., Camelon, 10s; Trinity U.F. Ch. Senior B.C., Greenock, £1; Milesmark Mission S.S., Dunfermline, 10s; Clydebank Union U.F. Ch. S.S., £1 10s; Girls' Aux. High U.F. Ch., Kilmarnock, £1; J. P. T., Leith, 10s; A Friend, £1; G. M'C., £12 12s; Miss B., Burntisland, £2; Rosebank U.F. Ch. Mothers' Meeting, Cambuslang, £1 1s; Main Street U. Orig. Sec. Ch. S.S., £1 1s; D. B., £25; Employees, U.C.B.S., £3; Miss T., 7s 6d.

WEEK ENDING MARCH 28.—Mrs. B., Paisley, £1; C. N., Greenock, £20; Mrs. D., Tollcross, £1; Miss C., Udnay (Emigration), £15; J. R., Wellington, N.Z., £2 10s; Corstorphine U.F. Ch. S.S., £3 14s; R. B. (Home and Foreign Missions), 10s; J. G. M., Bloemfontein, £1; Mrs. K., Alyth, £1; Bank U.F. Ch. B.C., New Cumnock, £1; Ashfield S.S., Dunblane, £2 4s; E. S., Johnstone, 15s; Mrs. B., 5s; Mrs. B., Lochee, £2; J. R. S. & M. A. S., £1; Logieport U.F. S.S., Montrose, £1; W. C. O., Montrose, 10s; Gourrock Parish Ch. S.S., £2; Pastor J. C., £2; A. L., Aberdeen, 5s; Misses A., Keswick, £2; Mrs. M., Huntly, 2s; "In Memory of a Loved One," Foyers, £1; Bethelfield U.F. Ch. B.C., Kirkcaldy, £1 1s; St. John's Ch. Senior B.C., Bathgate, £1 4s; Polmadie U.F. Ch. B.C., £1; West U.F. Ch. B.C., Kinross, £1; Saline U.F. Ch. S.S., Dunfermline, 10s; West U.F. Ch. Women's Guild, Forfar, £2; Hope Trust Children's Ch., Edinburgh, £1 10s; "Of Thine Own," £2; Barclay U.F. Ch. B.C., Old Kilpatrick, £2; T. P., Berwick-on-Tweed, £5; Mrs. M'M., Belfast, £2; Victoria Street U.F. Ch. S.S., Dundee, 10s; Staff and Employees, Brown Bros. & Co., Ltd., Edinburgh, 12s 3d; W. M., Kilbarchan, £1; Mrs. B., Hamilton, 5s; Lylesland U.F. B.C., Paisley, £1; R. L., 10s; Govan Bapt. Ch. S.S., £1 1s 6d; Employees, S. Mitchell & Sons, £1; Found in Boxes, 10s 4d. *Per C.O.S.*—A. L. & Co., £2 2s; Miss T., Bearsden, 5s; W. L. R., Carmunnock, £1 1s; Mr. and Mrs. F., 2s 6d; W. R., Busby, £2; R. F. B., £3 3s; J. B. & Co., £5 5s.

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WEEK ENDING APRIL 4.—J. M'L., £2; A. D., Alnwick, £3; U.F. Eng. Ch. S.S., Stornoway, £1 10s; Shotts U.F. Ch. Senior B.C., £1; Boys' and Girls' Own Hamilton Bapt. Ch., 10s; Braid Ch. S.S., Edinburgh, £2; Airdrie High U.F. Ch. Senior B.C., 10s; Employees, Miller & Co., Ltd., Edinburgh, £4 12s; J. L., Boston, £5 5s; J. R., Perth, £3; Mearns Street Cong. Ch. B.C., Greenock, 10s; West Parish Ch. B.C., Cambuslang, £1 1s; Kilmallie Band of Hope, Corpach, Banavie, 10s; R. B. (for tarts for the boys and girls), £10; Miss Isabella Todd's Trust, per Mitchells, Johnston & Co., £100; W. P. T., £1 2s 6d; Bros. B., Old Kilpatrick, £1; Employees, Lockhart, Ltd., £1 1s; Mrs. M'K., Aberlour, 3s; J. M'N., £3; A. M'K., Edinburgh, £2; W. C. Y. and Family, Elgin, £25; Anon., £1; Mrs. R., Kilmacollm, £5; Misses S., Walkersburn, £1; J. A., Bervie, £2 2s; Hallside and Gilbertfield U.F. B.C., Cambuslang, £1; Pathhead Bapt. Ch. S.S., Dysart, £1; Maybole Bapt. Ch. S.S., £1; H. B. M'F., Maybole, 5s; Sighthill U.F. Ch. Junior B.C., 10s; George Street Bapt. Ch. B.C., Paisley, 10s; Dornock U.F. Ch. S.S., £1; J. M'N. & Co., Ltd., Howwood, £5; Miss Margaret White's Exy., per Ranken & Tait, Ayr, £186 13s 3d; Miss M'E., 10s; Mrs. D., Galashiels, £1; Anon., 2s 6d; I.M.C., Liverpool, 5s; G. S., Dalkeith, £2 2s; First U.F. Ch. S.S., Thurso, £1 18s 6d; Kirkpatrick-Fleming U.F. Ch. S.S., Lockerbie, 10s; Dunbeth Senior B.C., Coatbridge, £1; Cathedral Square U.F. Ch. B.C., £1; American Presbyterian Chapel, Montreal, £4 3s 6d; Mrs. N., £1; Alexandra Parade U.F. Ch. S.S., £2; Craig U.F. Ch. S.S., Montrose, £1; Normand Road U.F. Ch. B.C., Dysart, £1 10s; South U.F. Ch. B.C., Stonehaven, 10s; Friends at West Linton, per Mrs. A., 10s; From two servants, Edinburgh, £2; H. A. K., Liverpool, £2; Mrs. J. C., Co. Donegal, £500; Thread Street U.F. Ch. B.C., Paisley, £1 18s 10d; Craigmailen U.F. Ch. B.C., Bo'ness, 10s; Young People's B.C., E. Kilbride, £3; Mrs. A., £2; John Street Wesleyan Methodist S.S., £2 10s.

WEEK ENDING APRIL 11.—Miss D., Larbert, 12s; "Peeblesshire Farmer," per Mrs. M., £2; K. E. & W., Highgate, £7 7s; F. B., Birkenhead, 10s; Two Friends, Ayr, £1; Mid-Calder U.F. Ch. S.S., £1 13s 6d; Pumpherston S.S., Mid-Calder, £2 9s 6d; Flora, 5s; E. A., Annan, £1; "Yuaneye," per National Bank of Scotland, Dundee, £3; Newton Parish Ch. S.S.,

Hallside, £1 14s 6d; Rev. R. Rae's B.C., Edinburgh, £1 1s; Thread Street U.F. Ch. S.S., Paisley, £3 18s 6d; Crown Terrace Bapt. Ch. S.S., Aberdeen, £1; Anon., £2; From a Member, Y.W.C.A., Helensburgh, 4s; T. H., Rutherglen, £1 10s; Ayrshire Mission to Deaf and Dumb, Kilmarnock, 10s; Ebenezer Hall S.S., Cambuslang, £1 10s; Alva Bapt. Ch. S.S., £1; George Street U.F. Ch. B.C., Paisley, £1; Simpson Memorial Hall B.C., Bathgate, £1 12s 6d; J. D. (Emigration), £5; Miss E. McIntyre's Estate, £30 15s; Thomas Allan's Trust, per Kippen, Campbell & Burt, Perth, £1000; Miss F., 15s; St. Andrew's U.F. Ch. S.S., Hawick, £1 10s; Morningside Bapt. Ch. Women's Aux., Edinburgh, £3; Cambuslang B.C., £1 1s; Lady C., St. Andrews, £5; J. M'L., 2s 6d; Mrs. W., £1; Miss B. and Friends, Pennicuik, £2 5s; Hawick Home Mission Children's Meeting, £1; Chalmers U.F. Ch. S.S., Bridge of Allan, 13s 3d; Misses H., Trinity, £2; Wishaw Bapt. Ch. Pastor's B.C., 10s; Battlefield U.F. Ch. Junior B.C., 10s; Elm Hall S.S., £4; *Glasgow Evening News*, £3 3s; D. C., Winnipeg, 4s 2d; Miss S., Row, £20; G. H. C., Kirkwall, £1; A Friend, Dunblane, £1 10s; Bonhill Parish Ch. S.S., Alexandria, £1; Stewarton Cong. Ch. B.C., 10s; Cockpen U.F. Ch. S.S., Lasswade, 10s 6d; Kingussie U.F. Ch. B.C., £1.

WEEK ENDING APRIL 18.—Misses M., Forfar, £2; A B.W. Reader, Edinburgh, £1; Mrs. Y., Giffnock, £1; Rev. T. and Mrs. T., and T. A. and M. M'R., Dregthorn, 5s; Kinnaber S.S., Montrose, 4s; J. A., Montrose, 5s; Blackfriars Foundry Boys' Meeting, 8s; A. D., Alnwick, £3; In Loving Remembrance Easter, 1925, 5s; A Friend in Brisbane, £1; Albert Road U.F. Ch. S.S., £2 1s; Highways Employees of Middle Ward of Lanark, Hamilton, £3 3s; J. A. G., Kilbirnie, £2; Junior B.C., Clydebank, £1; Helensburgh Congl. Ch. B. of H., £1 1s; Dyke Parish Ch. S.S., Forres, £2; Raith Parish Ch. B. of H., Kirkcaldy, £2 2s; Carntyne U.F. Ch. Senior B.C., Shettleston, 10s; Miss B., London, 10s; Mr. T.'s B.C., Canal Street Mission, Paisley, 10s; Canal Street U.F. Ch. B.C., Paisley, £1; Lismore U.F. Ch. S.S., 5s; Bethesda Hall B.C., Govan, £1 10s; Mrs. L., Aberdeen, 5s; Miss G., do., 5s; Miss L., do., 5s; G. W. N., Canobie, 5s; Miss M., Montrose, £2; Sighthill U.F. Ch. Senior B.C., 10s; St. John's U.F. Ch. Junior B.C., Bathgate, 10s; West U.F. Ch. B.C., Broxburn, £1 1s 4d; Torry U.F. Ch. S.S. No. 3, Aberdeen, £1; Hope A., 3s; Mrs. R.'s B.C., Airdrie, £1; Mr. and Mrs. M., Rutherglen, £1; Mr. and Mrs. M., Alyth, £1; Renwick U.F. Ch. Men's Club B.C., Pollokshields, 7s 6d; Bothwellhaugh S.S., £2; Langside Avenue U.F. Ch. Y.M. and Y.W.C.A., 10s; G. Co-op. Society, Ltd., £2; A Friend for Blessing Received, £1; Ibrox U.F. Mission S.S., £2; Victoria U.F. S.S., £1 8s.

WEEK ENDING APRIL 25.—Mr. and Mrs. W., Philadelphia, £1 0s 10d; Mrs. F., Greenock, £1; Misses M., Airdrie, 5s; Mrs. S., Old Kilpatrick, £2; East Park U.F. Ch. Minister's B.C., £1 10s; Union Y.M. and Y.W.A., Scotstoun U.F. Ch., £1 1s; J. C., jun., Renfrew, 10s; N. O. F., Milngavie, £15; J. P., West Hartlepool, 10s; J. A. R., £5; Thankful Jim, Edinburgh, £1; St. Clair Mission Morning Mtg., £1 15s; Cairns U.F. Ch. Girls' Aux. Mtg., Milngavie, £2; Toowong Gospel Hall S.S., Brisbane, £3; Maryhill Parish Ch. S.S., £1 6s; Victoria Place Bapt. S.S., £1; A Church Member, Kirkeudbright, £1; Erskine Ch. Boys' and Girls' Guild, Burntisland, £2 2s; Arthur Memorial S.S., New Cumnock, £1; Helensburgh Congl. Ch. B.C., £1 11s 6d; Union U.F. Ch. S.S., Edinburgh, £1 10s; Arbroath Female Home Mission, £1; Cowdenbeath Assembly S.S., Lochgelly, £2 13s; Anon., £1; Miss J., Edinburgh, 5s; Bent Mission S.S., Hamilton, £1; St. Andrew's B.C., Hamilton, 10s; Wishaw Bapt. Ch. S.S., 10s; P. MacL., £5; Mrs. R. Dundee, £2; Mrs. R., Saltcoats, £1; Miss E., Dundee, 3s; Miss R., Aberdeen, 7s 6d; Miss B., Surrey, £1 10s; Miss B., St. Leonards-on-Sea, 10s; Y.M.C.A.'s Sunday Morning Mtg., Broughty Ferry, £1; Blairhill Senior B.C., Coatbridge, 17s; Mrs. M., Haggs, 5s; Found in Boxes, 13s 2d. *Per C.O.S.*—"O," £10 10s; J. P. K. & Co., £2 2s; W. W. N., £10.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer between 1st and 30th April.—Sir W. A. & Co., Ltd., £1 1s; Airdrie Schools' Cup Comm., £3; W. E. A. G., £10 10s; Miss Ellen Sinclair's Exy., per Shiell & Small, Dundee, £269 14s; Cathcart U.F. S.S., £6 4s 7d; Newton Place Mission S.S., £1; Chirnside P.C., £10; Noble Resolve Gospel Temperance Missionary Aux. Society, £15; (Rev. R. J. D., £1; D. C. & Sons, £1 1s; Mr. and Mrs. D. C., £2; Mrs. C., £1; Miss C., £1; Miss W., 5s; Miss D., 5s; Employees, Redpath, Brown & Co., £5; Mr. and Mrs. G. P., £1; Misses S., 12s 6d)—per City of Edinburgh Council Soc. Service; Thos. Porter's Equipment Fund, £150; St. David's U.F. S.S., Kirkintilloch, £2 14s; South Shawlands U.F. S.S., £4 8s 9d; Bathgate E.U. Congl. Ch. S.S., £4 10s; Bathgate E.U. Congl. Ch. Junior Girls' B.C., 15s; Bathgate E.U. Congl. Ch. Junior Boys' B.C., 15s; "Subscriber," per J. F., Bathgate, 10s; R. D. M'G., £100; Mrs. Jane Kinniburgh's Trust, per Cowan & Grove, £35 7s 8d; The Workers, Clyde Paper Co., £1 1s; Employees, Annackers, Ltd., £5 5s; Barony U.F. Ch. S.S., £1 7s.

WEEK ENDING MAY 2.—Rev. A. M. A., Tanganyika, £2; A. R. D., Darlington, £10; Drumbyden Mothers' Mtg., Colinton, £2 9s 1d; Ranfurly U.F. Ch. B.C., Bridge of Weir, £2 2s; Morningside Bapt. S.S., Edinburgh, £3 7s; St. John's U.F. Ch. B.C., Cupar-Fife, £1 16s 6d; Co-op. Society, Ltd., Redding, £4; Kenmore U.F. Ch. S.S., 10s; Monkton Parish Ch. S.S., £1 5s; St. James's U.F. Ch. B.C., 10s; Mrs. W., Victoria B.C., £2 1s 8d; "Helpers Together," Edinburgh, £1; Ayr U.F. Ch. West Congl. S.S., 10s; Ayr Parish Ch. S.S., £4; Cairns U.F. Ch. Ladies' Sewing Mtg., Stewarton, £15 5s; Staff and Employees, Brown Bros. & Co., Ltd., Edinburgh, 12s 6d; Miss J., 10s; Mrs. S., Balintore, £1; Miss F., Greenock, £10 10s; Miss S., Stornoway, 5s; Alloa Boys' S.S., £1; Miss E., Drummond's Trust, per R. C. Bell & J. Scott, Edinburgh, £10; Employees, M'Farlane, Lang & Co., £1; Mrs. De G., £1 4s 6d; J. F., 5s; Kilbarchan Parish Ch. Women's Work Party, £3; St. Serf's Ch. B.C., Almondbank, £1; Banff U.F. Ch. Work Party, £7; Unity Rech. Rambling Club, £1 1s; The Late Miss Helen Alexander, Inverkeithny, per Blacklaw & Nicol, Aberdeen, £50; A Steward, £1; Flora, 5s; Miss B., Kilmarnock, £2; Miss D., Wimbledon, £2; A. F. H., Perth, 10s 6d; A Servant Girl, Stranraer, 6s; Candlish U.F. Ch. S.S., Edinburgh, £1; Y.W.C.A., Newburgh, £7 12s; Mearns U.F. S.S., Newton-Mearns, 18s 6d.

WEEK ENDING MAY 9.—Anon., £4; Miss W., Kirkcaldy, £20; A. O. Kirkconnel, 10s; Anon., £8; Cordiner U.F. Junior B.C., Lesmahagow, £1; Govanhill U.F. Ch. S.S., 15s;

Rev. A. M., £1 1s; Mr. and Mrs. B., Kilmacollm, £5; G. K., Port William, £1; Mrs. T., £2; J. S., Edinburgh, £2; B.W.T.A., Bridgeton, 10s; Mrs. R., £2; C. H. B., Bridge of Weir, 5s; Miss H., Peebles, £2; J. C. W., Lochgelly, £2; S.Ss., per Middle Parish S.S. Association, Paisley, £1 7s 6d; Trinity U.F. Ch. Junior B.C., Renfrew, £2; North Woodside Young Men's Society, 10s; Schoolgirls' Tennis Club, Boddam, £1 17s 9d; J. B., Ontario, £3 2s 6d; D. R., Sask., £2 0s 7d; J. T., Milngavie, 5s; G. L., Wishaw, £2; Miss M'F., Greenock, £1; J. B. M., Westerton, £2; Children's Singing Class Cantata, Iona, £1; Graham's Road, £1; J. B. M., Westerton, £2; Children's Singing Class Cantata, Iona, £1; U.F. Parish Ch. U.F. Ch. Junior B.C., Falkirk, 15s; Leven Bapt. Ch. Women's Mtg., £1 10s; U.F. Parish Ch. S.S., Rothesay, £2 3s 8d; Parkhead U.F. Ch. Junior B.C., £1; C.O.M.B. & Tyrean Club, Scotstoun, 10s 6d; H. A. K., Cairo, £1; Miss B., London, 10s; Miss F., Kirn, £4; Miss M., Edinburgh, £1; Wellmeadow Gospel Hall Tract Band, Paisley, £1; Miss Gunion's Exy., per Mackenzie & Kermack, Edinburgh, £90 19s 4d; A. M., £1; Miss S., Arbroath, £3; Miss H., Kirkintilloch, £10; Miss H., £1; Mr. and Mrs. M., £50; A Friend who gave in small sums from time to time, per G. B., London, £53 4s; Y.W.C.A., Dalry, 7s 6d; C.F. Products, Ltd., £10 10s; Employees, Bow's Emp., £1 1s; Employees, John Horn, Ltd., 10s 6d; Employees, Beardmore & Co., Parkhead, £5.

WEEK ENDING MAY 16.—Mrs. M'K., Govan, £1 6s; Mrs. G., Coatbridge, 10s; Mrs. T., 5s; Shiloh Hall S.S., Shettleston, £2; Cowdenbeath Bapt. Ch. S.S., £1; Johnstone Parish Ch. S.S., £2; Porth Hall B.C., Dennistoun, £1 1s; Miss M'E., 10s; Mr. O., Ayr, £1 1s; J. F. P., £1; Miss M., £1; Cardross U.F. Ch. S.S., 15s; St. Luke U.F. Ch. S.S., Montrose, £1; Fullerton U.F. Ch. Prim. Dept., Irvine, £1 1s; Pittenweem Bapt. Ch. S.S., 15s; Yarrow's Employees' Hospital Comm., £2 2s; Miss Margt. Buchanan's Trust, per Reids, Campbell & Cook, Paisley, £201 10s 9d; Robt. Greig's Trust, per A. Hendry, Denny, £903 13s 11d; J. J. Thomson's Trust, per Stevenson & Johnstone, Langholm, £411 8s 7d; J. V., Bridge of Cally, £1; Miss W., Bridge of Allan, 5s; Friends in Kinross and Neighbourhood, per Mrs. B. B., £8 10s; Miss D., Edinburgh, 10s; Miss M., Edinburgh, 10s; Y.W.C.A., Dunfermline, 10s; St. James Parish Ch. S.S., Forfar, £1; Nairn U.F. High Ch. S.S., £1; Neilston U.F. Ch. S.S., £1; Readers of *The Christian*, per Morgan & Scott, Ltd., £6 6s; W. H. Troon, 10s; Mrs. M'N., Ayr, £1; Kirkmuirhill U.F. Ch. B.C., 5s; Mrs. S., £1 1s; Anon., £2; Mrs. K., Alyth, £1; Miss T., Kilmarnock, £2; West U.F. Ch. S.S., Galashiels, £2 19s 2d; Birthday Thank Offering, £1; Miss M., Montrose, 5s; In Memoriam, W. S. M., Stirling, £7 15s; Whiteinch U.F. Ch. Junior C.E. Society, 10s; Hamilton South U.F. Ch. S.S., £1; "For Jessie's Sake," Mrs. W., £1.

WEEK ENDING MAY 23.—I. P. F., £5; "Cable," St. Andrews, 10s; Miss D., Christchurch, 5s; Mrs. P., Christchurch, £5; Arrochar U.F. Ch. S.S., £1; Scholars and Friends in District of Stronsay, £9 12s 6d; Hugh Gray's Trust, per Brown, Fleming & Murray, £200; Miss A., £1; A Grateful Girl, Kilmarnock, £1; W. N. B., £3; J. D., Beith, 10s; George's Sisters, £5; Miss S., Brechin, £1; G. L. M., Alexandria, £1; Little Children of Barleith School, by Hurlford, 16s 2d; Maybole Bapt. Ch. B.C., 8s; Trinity Junior B.C., Cambuslang, 10s; Dennistoun Bapt. Ch. S.S., £2 14s 4d; Anderston Street U.F. Ch. 22nd B.B. B.C., £1 1s; Shettleston Unionist Assoc., 18s 11d; Miss S., £3; Miss M'D., per Braid Street Mission, £1; Mrs. S., Irvine, £1; Boys and Girls' Mission, Stanley, £1 10s; D. T. C. S., £20; W. N., St. Leonards-on-Sea, £5; Mrs. S., Leamington Spa., £2 2s; Mrs. S., Edinburgh, 10s; Anon., 10s; Gorbals Parish Ch. S.S., £1; Moss Street U.F. Ch. S.S., Elgin, £1 10s; Bonhill South U.F. Ch. Prim. S.S., £1; Staff and Employees, Brown Bros. & Co., Ltd., Edinburgh, 12s 3d; Wm. Watson's Trust, per Balfour & Manson, Edinburgh, £45; Misses O., London, £6; Mr. and Mrs. C., Rothesay, £1; Mrs. A., Prestwick, 10s; Anon., £20; Miss B., £2; Miss B., Johnstone, 10s; Mrs. B., Giffnock, £5; A. Friend, Carnoustie, £1; Women's West U.F. Ch. Mission, Forfar, £1; Bethel Sunday Evening Class, Aberdeen, 10s; Gillespie U.F. S.S., 10s 6d; R. C. G., Newton-Mearns, £2 2s.

WEEK ENDING MAY 30.—Anon., £1; E. A. B., Greenock, £4; "In Loving Memory of My Dear Mother," £1; "In Christ," 16s 5d; J. W. G. O., Beaulieu, £150; Gospel Hall Society St. S.S., Maybole, £1; U.F. Ch. S.S., Yetholm, 10s; Misses K., 5s; Sympathisers, Largs, per Misses B., £18; Y.W.C.A., Inveraray, £6; North U.F. Ch. G.A., Dunfermline, £1; Anon., £5; Miss W., Greenock, 10s; J. M., Lanark, £2; Scotch Friends in Demerara, per A. R., £13 10s; Kenmore U.F. Ch. Senior B.C., Bishopbriggs, £1; T. Hutchison's Exy., per Gray & Kellas, Aberdeen, £20; W. M. Ledingham's Estate, per James Meston & Co., Aberdeen, £225; "Ivy," Broughty Ferry, 5s; C. S., £1 1s; A. M'B., Pitlochry, £1; Mrs. M'F., Edinburgh, £1; Mure U.F. Ch. S.S., Irvine, £1 5s; Anon., £5; Inasmuch, £1; Miss J., Ayr, 10s; Miss D., Wimbledon, £2; D. D., Winnipeg, £5; Lugton S.S., Dunlop, £1; Renfrew Evangelistic Hall S.S., 13s; H. R., Montreal, £10; S. B. B., Stromness, £2; Mrs. B., £1; "In Memory of Willie O., May, 1901," £2; Miss B., Bridge of Weir, £5; Miss K., London, £1 10s; Mrs. M., Ayr, £4; M. W., £1 1s; J. R. K. & C. R. B., Edinburgh, £10; Foundry Boys and Girls' Religious Society, Dumbarton, £1 10s; Queen's Park Bapt. Ch. B.C., £1; Mrs. S., Cowdenbeath, £20; J. J. S., jun., Cowdenbeath, £3; Adelaide Place Bapt. Ch. S.S., £1; Found in Boxes, £1 19s 7d. *Per C.O.S.*—A. J. H., £1 1s; J. P. H., Ltd., £1 1s; Sir H. R., £10; J. N. H., £2; A. R. F. & Co., £2; D. A. B., £3; G. R., £3 3s; W. P. U., £1 1s.

Received by Hon. Treasurer between 1st and 31st May.—Belhaven U.F. Ch. Forenoon Mtg., £1 3s 8d; Miss Annie M'Dougall's Tr., £9; Mrs. Jessie Laird's Tr., per J. W. Jamieson, Newmains, £26 5s; Girls' Guildry B.C., per Barony Parish Ch., £1; Miss Annie E. Richardson's Tr., per Kidstons & Co., £4 13s 7d; Miss Annie Sandison's Estate, per Craig & M'Naughton, £2 3s; Miss Drysdale's Tr., per Moncrieff, Warren, Paterson & Co., 7s 3d; Mid. U.F. Ch. S.S., Coatbridge, £2 17s; Dr. D. M. Mill's Tr., per Henry & Fenton, Dundee, £18 19s 1d; A. D. M'Nair's Tr., per Bannatyne, Kirkwood, France & Co., £11 1s 6d; Miss B., Dumfries, £1; Crieff Parish Cr. S.S., £2; Queen's Park U.F. Ch. S.S., £6 9s 3d; Miss Marion C. M'Ewan's Tr., per M'Kinnon & Browning, £9 13s 9d.

WEEK ENDING JUNE 6.—"Two Friends in Nairn," per Miss G., £3; Flora, 5s; J. R., Perth, £3; A. D., Rock Ferry, £10; Mrs. M., Newcastle, Natal, £1 1s; Mrs. P., Charlestown, do., 10s; Mrs. G., Newcastle, do., 10s; "A Few Friends," Newcastle, do., 3s 6d; Miss S., Dundee, £200; "For the Bairns," a Small Thankoffering, £1; Anon., 4s; Anon., £1; Mr. and Mrs. T., Edinburgh, 10s; W. B., East Linton, £1; W. B., East Linton (Emigration), £10; Prof. T. K. M., £40; Mrs. W., Bridge of Allan, £5; H. D. L., Annan, £5; North Berwick Parish Ch. S.S., £4; Buckhaven Bapt. Ch. B.C., 10s; Adelaide Place Bapt. Ch. £8 6s 5d; B.B., 212th Glasgow Coy., 10s; Miss M.T., Strathyre, £1; J. A. M., Bridge of Weir, £5; W. R., Edinburgh, 10s; "Dumfries," £2; Tent Hall Workers, £1; Miss Jean Spence's Trust, per J. Cunningham, Kay & Son, Hamilton, £1 18s 9d; H. M.G., New Westminster, £1 0s 10d; Mrs. E. and Family, Edinburgh, £2; J. K., £1; Miss W., Kelso, £2; R. C., Biggar, 7s 6d; Mrs. W., £15 15s; Cherrybank S.S., Perth, £1; A Steward, £1; Miss M.E., 10s; Mrs. F., £1; Lads' Junior B.C., Langside Hill U.F. Ch., £1 3s 10d; Burnside S.S., £2; Employees, Wallace, Scott & Co., £3 3s; L. R. T., 10s; Mrs. S., 5s; Glasgow Charity Football Committee, £10.

WEEK ENDING JUNE 13.—Anon., £1; Finnieston Ch. Mission, Grace Street, £1; J. D., Kilmarnock, £2; Macgregor Mem. U.E. Ch. Prim. Dept., 7s 6d; J. S., Leith, £10; W. C. R., W. Kilbride, £1; Miss A., £100; D. M., Broughty Ferry, 10s; Giffnock U.F. Ch. Lads' Junior B.C., £1 13s 9d; J. G. P., £1 1s; In Memory of Jean Grant, Grangemouth, 10s; The late James Fleming's Trust, per Fyfe, MacLean & Co., £15; Miss M., Selkirk, 5s; Mrs. R., King Edward, £2; Pilrig U.F. Ch. S.S., Edinburgh, £1 10s; Mrs. Agnes Kirkpatrick's Trust, per Niven & Macniven, £200; Mrs. C., Coatbridge, £1; J. M'D., Walkburn, 10s; Miss B. Edinburgh, £1; Mr. D., by Kilwinning, 10s; Mrs. D. and Two Children, do., 5s; Irvinebank Ch. Women's Guild, Darvel, £1 15s; Blackadder U.F. Ch. S.S., North Berwick, £11; St. Mary's Parish Ch. Senior B.C., Motherwell, 7s; Castle-Douglas U.F. Ch. S.S., £1 5s; Mrs. H., Rutherglen, £5; Miss Hannah M'Lachlan's Exy., per Robertson & Gordon Shaw, £20 9s 5d; A Friend, Lochwinnoch, 10s; Mrs. P., Aberdeen, £1; Mrs. S., Sussex, £1; Mrs. B., Gourrock, 10s; Alexandria Parish Ch. S.S. Prim. Dept., 10s; W. P. T., Greenock, £1 1s.

WEEK ENDING JUNE 20.—J. M'L., £2; Miss M., £1; Anon., £1; Miss M., 10s; Miss H. and Sister, Dundee, £1 10s; Mrs. G., Broughty Ferry, £1; Miss C., Aberdeen, 5s; Miss A., Kirkcaldy, £2; Miss C. Ardrishaig, 10s; Miss B., St. Boswells, 10s; Mrs. A., £3; W. A. jun., 10s; Miss O., North Berwick, £10; Miss A. L. O., do., £5; R. W. M., Midlothian, £1 1s; Misses H., £30; Miss G., Thurso, £20; T. B., Kilmacoll, £50; J. M'W., Inverkeithing, 2s 6d; Mrs. M'D., Granton-on-Spey, £1; Mr. and Mrs. S., Thurso, £1; Blairhill U.F. Ch. S.S., Coatbridge, 13s; Mrs. S., Shettleston, 10s; Miss G., London, £2; Mr. and Mrs. D., Fraserburgh, £5; Mossbank S.S., £1 9s; Stewarton Foundry Boys' Society, £1 10s; T. M'N., Arran, £1; J. H. R., Winnipeg, 4s 2d; L. R., do., 4s; J. L. L., do., 8s; Staff and Employees, Brown Bros. & Co., Ltd., Edinburgh, 14s 6d; Brandon Street U.F. Ch. Junior B.C., Motherwell, £1; Miss S., Orkney, £1; P. F. S., do., 10s; Miss P., Lanark, 10s; D. M'L., 10s; Park U.F. Ch. S.S., Uddingston, £2 11s 6d; Workmen's Charity Fund, per Jas. Howden & Co., Ltd., £3. *Per Miss M. H. B.—Friends in Largs, Fairlie, and Manchester*—Mrs. M., £2; Mrs. B., 10s; Mrs. C., 5s; Miss B., 2s 6d; Miss S., 2s 6d; Miss M., 2s 6d; Mrs. B., £1; Miss B., 10s; Mrs. C., 10s; Miss A., 2s 6d; Mrs. W., 2s 6d; Mrs. C., 5s; Miss J., 2s 6d; Mrs. C., 2s 6d; Mrs. M., 2s 6d; Mrs. C., 5s; Miss W., 10s; Miss D., 2s 6d; Miss A., 5s; W. M. B., 10s; Miss P., 2s 6d; Miss R., 2s 6d; Misses B., £1; Misses, F., Fairlie, 5s; Mrs. O., Manchester, £1; A. O., £1; Miss O., 5s.

WEEK ENDING JUNE 27.—Sallie H., Ayr, 10s; Mrs. M., Inverness, £1; Mrs. T., £2; Miss J., Perth, £2; Miss H., Bovingdon, £2; E. M. C., Edinburgh, £3 10s; Miss M'D., £1; E. M. H., London, £5; Miss G., Edinburgh, 5s; Mrs. W., Aberdeen, £1; Mrs. S., Lochgilphead, £2 2s; Mrs. B. Bangor, £2; Jumble Sale, Ladies' Committee, Union Ch., Hong Kong, per Mrs. MacK., £20; Queen's Park Bapt. Ch. S.S., £2 10s; G. C. Y., Sydney, £10; J. & R. N. R., Edinburgh, £10; Mr. and Mrs. B., Aberdeen, £1; Ladybank U.F. Ch. S.S., £1; Craigmailen U.F. Ch. S.S., Bo'ness, £2; St. John's U.F. Ch. S.S., Carlisle, £3 8s 11d; Y.W.C.A., Govan, £1; Mrs. R., £2; J. T., Takoma Md., £25; D. H., Carlisle, 3s; Bethelfield U.F. Ch. S.S., Cairns, Kirkcaldy, £1 10s; Balshagray Parish Ch. S.S., £1 8s; Kirkintilloch Bapt. Ch. S.S., £1; Misses H. Campbelltown, £2; Miss M., £2 10s; Miss L., Gartochan, £5; Mr. and Mrs. G., Edinburgh, £1; Mrs. W. S. L., per Wm. Wotherspoon, Paisley, £5; John Dewar's Trust, per Nelson & Mackay, £2 2s 3d; Miss F., Forres, £3; Mrs. P. B., Monkton, £1 1s; Mr. and Mrs. R. Barrhead, 10s; J. M. A., Saskatchewan, £12 6s; Miss M'E., £1; Elderslie U.F. Ch. S.S., 5s; Rose Street U.F. S.S., £1 10s; M.P.W. Telephone Section, £10; A Friend, £2; Lodge "Oatlands" 1005 Glasgow, £2 2s; Found in Boxes, £1 10s 5d. *Per C.O.S.*—S. H. B., £5; W. W. MacL., £5 5s; Mr. and Mrs. J., £2; Mrs. S., £2; J. B. B. & Sons, £1; J. A. S. (Emigration), £10 10s.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer between 1st and 30th June.—Camphill U.F. Ch. S.S. and B.C., £2; Scottish Nat. S.S. Union, £93 16s 4d; Employees, J. Taylor, Wheatholm, Ltd., Airdrie, £2; Plantation U.F. Ch. S.S., £2; Scone West U.F. Ch. S.S., £1 13s; D. M'K., £5 5s; 1st Milngavie Co., B.B., £2 10s; Employees, Wm. Beattie, Ltd., £7 7s; J. J. & Co., £20; Holyrood Clan of "Panpipes" Magazine Musical League, £7 10s; Misses M., Bonnyrigg, 2s 6d; Glasgow Junior Football Association, £2; Miss A. Sanderson's Tr., per Craig & M'Naughton, £100; Wallacetown Parish Ch. S.S., Ayr, £2 10s; Langside Hill U.F. Ch. Girls' B.C., 10s; Employees, R. Lyle & Co., £2 2s; Boys' B.C., per L. M. R., £2; Victoria U.F. Ch. S.S., Carmyle, £1; Airdrie Schools Cup Committee, £5; M., M. & M., £2 2s.

WEEK ENDING JULY 4.—John Street Bapt. Ch. Girls' Aux., per Mrs. A., 10s; Morning-side Parish Ch. S.S., Edinburgh, 17s 6d; North Parish Girls' Guild, Paisley, £1; Mr. and Mrs. W., Leith, £2; Mrs. W., £1; Mrs. Y., Dundee, £5; Mrs. P. Charlestown, Natal, £1 1s; Miss R., Belfast, £1; Miss C., Strathaven, 10s; Miss M'K., Kilmacoll, £1; Mrs. G. and Misses G., £1 10s; B. B., £50; Anniesland Hall S.S., £2 10s; Anderston Parish Ch., £2 10s; Toowong Gospel Hall S.S., Brisbane, £3 1s 3d; Glasgow Eastern Junior Charity Football Assoc., £5; Mrs. R., Dundee, 10s; Mrs. S., Edinburgh, 10s; J. F. M., Leith, 10s; Mrs. S., Castle-Douglas, £1; J. S. A., Paisley, £2; South Beach U.F. Ch. Prim. S.S., Saltcoats, 13s 3d; Trinity U.F.

Ch. S.S., £2 3s 2d; Whyte's Causeway Bapt. Ch. S.S., Kirkcaldy, £1 10s 5d; Staff and Employees, Ayrshire Dockyard Co., Irvine, £5 5s; Miss M'A., Bonhill, £1; In Loving Memory of 22nd June, £1; R. D., £5; Miss N., Milngavie, £1; Portland U.F. Ch. S.S., Troon, £1 17s; Mrs. F. and Mrs. W., Lanark, £10; R. T. H., 5s; Miss S., Aberdeen, 5s; G. R., Kilmacoll, £5; Flora, 5s; Mrs. G., Liberton Brae, 10s; Miss F., Alloa, £3; J. M'N., £1 1s; Ladeside S.S., Rothsay, £2 0s 4d; Glasgow Newsboys' Missionary Box, 10s; Mrs. G., Winnipeg, £2 1s 1d; Miss G., £6; A. R. D., Darlington, £10; Anon., £1; Pumpherston B.C., Mid-Calder, £1; L. R. T., £2; Employees, M'Kie & Baxter, £1 1s; Eastbank Y.M.C.A., Shettleston, £1 1s; Thornhill Pub. School, Perthshire, 15s; W. P. T., £1 1s.

WEEK ENDING JULY 11.—Three Grateful Ones, 3s; Anon., per D. F., St. Fillans, £21; Mrs. H., Kent, £1; Mrs. B., London, 10s; Misses S., Forfar, £1 1s; Tillicoultry Congl. Ch. B.C., 10s; Miss H., £1; Mrs. J., £1; Mrs. L., 12s 6d; Miss D., Aberdeen, £5; Blythswood U.F. S.S., £2 5s; Fordyce U.F. S.S., Portsoy, 10s; C. & Co., £2; Miss C., 2s; "Tweedside," St. Boswells, £2; Miss M'N., £10; Of Thine Own, £1; J. W. M., Aberdeen, 10s; J. M'K., Port-Glasgow, £1 10s; Miss C., Darvel, 7s 6d; Rockvilla U.F. Ch. S.S., £1; Coatdyke, Carnbroe, and Clarkston Foundry Boys & Girls' Religious Society, Airdrie, £2; Mrs. W., High Blantyre, 1s; Miss F., Kirn, £5; Mrs. W., 5s; Mrs. S., Fearn, £1; Grange U.F. Ch. Mission Children's Ch. and S.S., Edinburgh, £2 5s; Mrs. M'L., Forres, 10s; Miss D., £1; Miss C., Airdrie, 10s; Mrs. and Miss C., Cove, £3; Miss S., 5s; Miss MacK., Ayr, £3; R. T. H., 10s; Mr. and Mrs. G., Edinburgh, £1; Mrs. U., Leeds, 10s; Kincardine and Tulliallan U.F. Ch. S.S., Kincardine-on-Forth, 10s; North U.F. Ch. Mission S.S., Keith, £1 16s; Carmyle U.F. Ch. S.S., 10s; Employees, Clydebridge Steel Works, £1 1s; S. M. & Sons, £1; Gorbals Parish Ch., 10s 6d; C. & Co., £5; Mrs. B., 10s; Mrs. G., Huntly, 10s; John Street Bapt. Ch. S.S., £1 16s 6d.

WEEK ENDING JULY 18.—Mrs. W., Greenock, 5s; Victoria Park U.F. Ch. S.S., Whiteinch, £1; Paisley Prov. Amb. Corps, 15s; J. N. S., Kilmacoll, £20; E. N. M. W., Dunaskin, £1; R. M'K., £3; A. H. G.-C., Paisley, £100; Ebenezer Hall S.S., Cambuslang, £1; Employees, J. & P. Wilson, Ltd., £1 1s; Mrs. B., 10s; D. B., Bournemouth, £2, Members, Ivy Cottage Club, Bearsden, £3; Miss S.-J., London, £1 1s; Miss C., Edinburgh, 10s; Buccleuch Parish Ch. S.S., Edinburgh, £2; High Parish Ch. S.S., Paisley, £1; Miss G., Milnathort, £1; A Friend, do., £1; Mrs. R.'s B.C., Airdrie, £1; Miss G., Aberdeen, £1 15s 6d; Miss B., Edinburgh, 10s; Rev. J. M., Clarkston, £10; Mrs. L., £1 1s; Miss W., Perth, £2; R. F. B. (Emigration), £2; "In Memory of Cameron," £3 3s; Mrs. M., £2; R. P. C., £2; Half-Yearly Conference of S.S. Teachers in Wellerroft Halls, £2; Argyll Sq. U.F. Ch. S.S., Oban, 15s 9d; Oldmeldrum U.F. Ch. S.S., £1; Cardell Hall S.S., £2 5s; Miss T. and Friends, New Jersey, £3; Miss A., Sussex, 10s; Penicuik S. U.F. Ch. S.S., £3 5s; R. H. M., Aberdeen (Home and Foreign Missions), 5s; R. H. M., do., £1.

WEEK ENDING JULY 25.—Miss M., £1 10s; Keith-Falconer Memorial Ch., Aden, £5; Warehouse Girls of Lyle & Scott, Hawick, £3 7s; Miss Isabella Weir's Tr., per Burness & Dickson, Montrose, £55 19s 1d; St. Andrew's Pres. S.S., Bordon, 11s 9d; Miss S., £5; Anon., £5; A Scots Woman, £1; Mrs. W., Roseneath, £1 10s; Juniper Green U.F. Ch. S.S., £1; C.E. Mtg., Tighnabruach, £2; Staff and Employees, Brown Bros. & Co., Ltd., Edin. S.S., £1; Jessie N., 4s 6d; Mrs. D., £1; Mrs. G., Trinity, £1 10s; Dr. F., £1 1s; Mrs. C., Vancouver, £1; Miss S., Motherwell, 10s; J. A. Montrose, 10s; Mrs. M'G., Broughty Ferry, £1 1s; Y.W.C.A., Forfar, £1 10s; West U.F. Ch. S.S., Broughty Ferry, £1 10s; W. G. W., Edinburgh, £1; A Small Thankoffering, Greenock, 2s 6d; Mrs. S., Cornwall, £3; Rev. J. C., Dundee, £1; Miss C., Aberdeen, 2s 6d; Mrs. K., Dumfries, £1; Miss M., 10s; Miss N., 10s; Miss L., Edinburgh, 10s; Miss MacD., 10s; Mr. and Mrs. L. (Emigration), 10s; Mrs. T., Lancaster, £1; R. M., Edinburgh, £2 2s; Mr. and Mrs. J., Vancouver, £2 0s 9d; Found in Boxes, £5 5s 2d. *Per C.O.S.*—W. C. S., £1 1s; Dr. J. T. M., 5s; C.N. Co., Newton, £2 2s; St. George's-in-the-Field S.S., £2 2s; A. S., £1 1s.

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WEEK ENDING AUGUST 1.—Mrs. M., Dundee, £5; A. M., Forfar, £2; C. M. P., Lasswade, £2; "A Steward," £1; Mrs. D., Dumbarton, £3; Miss M., 10s; A. F.-P., Alloa, £80; "Two Sisters," Newmains, £1; Miss S., Edinburgh, £2; Ranfurly U.F. Ch. S.S., Bridge of Weir, 19s 6d; Wells Memorial Girls' B.C., 10s; Anon., £5; Mrs. M'N., Germiston, 5s; Miss G., Kent, £1; Staff Benevolent Fund, St. Katherine's Works, Edinburgh, £1; Wenman Street Gospel Hall S.S., Birmingham, £2 10s; Canon H., Ontario, £1; Greenlaw U.F. Ch. S.S., £1; Overton Gospel Hall S.S., Wishaw, £1; N.B.D. Engine Works, Ltd., £6; Mrs. L. and W. L., £2; Union U.F. Ch. S.S., Edinburgh, 10s; A. F., Grangemouth, 10s; Miss W., £1; Miss M'C., 10s; Mrs. W., Jedburgh, 10s; Mrs. H. Dumfries, 5s; A. B., £2 2s; Anon., £5.

WEEK ENDING AUGUST 8.—Mrs. P., Slamannan, 10s; Mrs. E., St. Andrews, £2; R. M., Berlin, £1; A Friend Visiting, 5s; Miss D., 10s; Pastor J. C., £1; Miss de R., Bloemfontein, 10s; Miss S., Edinburgh, 7s 6d; W. S., New York, £1 0s 10d; Mr. H., Blairgowrie, £2; Mrs. A., Johnstone, 10s; G. D., Coupar-Angus, 2s 6d; Mrs. T., £1; R. B. C., London, £20; Anon., 5s; Anon., 10s; J. M., St. Andrews, 10s; Miss F., Peterhead, £5; Banton Bapt. Ch., Kilsyth, £1 12s; Belmont Congl. S.S., Aberdeen, 10s; Nethy Bridge U.F. Ch. S.S., Inverness, 10s; L.B. Co., Ltd., £2 2s; Droffan Village S.S., Auchenhath, £1; Miss B., Saskatoon, £2 1s 8d; J. B., Leith, £10.

WEEK ENDING AUGUST 15.—Mrs. A., London, £5; M. E. Y., £2; Miss M., £1; Mrs. G., Cape Town, £5; Proceeds of Hockey Match held in Baghdad on 14/3/25, per Chief Auditor, £3 8s 5d; Miss B., £1; Margaret's Red Bag, 8s 6d; Mrs. T., Mother-

well, £1; Mrs. B. Airdrie, £1; Flora, 5s; Miss K. Swansea, £1; Miss F., 10s; Friends in Parish Ch., Ardrossan, £10; Miss S., Corstorphine, £5; Miss M., Bristol, £5; Larbert Women's Own P.T.A. Mtg., £2; J. C., Craigellachie, £1; Mrs. W., £1; Miss D., 5s; W. T., C.I.M., 5s; Valleyfield Girls, Finishing Dept., Penicuik, £2 3s; Members and Friends, Y.W.C.A., Finstown, 6s; Employees, Bow's Emp., £1 1s.

WEEK ENDING AUGUST 22.—Mrs. F., Chryston, £5; J. H. D., Sunderland, £1; Glasgow Junior Football Association, £1; "In Memory, W. I. L.," £5; Mrs. P., Milngavie, £1; D. M'C., £100; Miss B., Ontario, 4s 2d; J. M'R., £2; A Steward, £1; Auchanrow S.S., Reston, 17s 6d; Mrs. M'M., £1; F. A. C., Cumberland, £3; Mrs. W., Bridge of Allan, £5; A. G. C., £5; M'Donald Road U.F. Ch. S.S., Edinburgh, £1 10s; Miss S., 4s 6d; The late Miss E. Milton's Tr., per P. F. & J. Husband, Dundee, £20; J. M. A. L., Wellington, N.Z., £10; Miss M., Uddingston, £2; "In Christ," 15s 10d; R. J. L., Dun Echt, £1 17s 2d; Miss T., £1.

WEEK ENDING AUGUST 29.—"Maria," £1; "George's Sisters," £5; Blackfriars Branch, F.B. & G. Society, 15s 6d; Ruchill U.F. Ch. S.S., £6 11s; G. S. S., Dalkeith, £1 1s; Anon., 1s 6d; Mrs. A., £1 0s 10d; Mrs. P., New York, £1 0s 10d; J. R., Perth, £3; Mr. and Mrs. D., Carmyle, £2; Football Skill Competition Assoc., Kilbarchan, £1 1s; Miss S., Bridge of Weir, £5; Mrs. C., Barrhead, £1; N. B. C., £1; Pitlochry Estab. Ch. S.S., £1; Miss D., Cardonald, £1; J. A., Irvine, 10s; Miss R., Edinburgh, £1; Gateside and Beith S.G.F. Society, £1; Oakshaw East U.F. Ch. B.C., Paisley, £2; Tannadice Parish Ch. S.S., £3; A. H. H. & Co., £1 1s; Misses S., Quebec, £2; A. Ltd., £5; Mr. and Mrs. F. and Clarence, £2; St. Mark's U.F. Ch. S.S., £2; Found in Boxes, £1 15s 8d. *Per C.O.S.*—W. W. & Co., £2 2s; R. B., £1 1s; W. L., 5s.

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WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 5.—Mrs. G., Shetland, 5s; W. B., Huntly, 3s 6d; Mrs. M., per ditto (Home and Foreign Missions), 2s; Hamilton U.F. Ch. B.C., Port-Glasgow, £1; Mrs. P., £2; Mrs. C., Kilmacoll, £2 2s; R. B. G., £2 2s; G. W. N., Canobie, 7s 6d; H. D., London, £1; Avon Street U.F. Ch. Junior B.C., Hamilton, £1; Staff and Employees, Brown Bros. & Co., Ltd., Edinburgh, 11s 9d; Flora, 5s; Mrs. C., 10s; Miss H., Newcastle-on-Tyne, £2; Anon., £5; 2nd A. & S.H. and Other Units, Fargo Camp, Salisbury, £1 18s 6d; Anon., 10s; D. M., Ardrishaig, 2s 6d; Mr. and Mrs. G., Edinburgh, 10s; Mrs. K., Alyth, £1; Friends in Moffat, per Miss M'L., £7; Mrs. C., Dollar, £5; Miss M'E., 10s; Miss D., Nairn, 10s; Miss D., 5s; Miss H., Oldham, £3; Rev. J. R. C., Melrose, 10s; Mrs. P., Edinburgh, £1 5s; Misses G., Motherwell, £1 1s; Warriston School, Moffat, £5; Chryston U.F. Ch. S.S., £2 13s 9d; Hillhead Congl. Ch. S.S., 10s 6d.

WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 12.—Miss H., 10s; Miss M., £1; H. D., Lanark, £3; A. G., Adelaide, £1; A. M. R., Bonnybridge, 5s; In Memory of Marjorie, £10; Abbey Church Mothers' Mtg., Dunfermline, 15s; S. B., Kilmarnock, £1; Mrs. L. and Children, St. Boswells, 10s; Mrs. M'K., Gourrock, £1; A. L., Aberdeen, 2s 6d; Miss P., £2; Miss S., West Kilbride, 5s; J. P., Persia, £9 10s 10d; Pathhead Bapt. Ch. B.C., Kirkcaldy, 10s; Ferryhill U.F. Ch. S.S., Aberdeen, £1; J. W. H., 10s; J. S. S., Dundee, 10s; Miss K., 5s; Children's Seashore Services, per Mrs. M'F., Dunoon, £2; Mossgreen Parish Ch. S.S., Crossgates, £1; Mr. and Mrs. D., Bonnyrigg, £1; Ditto (Home and Foreign Missions), £1; Rev. A. C., Paisley, £1 1s; "J. B. M.," In Memoriam Gift, Perth, £1; Miss M'L., £1; Mrs. S., Toronto, £1 0s 10d; E. N. M. W., Coyton, £1; St. George's Parish Ch. S.S., Paisley, £1 13s; Battlefield U.F. Ch. S.S., £4 16s 4d.

WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 19.—Miss M'T., 4s; Anon., 10s; Miss O., Grantown-on-Spey, £5; Savings of the late Master F. Watson, Arbroath, £4 2s 10d; Mrs. D., Perth, 5s; A Thank Offering, £5; W. C., Stroud Green, £1; "Ivy," Dundee, 10s; "Teach Us, Lord, How Much We Owe," £150; Scotstoun U.F. Ch. Joint Junior B.C., £1; Roslin U.F. Ch. S.S. and Prim. Dept., £1 10s; Miss S., Paisley, £1; Miss H., Troon, £2; Miss H., Perth, £2 2s; R. F., Darlington, £3; Miss K., Aberdeen, £2; Women's Aux. Mtg., Bapt. Ch., Wishaw, £2 10s; Women's Mtg., per Mrs. A., Newmains, £2; D. M'L., Oban, £1; Mrs. H., Timaru, N.Z., £2; Mrs. R., Dunedin, N.Z., £2; Guild of Aid Rent Savings Club, £5; Anon., £5; Killearn Women's Guild, £5; M'Donald Road U.F. Ch. Senior Boys' S.S., Edinburgh, 12s; Harmony Hall S.S., Govan, £2; E. J. M'D., 10s; Queen's Park Bapt. Ch., £5; Mrs. W., 10s.

WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 26.—J. M'D., Boston, £1 0s 5d; Dunsinnan Y.W.C.A., Perth, £5; Miss M'D., Kilmacoll, 10s; Mrs. B., Kingskettle, £2; Shettleston Bapt. Ch. S.S., £2; Mrs. M'C., Newton, near Wick, 6s; St. Andrew's Place U.F. Ch. S.S., Leith, £1; P. B., Inch, £1; Miss G., Kurseong, £1; Mrs. M., Bridge of Allan, £10; Linwood and Darvel Joint S.S., £2 1s 9d; Grove Street Institute, £2; R. M., Ltd., Alloa, 10s; The late G. K. Robb's Tr., per G. H. Robb & Crosbie, £2 000; Miss M'Ca's Trust, per W. & F. Haldane, Edinburgh, £192 8s 6d; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. W., Philadelphia, Pa., £1 0s 7d; R. J. L., Dun Echt, £1 2s 6d; Mrs. MacK., £2; W. M'M., Lochwinnoch, £1; Mrs. A., Wemyss Bay, £25; Mrs. F., Motherwell, £2; Mrs. D., Auchterarder, £2. *Friends at Largs, per Miss B.*—Mrs. L., £5; Mrs. B., £1; Miss S., 10s; Mrs. H., 10s; Mrs. B., 10s; Miss M., 5s; Miss K. M., 5s; Mrs. S., 5s; J. T. N., Beattock, £1; Fraserburgh Bapt. Ch. S.S. Teachers, £3; Bapt. Ch. Women's Aux., Wishaw, 7s; Miss P., £2; Anon., £1; Anon., £5; St. Mary's U.F. Children's Forenoon Mtg., £1; W. P. T., Greenock, £1; Found in Boxes, £1 17s 6d. *Per C.O.S.*—Mrs. B., 2s 6d; Mrs. F., £2.

Received by the Hon. Treasurer between 1st and 30th September.—The City Business Club, £1 1s; K. Co-op. Society, Ltd., £1 1s; H. H. B., Rutherglen, £3 3s; L. G., £10 10s; Committee and Members, Institution of Engineers and Shipbuilders, Hong Kong, £10; Ayr U.F. S.S., 10s; J. S., 10s; Members, Dalziel Co-op. Society, Ltd., Motherwell, £5; Workers, Clyde Paper Co., Ltd., Rutherglen, £1 1s; Inc. of Bakers, £5 5s.

WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 3.—In Loving Memory C. and E., £1; A. T. T., Kilmacoll, £20; "In Memory of a Loved One," £1 15s; J. M., Walkerburn, 10s; A Friend, per Rev. R. S. C., £1; Miss P., Helensburgh, £1; Crown Terr. Bapt. Ch. S.S., Aberdeen, £1; U.C.B.S. and Employees Shareholding Society, £13; "Of Thine Own," £5; Miss S., Uddingston, £2; J. S., Kilmarnock, 10s; Miss S., N. Berwick, £4; In Memoriam Birthday, Sept. 28th, £1; J. P., by Beaully, 10s; Bengall Tarvest Thankoffering Service, £2 1s; K. Equit. Co-op. Society, £5; A Thank Offering, £5; "In Memory of our Dear Ones," £1; Mrs. M'W., Bridge of Weir, £1; Miss F., £1; Mr. and Mrs. S., £2; "In Loving Memory," Miss T., £1; Ltd., Edinburgh, 10s; A. E. A., £1; Anon., 5s; Mrs. S., Leith, 10s; J. M., Leith, 10s 6d; J. D., Paisley, £1; John Ker Memorial S.S., Edinburgh, £1 10s; Albert Road Mission S.S., £1 4s; Dr. L., £1; Mr. and Mrs. J., Leith, £2. *Friends in Campbelltown, per Mrs. G.*—per Miss C.—Miss M'K., 15s; Miss B. M'K., 5s; Mrs. M'D., £1; Mrs. H., 2s 6d; Mrs. M'K., 10s; Mrs. G., 5s; Mrs. B., 10s; Mrs. C., 3s; Mrs. W. B., 2s 6d; Miss M., 5s; Mrs. M., 3s; Mrs. M'M., 5s; Mrs. C., 5s; Mrs. M., 2s; Miss M'K., 2s 6d; Mrs. C., 2s 6d; Mrs. B., 3s; Miss T., 5s; Rev. D. S. B., 2s 6d; Miss W., 2s 6d; Mrs. J. C., 10s; Mrs. MacF., 3s; Mrs. T., 10s; Mrs. W. M'K., 10s; Miss M'K., 10s; Miss J. M'K., 10s; Mrs. G., £1; Mr. D., 2s 6d; Mrs. A. M'T., 5s; Mrs. H., 5s; Mrs. W., 10s. *Per Miss M'T.*—Miss M'K., £1; Mrs. C., 10s; Mrs. R., 10s; Mrs. L., 2s 6d; Mrs. M'C., £1 1s; Mrs. G., 2s 6d; Mrs. F., 5s; Mrs. W., 2s 6d; Miss P., 5s; W. G., 2s 6d; Mrs. M., 2s 6d; Mrs. C., 5s; Miss F., £3; Miss F., 3s; Miss K., 2s 6d; Miss L., 2s 6d; Miss T., 5s; Mrs. T., 2s 6d; Mrs. P., 2s 6d; Mrs. D., 2s 6d; S. T., 2s 6d; J. A. G., 2s 6d; Mrs. D., 1s; Mrs. G., 1s 6d; R. R., 1s; D. D., 2s 6d; Mr. M., 2s; J. W., 2s; S. M'N., 2s 6d; R. R., 1s; Mr. W., 2s 6d; Mrs. C., 2s 6d; A. A., 10s; A. M'E., 1s; Mrs. M'M., 2s 6d; Mrs. M'T., 5s; Col. I. L. B., 5s; Mrs. B., San Francisco, £2 1s 2d; A Friend, per Miss C., £1; Miss B., Neilston, £1; Miss C., Arrochar, £2; Miss M'E., 10s; P. Co-op. Mfg. Society, Ltd., £3; Wellpark U.F. S.S., £3 1s.

WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 10.—Flora, 5s; 69th Coy. Glasgow G.G., 10s 6d; John Knox Street Bapt. G.C., 10s; W. N., Dundee, £10; F. B., Birkenhead, 10s; Master I. and Miss C. L., Edinburgh, £2; Victoria Park U.F. S.S., £1 14s; Wellwynd Prim. S.S., £1 1s; Mrs. C., Paisley, £1; Mr. and Mrs. M., Edinburgh, £1; Mr. E., Auchterarder, 7s 6d; D. R., do., 12s 6d; Miss B., Neilston, £1; W. B., Highbridge, 5s; W. B., do. (Home and Foreign Missions), 5s; Chapelhill U.F. B.C., Rothesay, 10s; Arcade Mission S.S., Greenock, £3; Tealing U.F. S.S., Dundee, 7s 6d; Thos. Coats Memorial Ch., Paisley, £4 14s 1d; Miss C., £3; D. F., Dundee, £1; Mr. and Mrs. L., Australia, £3 3s; Mrs. S., Nairn, £2 2s; J. M'N., £1; Miss M., £5; Miss M., Clarkston, £2; Miss H., Hawick, £5; Miss L., Lesmahagow, £3; A. S., jun., Clackmannan, £1 6s; J. T., Takoma, £20; Aberuthven U.F. S.S., £1; Mrs. P., Natal, £1 1s; J. S. L., Langholm, £1; Miss S., St. Andrews, £5; A. R. D., Darlington, £10; James Street U.F. B.C., Paisley, 10s; Employees, Stephen, Mitchell & Sons, £1; Employees, F. Holmes & Allan, Uddingston, £1 7s 6d.

WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 17.—Mrs. P., Bishopbriggs, 10s; A Friend in London, £1; Miss M'D., Clarkston, £1; Wellfield U.F. S.S., 10s; Shiloh Hall Senior B.C., Shettleston, £2 10s; Mr. and Miss B., Bridge of Weir, £5; Mr. and Mrs. M., £1; Misses B. M. and C. H., St. Andrews, £1 10s; Miss N., Kirriemuir, £1; F. W. S., £5; Kilfinan U.F. S.S., Kames, £1; Luss Parish Ch. Women's Guild, £3 3s; Helensburgh W.B. & G.R.S., £3 3s; "Inasmuch," £1; Cowdenbeath S.S., £3; Langside Avenue U.F. S.S., £1 17s; Mrs. R., Airdrie, £1; Anon., 1s; Miss M'C., Dunoon, 5s; Mrs. M'G., Alexandria, £1; Miss C., Colchester, 1s; Miss J., Edinburgh, 5s; Rosebank S.S., Cambuslang, £3; Bridgeton Y.W.C.A., £2 2s; Kilmarnock B. & G.R.S., £5; Readers of *The Christian*, per Morgan & Scott, Ltd., £6 15s 8d; St. Paul's Ch., Napier, N.Z., payment on account of Bequest by the late Mrs. Lorkin, Napier, N.Z., £68 2s 4d; W. M., Herschel Sask., £2 1s 3d; In Memory 16th Oct., £1; In Loving Memory, £2; In Memory 15/10/04, £100; Mrs. F., Edinburgh, £1; D. S. C., Kilmacoll, £2 2s; Members of Wm. Beardmore & Co., Naval Construction Works Infirmaries Fund, Dalmeir, £10; J. S., Edinburgh, £2.

WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 24.—D. R., Buxton, £1; W. C. C., Bowling, £1; Miss M., Malvern, £10; Mrs. S., Longniddry, £5; Mrs. H., Fenwick, £1; Mrs. T., £2; 213th Glasgow Co., B.C., Southern Gen. Hospital, Govan, £1; Trustees of Thomas Wharrie Morrison Bequest Fund, £80; Visitors, per Mr. A., 4s; Anon., £5; Miss A., £1; Miss B., St. Leonards-on-Sea, 10s; A Steward, £1; A. R., £6; Mrs. W., £1; Cumbernauld Y.W.C.A., 10s; Killearn Women's Guild, £1 10s; Gartcosh Children's Afternoon Service, £2 4s; Argyle Place S.S., Edinburgh, £1; John Knox U.F. S.S., Stewarton, £1 14s; Mrs. H., Dundee, 2s 6d; West Kilbride Parish S.S., £1 1s; Stirling B. & G.R. Society, 10s; J. W., £20; Rev. A. V. L., Tunis, 10s; Mrs. G., Langholm, 10s; L. H., Sowerby Bridge, 2s 6d; F. C. D., Ayr, £3; Miss C., Edinburgh, £2 2s; Mrs. G., Leadhills, 10s; Staff and Employees, Brown Bros. & Co., Ltd., Edinburgh, 9s 9d; Catrine Parish S.S., £1 2s; R. D., £1; Miss M'A., Millport, £1 10s; Mrs. B., Prestwick, £1; Uncle Pat, Peebles, £1 1s; East Congl. B.C., Greenock, 10s; R. J. L., Dun Echt, £1; J. C., £5; W. Co-op. Society, Ltd., £2; Largs Parish Ch. Work Party Sale of Work, £5; Co-op. D. & F. Stores, £5; Mrs. P., £1; Employees, Macfarlane, Lang & Co., £3 3s; W. S., £1.

WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 31.—Miss T., per Miss B., 5s; A Friend, per do., 2s 6d; Miss F., £1; Mrs. D., £5; Miss B., Winnipeg, £1; W. D. N., Mill Bay, £3 1s 7d; J. S., Cowdenbeath, £20; J. J. S., do., £4; Miss R., Eastbourne, 10s; No. 1 Platoon B.C., 4th B.B. Coy., Kirkcaldy, £3 17s; Mr. M'G.'s S.S., New Bedford Mass., £10; The late Miss Elsie Milton's Tr., per P. F. & J. Husband, Dundee, £59; Mrs. H., Dunfermline, 10s; Miss F., London, 10s; Mrs. M. and Friend, Newcastle-on-Tyne, £2; A. H., £10; Thread Street S.S., Paisley, £3 11s 6d; St. John's and Renfield U.F. Ch. S.S., 10s; Moulin and Pitlochry Junior Guild, £2; W. & L., Ltd., £5 5s; Rev. W. F., Kirkwall, £1; Mrs. G., Leadhills, £4 10s; G. M., In Loving Memory, 29th Oct., £20; Miss R., Longhore, 1s; Miss G., do., 2s 6d; North U.F. Congl. S.S., Stirling, £2 3s 11d; For Christmas Tree, 3s; Employees, S. Gilchrist, Ltd., Hamilton, £2 2s; J. W., Hamilton, £1 1s; United Services S.S., Forfar, £1; G.T. Society,

£4 4s; Gillespie U.F. S.S., 3s; H. E. F., £3; Mid. U.F. Ch., Paisley, £2; A Worker, £1 10s; Found in Boxes, £1 4s 6d. *Per C.O.S.*—W. P. S., £10; W. R., £1; M. J. & G., £3 3s; J. K., £2 2s.

Received per Hon. Treasurer between 1st and 31st Oct.—Employees, Laird & Son, Ltd., Irvine, £1 1s; Maison Dieu U.F. S.S., Brechin, £2 5s; S. Co-op. Society, Ltd., £1 1s; Miss J., Montrose, £2; Lylesland U.F. S.S., Paisley, £2 10s; A. T. Club, £1 15s; Thos. Porter's Equipment Fund, £150; High Bonnybridge U.F. B.C., 10s; Union of P.O. Workers, Telegraph Dept., £3; Whiteinch Bapt. S.S., £1 1s.

THE CONSUMPTION SANATORIA OF SCOTLAND.

NOVEMBER, 1924.—Mrs. M., Edinburgh, £6. *Per C.O.S.*—A. M. & Co., 10s 6d.

Received by Hon. Treasurer.—Employees', S.C.W.S., Amal. Charitable Funds, £10 14s; Thornliebank Printworks Employees, £2 2s; T. Co-op. Society, Ltd., £1 1s.

DECEMBER.—Misses L., Lanark, £1; Mrs. P., Helensburgh, £1; Mrs. L., 2s; Miss W., 5s; G. R., Busby, 2s 6d; J. S., Hampstead, £25; W. D. M., Dunoon, £1; Misses H., £20; Royal Polytechnic, Ltd., and Staff Hospital Fund, £5; Mrs. J., Bridge of Weir, £1; Mrs. H., Edinburgh, £1; Mrs. S., Mafeteng, £5; Misses M., Cannes, £1; Glasgow Corporation Employees' Infirmary Fund, £5 5s; Employees, Greenlees & Sons, Ltd., 10s; Miss M., Aberdeen, £1; Workmen and Staff, J. G. Kincaid, Greenock, £3 3s; Mrs. W., Bridge of Weir, £1; Miss L., £1 1s; A. P. & Co., £2 10s; Employees, J. & P. Coats, Paisley, £20; C. M. B., Kilmacollm, £2 2s; Workmen, David Rowan & Co., Ltd., £5 5s; R. & B., Greenock, £4 4s; Workmen, Lancefield Foundry Co., £1 1s; Mrs. W., Bridge of Weir, 10s; T. W. L., Shanghai, 10s; K. Co-op. Society, Ltd., £1 1s; G.E. Co-op. Society, Ltd., £4 14s 6d; Employees, Glasgow Eastern Co-op. Society, £2 2s; G. F. N., £1; W. M., 10s; Employees, Aird & Coghill, Ltd., £4 4s; Ruchill U.F. Ch. S.S., £2 19s. *Per C.O.S.*—Mr. and Mrs. I., £1.

Received by Hon. Treasurer.—A. Motor Car Co., Ltd., £8; Glasgow Indoor Postal Hospital and Benefit Fund, £4 4s; D. M. & Co., £1 1s; D. R., £50; Workmen, James Nimmo & Co., Ltd., Slamannan Collieries, £15 15s; Employees, Dalziel Co-op. Society, Ltd., £2; Employees, D. & W. Henderson, Meadowside, £1 1s; Employees, William Collins & Co., £3 3s; Employees, Glasgow Corporation Tramways, £5; Employees' Hospital Fund, Dumbarton Equitable Co-op. Society, £5; Employees, Matthew Paul & Co., Dumbarton, £4; Employees, Stewart & Lloyds, Clydesdale Iron and Steel Works, Mossend, £8; J. B., £1 1s; Workmen, Hamilton, McCulloch & Co., Ltd., Larkhall, £2; Employees, Alex. Stephen & Son, Ltd., £20; Workmen's Fund of A. Whyte & Co., Ltd., £6; Manchester Unity of Oddfellows, City of Glasgow Lodge, £4 10s; G.C.T., £5.

JANUARY, 1925.—Two Friends, £25; Employees' Hospital Fund, Hydepark Works, N.B. Loco. Co., Ltd., £20; Miss C., Milnathort, £2 5s; W. F. B., Ardrossan, 10s; Mrs. M., Mull, £1; A. D., Kirkconnell, 10s; Miss K., China, 10s; Mrs. B., 2s 6d; Mrs. M., Peterculter, £1; Miss B., Kilmacollm, £1; A. T., Galashiels, 10s; "In Memoriam M. S. M.," 10s; Mrs. K., 10s; Mrs. M.K., £2; Miss M. Saline, £2; Miss T., Peebles, £1; "A Thankoffering for our Baby," 7s 6d; Employees, Ross & Marshall, Greenock, £1 1s; Mrs. Y., £2 2s; Employees, Montgomerie & Co., £1 1s; Miss B., Greenock, £2 10s; M. C., Dunoon, 10s. *Per C.O.S.*—H. A., 10s; Sir A. C., Bart., £1; P. & R. F. & Co., £1 1s; Prof. W. M., D.D., 5s; J. M., 5s; Miss D., £2.

Received by Hon. Treasurer.—Staff and Employees, Clyde Street Iron Co., £2; Members, Glasgow Police Force, £20; C. of G., £10; Corp. Gas Dept., Head Office Staff, £3 7s; Employees, Wm. Bain & Co., Coatbridge, £3; Workmen of Ship Building and Sawmill Depts., Scott's Shipbuilding Co., Greenock, £5 5s; S. Co-op. Society, Ltd., £1 1s.

FEBRUARY.—W. A. Campbell's Tr., per A. & R. B. Stewart, £950 10s 2d; K. Co-op. Society, £1 1s; Telephone Service, Ltd., Hospital and Benefit Fund, £4 4s; Mrs. L., £1 1s; J. M., Wishaw, £3. *Per C.O.S.*—R. B., 10s; E. & M., £1 1s; A. M. M., £1 1s.

Received by Hon. Treasurer.—Union of Postal Workers, Telegraph Section, G.P.O., £3 3s; Cinematograph Ex. Assoc., £10; Employees, Sir William Arrol & Co., Ltd., £1 1s; Joint Lines Benevolent Fund, per James Kirkwood, Audit Dept., £5; Employees, R. D. Waddell, Ltd., £1 1s; L. Co-op. Society, Ltd., £1 1s; L.M. & S. Rly. Div. Audit Acc. Office Charitable Inst. Fund, 15s.

MARCH.—A. C. W., Kilmacollm, £2 10s; Union U.F. Ch. S.S., £12 6s 1d; Infirmarys, Hospitals, and Ambulance Assoc., Beith, £5 5s; Employees, U.C.B.S., £3; J. S. M., Whitehaven, £1. *Per C.O.S.*—A. L. & Co., £1 1s; W. R., Carmunnock, £1 1s; R. B., £1 1s.

Received by Hon. Treasurer.—D. Co-op. Society, Ltd., Motherwell, £3; Mrs. Jeanie Whyte's Tr., per M'Naughton & Lochhead, £523 9s 11d.

APRIL.—New Bridgegate B.C., £1; A. D., Kirkconnell, 10s; A Grateful Patient, £1 1s; In Loving Memory H. R. S., 10s; N. O. F., Milngavie, £5; K. Co-op. Society, £1. *Per C.O.S.*—J. S. C., £5 5s.

Received by Hon. Treasurer.—Members of Glasgow Police Force, £17 10s; C. of G., £8 15s; G.E.N., £2 2s; Employees, Sir Wm. Arrol & Co., Ltd., £1; Employees Corp. Baths Dept., £5 10s; C. of G., £2 15s; Wm. Currie's Tr., per T. H. Campbell, Motherwell, £36 17s 6d.

MAY.—J. F. P., Alloa, £25; Mrs. H., Millport, 10s; Miss T., Kilmarnock, £1; E. A. B., Greenock, £1; Sympathisers, Largs, per Misses B., £1; Mrs. B., £1; J. S. M., Whitehaven, 10s. *Per C.O.S.*—A. R. F. & Co., £1; W. P. U., £1 1s.

JUNE.—Misses H., £20; Miss M., £1 5s; M.P.W., Telephone Section, £5; B. B., £50. *Per C.O.S.*—Mr. and Mrs. H. D. J., £1.

Received by Hon. Treasurer.—Glasgow Junior Football Assoc., £2; Employees, D. Colville & Sons, Motherwell, £12.

JULY.—Miss F., Alloa, £2; Mrs. C. and Miss C., Cove, £1; High Parish Ch. B.C., Paisley, £1; Mrs. M., £1; Miss C., Oban, £1.

Received by Hon. Treasurer.—Members, Glasgow Police Force, £17 10s; C. of G., £8 15s; Employees, Sir Wm. Arrol & Co., Ltd., £1.

AUGUST.—Ruchill U.F. Ch. S.S., £3 5s; Miss M'B., Balforn, 10s; A., Ltd., £5.

SEPTEMBER.—Rosneath Y.W.C.A., 10s; U.C.B.S. & Emp. Shareholding Society, £9. *Per C.O.S.*—J. R. S., £2 2s.

OCTOBER.—P. Co-op. Mfg. Society, Ltd., £3; Thos. Coats Memorial Ch., Paisley, £4; M. G. & Son, £17 10s; Miss R., Eastbourne, 10s; A. H., £1 10s; Infirmarys, Hospitals, and Amb. Association, Beith, £5 5s; Employees, S. Gilchrist, Ltd., Hamilton, £1 1s; J. W., Hamilton, £1 1s. *Per C.O.S.*—M. J. & G., £1 1s.

Received per Hon. Treasurer.—Members, Glasgow Police Force, £17 10s; G. C., £8 15s; Employees, Sir Wm. Arrol & Co., Ltd., £1; J. S., £1 1s.

THE COLONY OF MERCY FOR EPILEPTICS.

NOVEMBER, 1924.—Miss B., Newport-on-Tay, 10s; Miss B., Reston, £3. *Per C.O.S.*—Prof. J. E. M'F., 2s 6d; J. G. P., £1.

DECEMBER.—A Friend, Dunblane, £1; Miss W., 5s; J. S. Hampstead, £25; H. M., Strathaven, 7s 6d; W. D. M., Dunoon, £1; C. & Co., Ltd., Paisley, £15; Miss L., £1 1s; A. P. & Co., £2 10s; Employees, Smith & McLean, £2 2s; K.P. Co-op. Society, Ltd., £1 10s; T. W. L., Shanghai, 10s; Mrs. M'K., £3. *Per C.O.S.*—Mrs. I., 5s; W. R., Rothesay, £1; Mr. and Mrs. I., £1.

Received by Hon. Treasurer.—P. H., Cathcart, £1 1s; Glasgow Indoor Postal Hosp. and Ben. Fund, £4 4s; Employees, Wm. Collins & Co., £2 2s.

JANUARY, 1925.—R. W. I., 10s; Mrs. M., Mull, 10s; Mrs. T., St. Boswells, £5; Miss B., Kilmacollm, £1; Mrs. M'K., £2; Miss R., Walkerburn, £1; M. C., Dunoon, 10s. *Per C.O.S.*—H. A., 5s; Sir A. C., Bart., £1; Prof. W. M., D.D., 5s; J. M., 2s 6d.

FEBRUARY.—A. G. M. R., California, £3; J. M., Wishaw, £2. *Per C.O.S.*—A. M. M., 10s 6d; J. W., £1 1s; Mr and Mrs M'A., £1; W. A. Campbell's Tr., per A. & R. B. Stewart, £950 10s 1d.

MARCH.—A. C. W., Kilmacollm, £2 10s; A. M., Newburgh, £3. *Per C.O.S.*—W. L. R., Carmunnock, £1 1s; J. T., £1 1s.

MAY.—J. F. P., Alloa, £15; Sympathisers, Largs, per Misses B., £1. *Per C.O.S.*—A. R. F. & Co., £1; W. P. U., £1 1s.

JUNE.—Mrs. C., Coatbridge, £1; Miss W., Stepps, 5s; Miss M., £1 5s; B. B., £20. *Per C.O.S.*—Mr. and Mrs. H. D. J., £1.

JULY.—Misses H., Newton-Stewart, £1; Mrs. C. and Miss C., Cove, £1; R. H. M., Aberdeen, 5s; Miss C., Aberdeen, 2s 6d.

AUGUST.—"Four Little Girls," Kilmarnock, 5s; Miss M'B., Balforn, 10s.

SEPTEMBER.—H. D., Lanark, £2. *Per C.O.S.*—J. R. S., £2 2s.

OCTOBER.—P. Co-op. Mfg. Society, Ltd., £3; A. H., £1 10s. *Per C.O.S.*—W. R., £1.

DONATIONS OF CLOTHING, PROVISIONS, Etc.

NOVEMBER, 1924.—Miss L., Crail, quantity used clothing; A. F. R. & Son, cakes; W. N. B., used clothing; Mrs. M., Cellardyke, 7 garments; Miss L. C. F., 12 pairs stockings; I. S., Kilmarnock, used clothing; Anon., pair shoes, used; Longforgan Y.W.C.A., 26 garments; "Fellowship," 22 boxes kippers; Anon., Aberdeen, remnants of tweed; Miss B., Hunter's Quay, 2 bags wool; W. N. B., 4 pairs stockings, 2 garments; Miss P., Gourrock, 2 garments and quantity fronts, collars, etc.; Miss B., Burntisland, 6 pairs socks, 12 garments, and 1 doll; L. Bros., used clothing; Messrs B., 12 toys; Miss T., Musselburgh, 6 garments; Anon., quantity used boots and shoes; Miss P., Paisley, quantity used books; Miss M., Strathaven, 1 garment; Miss N., 12 toys; Mrs. B., Callander, 5 garments and quantity used clothing; Mrs. M'L., Auchterarder, 13 garments; Misses L. & L., Greenock, 5 pairs socks, quantity wool; Mrs. S., 13 pairs stockings; "Fellowship," 32 boxes kippers; Lower Largo, flannelette, etc.; Miss C., Musselburgh, quantity boots; Mrs. B., Cardiff, used clothing; Miss L., quantity garments; Mrs. B., Rothesay, used clothing; Miss G., Newmains, 61 hats, 40 garments; Miss S., Dunfermline, 6 pairs socks, 1 scarf; S. B., Stromness, quantity of tweed, serge, 1 cap; Hon. Mrs. F. P., Alloa, used clothing; Miss S., Thurso, 1 quilt, 2 garments, etc.; Mrs. D., Galashiels, used clothing, books and magazines; Anon., used clothing; M'K., rolls; Miss T., Newmilns, quantity of clothing, dolls, etc.; Mrs. W., Edinburgh, woollen garments; Mrs. R., Rothesay, 10 garments; R. S., Whitecraigs, 1 pair shoes; Lady M., Kilmacollm, quantity of toys; A. H., Troon, quantity of clothing; Mr. H., Maybole, quantity of clothing, boots, shoes, etc.

DECEMBER.—M. W. & M. S., toys and 2 dolls; M'K., rolls; M'F., rolls; Miss M'N., scrapbooks, dolls, toys; Miss H., quantity of toys; W. N. B., quantity of toys; Mr. G., Burntisland, 39 garments, 34 hats; M'F., rolls; L. F., rolls; M. M'K., parcel of magazines; Mrs. L., Langholm, 8 garments; Mrs. W., Selkirk, quantity toys, 2 garments, used clothing; Martyr U.F. Ch. S.S., 4 scrapbooks (hand-made); Mrs. L., Kilmarnock, quantity of tweed; Wm. C. & Son, 50 books; N. M. & Co., bread; A. F. R. & Son, cakes; St. Luke's Parish Ch., per Mrs. W., cakes, sandwiches, milk; Church of Christ Work Party, Shawlands, pillow cases, 6 pairs stockings, 6 garments; Chryston Y.W.C.A., 77 garments; J. R. G., Lower Crabrack, 8 pairs socks and dress material; Mrs. T., 4 woollen garments; St. Leonard's School, St. Andrews, 45 garments; Mrs. G., Dumgoyne Cottage Knitting Guild, 5 garments, gloves, 1 pair stockings; Mrs. W., Dunblane, used clothing and hats; Miss H., Edinburgh, 7 woollen scarves; People's Friend Love Darg, 56 garments, 4 dolls, 10 books; Religious Tract Society, London, 24 books, 2 calendars, and 72 magazines; Mrs. D., used clothing; Miss M'N.,

5 scrapbooks, used toys, and 11 dolls; Mrs. R., Aberdeen, 1 pair stockings; J. S., Prestwick, 8 garments and patches; Stanley Branch, B.W.T.A., 48 garments and quantity used clothing; Miss S., Dunning, 6 handkerchiefs, 6 garments, 1 quilt; B. & Sons, Ltd., 41 books; Miss F., 12 garments and 2 used garments; Mrs. S., Sussex, 2 pairs stockings; H. H. K. & Co., quantity pink check cloth; Mrs. B., Selkirk, 8 garments; Mr. M., Cardross, 32 toys; Mr. W., Worthing, quantity hand-painted cards; "Ena," 19 hats; M'F., rolls; Miss R., quantity of toys and garments; Miss M., clothing; Mrs. D., 7 pairs stockings, and 1 garment; Mrs. M'L., Greenock, 6 new toys, 4 books; Mrs. G., Largs, 10 toys; Miss J., Largs, 14 toys; Miss R., Markinch, used clothing; Cargill U.F. Ch. Women's Association, Perth, 22 garments; St. Luke's Parish Ch., sandwiches and buns; Anon., Langholm, quantity used clothing and piece black silk; J. K. S., used clothing and doll; Anon., Lochgilphead, 4 used books; John M'F., Bearsden, 5 cases apples; Glasslow Public School, New Pitsligo, quantity used cards; R. M., 92 pairs stockings, 1 pair used shoes, 1 hat, 5 hoods, 24 handkerchiefs, 1 scarf, 12 shawls, 2 pairs pants, 1 shirt, 8 jerseys, 1 doll; Y.W.C.A., Cupar-Fife, 20 garments; D. G. P., 11 parcels hyacinth bulbs; Mr. and Mrs. P., Christmas gifts; Mrs. T., Carnoustie, 14 garments; North U.F. Ch. Work Party, Stromness, 6 garments, 1 doll; M., Peebles, 19 pairs felt slippers; Queen's Park School, 70 used books, 40 used toys; Miss M., Stanley, 30 garments, 12 strings beads, 45 toys, quantity of toys, 6 handkerchiefs; Miss C., Sauchen, 4 pairs stockings, 3 pairs gloves, 12 handkerchiefs; Messrs C. & Co., Dunfermline, 138 garments, 3 dolls; St. John's Parish Ch., Kirkcaldy, 65 toys; M. G. T., Innerleithing, 20 yards tweed; Messrs. B. Bros., quantity currant bread; Miss F., Perth, scrapbook; Miss W., Dalbeattie, 4 woollen garments; Messrs. L. B. Co., Ltd., cakes and gingerbread; Morton Parish Ch., Thornhill, quantity of garments, toys, and provisions; Miss P., Edinburgh, 6 pairs stockings; Misses D., Linlithgow, 12 rag dolls, 26 small toys; F. G. M'A., 340 pairs boys' shorts; Anon., toys; Crosshill U.F. Ch. S.S., quantity of toys and Christmas tree; G. H., used books and magazines; B. Bros., bread and biscuits; Anon., patches, 5 frocks, 2 pairs small trousers, 2 used garments; Glassary and Cairnbaan S.S., books for M'Vean family; Anon., 11 handkerchiefs; C. & K., quantity of toys and beads; G. K., used clothing and pieces of curtains; Miss B., Burntisland, 12 toys and boxes crackers; Misses N., Kirriemuir, 6 garments, 6 pairs socks; Lady M., Kilmacoll, 6 dolls; Miss R., Edinburgh, 1 hammock; B. Bros., quantity bread; Miss B. L., Kilmacoll, used garment; Miss F., 2 boys' suits; P. & H., Ltd., Nitshill, 1 drum malt and olive oil; Mrs. M'L., Greenock, quantity of toys; First U.F. Ch. Primary Dept. S.S., Kirriemuir, 11 used toys and 20 used books; Hightae S.S., Lockerbie, 40 small toys, 8 dolls, 12 strings beads, 20 garments, 3 postcard albums, 8 hand-made scrapbooks, 5 toys; A. P. A., Crieff, 2 boxes used clothing, books, etc.; Mrs. P., quantity of toys; Canadian National Railways, Traffic Dept., 200 jigsaw puzzles; Mrs. M'G., Blairgowrie, 25 garments; Mrs. T., 80 toys; Mrs. B., Kelty, 3 woollen coats, 3 hoods; Misses F., Kilmacoll, quantity of toys, baby's dress; Mrs. L., Bathgate, 9 garments; Miss G., London, 12 packets chocolate; Persie Parish Church Work Party, Blairgowrie, 24 garments; Mrs. M., Bournemouth, 7 pairs bed socks, 3 scarves; Mr. S., Penrith, 6 pairs stockings; St. Ninian's U.F. Ch. Work Party, Stranraer, 9 garments; Miss C., Largs, 12 pencil cases, 8 pencils; Miss J., Largs, 2 balls; Mrs. T., Bridge of Weir, 1 parcel clothing, 1 book; Mrs. F., St. Andrews, 26 garments, quantity used magazines, used clothing, used waterproof, and small pin cushions; Mrs. G., Airdrie, 2 parcels toys; Mrs. A. W., Neilston, 8 garments, 11 pairs used shoes; Miss T., Kilmacoll, used clothing; Mrs. K., 4 pairs used boots, used clothing and books, 6 new toys, quantity of used toys; Work Party, Kirkcaldy, per I. H., 28 garments; *People's Friend* Love Darg, 20 garments; Mrs. S., quantity used Christmas cards; E. F., Lenzie, 1 box sundries, 1 suit case; Anon., Glasgow, 8 articles clothing; Anon., 10 garments; W. S., Strathaven, 5 woollen coats, 3 jersey suits; Dumfries Y.W.C.A., 11 garments; C., Strachur, folding pram.; Miss N., Edinburgh, 7 garments; M. M'K., Rattray, 7 boxes tree decorations; F., Norham, 2 garments; Mrs. M., Newlands, 12 dolls; J. P., Galston, 24 woollen garments, 16 pairs stockings; R. C., 12 picture books, 1 postcard album; Lylesland U.F. Ch. S.S., Paisley, quantity toys and books (new and old); Mrs. W., Bridge of Orchy, 1 packet rock and Christmas card; Miss M'M., Belfast, 3 lbs. 2 oz. wool, tweed and lining, Christmas cards, etc.; Miss M., Kilmacoll, 1 toy (animal); Tolleross Park U.F. Ch. B.C., 7 toys, 4 books, 2 boxes handkerchiefs, and 7 garments; Miss E. D. H., 4 yards serge and used clothing; Miss M., Peebles, 20 pairs felt slippers; Aberdalgie Women's Guild, Perth, 16 garments; Misses M., Brechin, 17 garments, 16 collars, 7 nurses' belts; T. Bros., Kilmarnock, 3 boxes assorted goods; Scotch Girls' Friendly Society, Markinch, quantity of vests, stockings, socks, scarf, 3 baby's articles, 12 balls, 2 handkerchiefs, 1 pair felt slippers; Mrs. M. A., 2 pairs stockings; Miss P., Ecclefechan, 9 garments, 3 woollen balls; N. M. E., Westmoreland, 4 scrapbooks; M. E. M., Edinburgh, 6 nurses' aprons; *People's Friend* Love Darg, 9 pairs boots and shoes; Chryston Y.W.C.A., 2 garments; Mrs. H., Dumbarton, 2 new toys; Anon., 1 used leather bag; Mrs. M., Kilmacoll, 23 used books; Cupar Baptist Ch. S.S., 42 garments, 4 dolls; L. & J. R., 12 new toys, 12 used books; Mrs. M'C., Prestwick, 6 pairs stockings; Mrs. T. and Miss S., 64 garments; D. H., Shettleston, 2 books, Christmas cards; Mrs. L., 2 scarves, 4 pairs gloves; Mr. M., New Pitsligo, hats, tammy, toys, slippers, needles, etc.; Kirkcudbright U.F. Ch. Work Party, 100 garments, 8 toys, 1 mop; West U.F. Ch. Work Party, Auchterarder, 120 garments, books, toys, sweets, bag fruit, beads, purses, etc., used garment, and books; I. B. F., 2 new suits (boys'); Kirkbean Women's Local Institute for Lobertron Family, 2 books, 2 purses; Miss M., 1 used hat, 5 used books, 2 pairs Indian sandals, 1 paper rack, 1 pair used overboots; St. John's U.F. Ch., Cupar-Fife, 60 garments, 24 pairs stockings, used clothing; H. & T. F. (from Staff), quantity of toys; Mrs. S., 2 boxes oranges; Miss H., Aberdeen, quantity of clothing, per Mrs. D., Lenzie, used clothing and hats, etc.

JANUARY, 1925.—F. F., 1 purse, 2 diaries; Hightae U.F. Ch. S.S., used clothing; Rev. J. M., Bridge of Allan, 11 woollen scarves, 1 pair used trousers; Miss D., Blantyre, 7 garments; Miss S., Kirkcaldy, 6 binders, 7 pairs stockings, 6 garments; M'K., rolls, W., teabread; A., teabread; N. M., teabread; H. F. & Co., $\frac{1}{2}$ chest tea; J. C. & Sons, Stewarton, 128 woollen garments; H. N. & Sons, Paisley, allowance of £10; Miss L., Edinburgh, 5 pairs stockings; Miss W., Duchal, 6 dolls; Ardrossan used clothing; Strathaven, 30 used books, 8 pairs used boots and shoes, used jacket and school bag; Grove North Church Work Party, Prestwick, 10 pairs socks, 1 pair gaiters; E. & F., Ltd., 1 case oranges; Kirkcudbright U.F. Ch. Work Party, 1 garment, 1 wool cap; B. Bros., bread; Misses K., Dunblane, used

clothing; Mrs. L., Ayr, used clothing, scarf; L., Broughton, 90 garments, 33 pairs stockings, quantity provisions; Misses B., Greenock, harmonium; Miss M'O., Greenock, piano; Mrs. C.'s Work Party, Strathyre, quantity of garments, 4 pairs stockings; J. R. S., Amble, 3 knitting machines, 9 pairs clogs, 8 garments, 26 pairs stockings, 28 pairs combinations, 11 semmits; B. Bros., bread; Mrs. S., Perth, used clothing; C. S. F., Ayr, 21 monkeys on strings; Anon., Milngavie, used clothing, including gent's dressing gown; C. C., Wishaw, sausages; Miss K., Bothwell, 25 garments; Miss R., Kirkcaldy, used clothing and boots; Miss E., 11 garments and quantity of patches, lining, and used clothing; Mrs. B., Troon, used clothing, garments and quantity of patches, lining, and used clothing; Mrs. B., Troon, used clothing, boots, and bed mat; W., teabread; N. M. & Co., cakes; H. M., cakes; Ayr, 3 woollen garments; Mrs. L., Kilmacoll, clothing and magazines; J. M. C., Callander, used clothing, hats and feathers; E. P., Milngavie, books, used clothing, ribbon and material; P. Ltd., 63 dongaree jackets (boys'); Miss M'P., Greenock, used books; Miss C., box frilling; Mrs. I., used clothing, hats, books, boots, etc.; Misses B., quantity of clothing, dolls, marbles, etc.; K. & Co., 1 box bulbs; B. Bros., bread; Mrs. G. Newburgh, semmits, scarves, stockings; Miss W., Forfar, used coats (ladies'); Anon., used train on rails; P. & H., Ltd., 1 keg cream powder and 10 bags soda ash; Anon., 2 garments; M'F., teabread; A. F. R. & Son, cakes.

FEBRUARY.—Lochgilphead Y.W.C.A., 21 garments, 6 yards flannelette; P. & H., Lt., 1 drum malt and oil; Miss C. and Friends, Anstruther, 60 garments, 2 yards tweed, 8 scarves, and hoods; Miss D., Stonehaven, quantity of used clothing, hats, etc.; Miss R., Markinch, used clothing, including kilt suit; Per C. O. H., 26 hats; P. Ltd., dongaree jackets; B. Bros., bread; "A Friend," used boots, slippers, laces, etc.; coffee; Miss W., Kirkcaldy, toys, woollen garments, 2 pairs bedroom slippers; J. & H. H., Paisley, quantity of hats, overalls, gloves, socks, collars, and box embroidery; Miss M'P., Helensburgh, quantity used clothing, pair new shoes; Anon., quantity new hats; Miss H., Newton-Stewart, quantity used clothing; J. A. B., Row, 2 marble busts with pedestals; Miss W., Crieff, used slippers, hat, and necklet; L. M., picture frames, used clothing, etc.; P. & H., Ltd., Nitshill, drum malt and oil; Miss G., Edinburgh, boy's jersey, black wool, ornaments, buttons, etc.; A. R. R., Bridge of Weir, 23 used books and quantity used toys; Anon., $8\frac{1}{2}$ yards tweed, 1 used garment; Miss F., Campbeltown, quantity of garments, 16 pairs stockings, and used clothing; Mrs. M'K., quantity of new garments; Anon., 7 pairs used boots and shoes; Braid Ch. Junior Girls' B.C., Edinburgh, quantity of beads, books, toys, sweets, 44 garments, 10 pairs stockings, etc., etc.; C. C., Wishaw, black puddings; R. H., cake; Mr. B., set boy's kilt; Mr. H., teabread; Mrs. M., Dunfermline, scarves, beads, clasps, tapes, 1 pair stockings; Miss L., Peebles, used clothing and hats; Anon., used clothing; M. L., Kilsyth, 29 hats; A Friend across the sea, *Ladies' Home Journal*; Messrs. H., teabread; Mrs. M'M., Kintyre, 4 pairs socks; P. & H., Nitshill, 1 drum malt and oil; Miss M., parcel trimmings, small medicine chest; Miss O., North Berwick, woollen garments; M. M., rolls; Mr. F., Govanhill, parcel magazines and papers; W. G. & Co., 13 hats, 11 garments, 7 pairs stockings; Miss S., Kelso, 6 semmits; Miss D., North Berwick, used clothing; Mrs. S., Blairgowrie, 4 pairs stockings, 31 garments; Miss H., wristlet watch, 1 pair shoes, 1 pair boots; W. R., Aberdeen, 24 boys' shirts; A. H., Troon, collars, combs, belts, blouses, etc.; Miss L., Dunlop, used clothing.

MARCH.—Miss F., 12 pairs stockings, 5 garments; Miss L., parcel books, magazines, etc.; Miss M., Dundee, 6 pairs socks; Anon., 3 used books; E. B., Ayr, 1 pair stockings; D. N. Sheerness, 3 coats; Mrs. G., Huntly, 1 raincoat, used clothing; Miss S., bootees, dress, semmits, 1 pair gaiters; A. F. R. & Son, cakes; Miss R., Markinch, 23 articles and 4 pieces used velvet; Miss T., Markinch, 6 garments, 1 pair socks; M. N., Moffat, 9 scarves, 1 pair mitts; Mrs. P., Lasswade, 11 used toys, 14 books; C. C., Wishaw, sausages; A. M'K., Annan, 12 garments; G. L., Helensburgh, used clothing, 6 pairs stockings, and 6 pairs combs; R. U., Helensburgh, 22 garments, 3 dolls; E. S., Kelso, used clothing and 2 pairs stockings; Trinity Ch. Work Party, Lockerbie, 34 garments, 17 pairs stockings and tracts; Anon., used clothing, used clothing; Anon., Falkirk, 6 pairs socks, quantity texts and tracts; Anon., used clothing, small handbag; Anon., used clothing; C. C., Wishaw, sausages; Miss W., Sandbank, 10 garments; T. & J. M'D., Callander, 49 hats, 1 box feathers and wings; Anon., Wick, quantity of tracts, 1 book; Miss J., Cupar, 3 garments; Miss D., Biggar, used clothing; Mrs. L., Kilmacoll, tomatoes, quantity clothing, toys, and magazines; Mrs. H., Airdrie, used clothing and hats; Mrs. B., magazines, bottles, etc.; Miss B., Burntisland, 12 pairs socks, quantity clothing, $2\frac{1}{4}$ yards tweed; Mr. N., 5 garments; Miss F., Kilmacoll, quantity used clothing and hats, 2 pairs boots; Miss L., quantity used clothing; Miss R., Maxwelltown, 6 used books and postcard album; Anon., Troon, used clothing; A. F. R. & Son, cakes; N. M., rolls; Misses A., Northumberland, 69 garments; Messrs. H. & A., Paisley, 16 garments, 1 box hats, 12 babies' bonnets, 1 pair boots, 3 sachets; Mrs. M., Lenzie, 8 articles furniture, maps, etc.; Mrs. W., Devon, 8 pairs stockings; Pollokshaws Parish Ch. Women's Guild, 30 garments; Mrs. M'M., Baillieston, 2 pairs socks, 1 knitted cap; D. & E. Pilgrim's Progress, Songs and solos, and Safety, Certainty, and Enjoyment for each of the Canadian Party; P. & H., Ltd., Nitshill, 1 drum malt and oil.

Received in March, 1924.—Largs Evan. Assoc. Work Party, 342 articles clothing, 82 pairs stockings and socks, 3 dolls, buttons, magazines, etc.

APRIL.—Miss F., Kilmarnock, used clothing; R. C., Troon, used clothing; St. Cuthbert's Y.W.C.A., Lockerbie, 29 garments, 21 pairs stockings; West U.F. Ch. Women's Guild, Forfar, 46 garments; Mrs. M., Ayr, used clothing; Headmistress, St. Leonard's School, St. Andrews, 24 knitted garments, 21 flannelette and cotton garments; M. J. F., Dundee, 1 kilt; E. L., St. Boswells, used boots and shoes; Mrs. M'D., used clothing; N. M., rolls; Miss H., Edinburgh, quantity of garments and used clothing; Mrs. M'D., carpet sweeper (used), sewing machine (used), cloth patterns, magazines, etc.; M'K., teabread and pies; Longforgan Y.W.C.A., flannelette garments, knitted garments, and 25 pairs stockings; Abernethy Y.W.C.A., quantity of garments; Mrs. M., New Pitsligo, quantity of clothing (old and new); Mrs. D., Edinburgh, used garment, used shoes and collars; St. Cuthbert's Y.W.C.A., Lockerbie, 39 garments; Miss R., Dumfries, 12 used books; Mrs. S., Bournemouth, 1 length of cloth; Mrs. F., St. Andrews, quantity used clothing, books, etc.; Mrs. A. Crieff, quantity boots, slippers, and used clothing; Women's Missionary Association, Moat Park

U.F. Ch., Biggar, 58 garments, 3 pairs house slippers; Anon., Egilshay, 8 doz. perfumes; Members of Bridge Street U.F. Ch. Work Party, also Members of the G.A., Musselburgh, 41 garments; C. C., Wishaw, sausages; S. N., Kilberry, 1 pair used boots; Mrs. S., Motherwell, 1 garment and quantity used clothing; N. M., teabread (4 boards); A., rolls; Anon., used clothing and suit uniform; J. M'D., sewing machine and household articles; Anon., 2 pairs socks and pamphlets; Mrs. L., Langbank, 11 doz. eggs; A. F. R. & Son, cakes; N. M., pies and teabread; A. Montrose C.A.W.G. Members, 4 knitted garments; Pittenweem G.F.S., 7 scarves, 12 flannelette garments; Augustine Congl. Ch. Dorcas Society, Edinburgh, 10 garments; Juniors of Y.W.C.A., Portpatrick, 1 knitted coverlet; S. D. O. K., 11 pairs socks; A. F. R. & Son, cakes; N. M., rolls; M'K., teabread; Kirkcudbright U.F. Ch. Work Party, 74 garments, 18 pairs stockings, 12 pillow cases; Mrs. H., Helensburgh, quantity used clothing; Mrs. C., Work Party, Balquhider, 16 garments; Anon., used shoes and stockings; P. & H., Ltd., Nitshill, 1 drum malt and oil; Miss S., Port-Glasgow, 40 garments, 3 pieces material; Mrs. G., Paisley, used clothing; Cairns U.F. Ch., Stewarton, 188 garments, bundle knitted coolies; Mrs. M., used clothing and parcel collars; Anon., box frillings; A. F. R. & Son, cakes; M'K., teabread; Mrs. D., Aboyne, 21 garments, puzzles, toys, and books; Miss A., Dollar, 14 garments, 1 scrap album; N. M., bread; Nemo, used clothing and gloves.

Entered in April, 1924.—St. Cuthbert's Y.W.C.A., Lockerbie, as 5 garments, should be 50 garments.

MAY.—Misses C., Edinburgh, bundle remnants; Miss I., Rothesay, quantity used clothing, hats, boots, etc.; Mrs. P., Burntisland, 11 used articles; Mrs. D., Burntisland, used clothing, 6 pairs stockings, 2 pairs shoes and toys; Anon., Moffat, 34 books (used); Mrs. B., Bannockburn, child's armchair; Anon., Newburgh, 16 garments; Anon., 16 garments, remnants, buttons, etc.; Mrs. R., Thornhill, quantity used clothing; Family Home Girls' Club, St. Andrew Street, 7 garments; Miss M., Coupar-Angus, 4 pairs socks; Sanquhar B.W.T.A., 84 garments; A. F. R. & Son, cakes; M'K., teabread; N. M., bread and rolls; Miss M., box toys, books, postcards; Dalry Y.W.C.A., 16 garments; Mrs. B., used clothing, shoes, ties, and magazines; Mrs. C., Guthrie, 12 garments (new and old) and 5 pairs boots and shoes (used); A. G. M., Galashiels, quantity clothing; Anon., Crossgates, used clothing and toys; Anon., Tarbolton, used clothing and remnant; M'K., teabread; Miss F., Milliken Park, used clothing and remnants; High Cross Ch., Melrose, 29 pairs stockings and socks, 79 garments, and 2 print coverlets; Mrs. B., West Plein, baby's chair; P. & H., Ltd., Nitshill, 1 drum malt and oil; Anon., 2 coats; Anon., used clothing and stockings; Miss S., Dundee, 6 pairs stockings and 2 jerseys; Largs Work Party, per Mrs. C., 67 garments; Mrs. S., Irvine, used clothing and toys; Miss L., Kilmacoll, quantity of books; Anon., per C. O. H., 15 blouses; Mrs. R., Grangemouth, used clothing; Mrs. B., Langholm, used clothing; Miss R., Edinburgh, 37 garments, 4 wool balls, 1 wool whip, bells; The Young Girls' Class of West U.F. Church, Galashiels, large quantity of garments, 3 pieces of tweed, and used clothing; A. F. R. & Son, cakes; Miss S., Strathaven, 3½ yards tweed, used clothing, quantity patches, feathers, and lace; Mrs. H., used clothing and toys, etc.; Mrs. H., Biggar, used clothing and shoes, 3 pairs stockings; Mrs. C., Kinross, 2 garments, 1 rattle; Anon., St. Pancras, 32 used school caps, 15 pairs stockings, belts, jerseys, etc.; B. & H., W. Knowle, 1 wool ball and texts; Miss W., Edinburgh, 8 woollen scarves; S. J. W., Eyemouth, 2 automatic washing machines; A. Friend, 2 coats; Mrs. M'M., Motherwell, used violin in case and music; A., rolls; Mrs. L., St. Boswells, used clothing and slippers; Miss D., Galashiels, used clothing, boots, and tracts and magazines; Mrs. T., Pollokshields, 12 garments, and 6 pairs stockings; C. C., Wishaw, sausages; Mr. K., Colinton, used clothing; Miss W., Dunning, used hats, jackets, shoes, and 6 lace collars (new), and 5 yards material.

JUNE.—C. C., Wishaw, sausages; Mrs. F., Bridge of Weir, used books; Mrs. F., Aberdeen, 2 garments, 4 pairs socks; Mrs. C., Ayr, 1 billiard table, 1 football game; A. F. R. & Son, cakes; Miss S., Kilmacoll, used tennis balls; Miss I., Rothesay, used clothing and dress material; M'K., cakes; Shiloh Hall Women's Meeting, John Street Baptist Church, parcel boys' stockings and 16 garments; Anon., 2 woollen garments; Pathhead and Dysart Y.W.C.A., quantity of clothing, etc.; Mrs. S. Bournemouth, 1 used cloak; Miss H., Troon, 1 silk frock, 7 pairs knickers, 14 lace collars, 4 ties; Mrs. M'M., Motherwell, used clothing, box patches and sewing material; "Fellowship," 30 boxes kippers; T. Bros., Kilmarnock, quantity brooches, ribbons, etc.; Miss D., Stirling, used clothing; Lady M., Kilmacoll, used clothing, lamp shades, etc.; Miss R., Bridge of Weir, quantity used books; Miss M., used clothing, stockings, hat, trimmings, etc.; J. G., box used toys; A., pies and rolls; Mrs. T., Bridge of Weir, used clothing, etc.; Miss B., Cardiff, quantity used clothing; A. & F. R. & Son, teabread; M'K., teabread; Miss B., 2 single beds; M. C. M'G., used clothing; T. R., Paisley, bread; Mrs. G., Sanquhar, 60 garments; N. M., rolls; Mrs. B., used articles; Barguie U.F. Ch. Work Party, Kirkcudbright, 10 garments, 2 pairs socks; A. F. R. & Son, teabread; M'K., teabread; Mrs. P., 8 books (used) and 1 volume; Miss H., Troon, 19 scarves; Misses K., Dunblane, used clothing, 4 pairs socks; "Ayria," 6 articles; Mrs. P., Aboyne, used clothing, toys, and hats; A. F. R. & Son, teabread; M'K., teabread; Mrs. T. and Friends in Montrose, 36 garments; Friends in Lauder, per Mrs. D., 40 garments and used clothing; W. R., Aberdeen, 21 garments; Miss C., Aberdeen, 5 pairs boy's stockings; Miss W., Neilston, 2 pairs shoes, 1 hat, 3 garments.

JULY.—P. & H., Nitshill, 1 drum malt and oil; Miss B., Cardiff, quantity used clothing; Anon., Saltcoats, used clothing, socks, mirror and brush; Mrs. C., Dunlop, a large rocking horse; Mrs. M., New Pitligo, used clothing and air cushion; T. R., Paisley, bread; N. M., rolls; A., pies; Miss M'A., Bonhill, used clothing; Anon., 7 garments and 3 lace collars; Miss H., 8 toys, 6 woollen garments; "Fellowship," 30 boxes kippers; Mrs. S., St. Andrews, 13 golf clubs; Miss H., Edinburgh, 11 pairs socks; Miss R., Markinch, used hats, curtains, and sundries; Mrs. W., High Blantyre, used shawl and sundries; M'K., teabread; N. M., teabread; Major K., Banchoy, large quantity cotton, ratine, shirting, and 18 scarves; Mrs. M'D., Muasdale, 10 garments, 4 pairs stockings; N. M., teabread; Miss M., used clothing and hats; Miss M'C., used clothing and handbag; Mrs. S., St. Andrews, concertina; Mrs. G., Huntly, 3 pairs stockings; Miss M'D., quantity patches, used clothing, and sundries; N. M.,

teabread; B. Bros., bread; Miss I., Aberdeen hat and used shawl; Mrs. W., High Blantyre, used clothing and piece ribbon; J. W., Innellan, hats and quantity of collars; Berwickshire High School Work Party, 64 garments; B. S., Kilmacoll, used clothing and cap; Anon., Wemyss Station, used annuals and books; Anon., Newtonmore, used clothing; Forfar Y.W.C.A., 8 garments; C. C., Wishaw, sausages; W. R., Aberdeen, 14 garments; Miss G., Bridge of Weir, quantity used clothing, hats, etc.; P. & H., Ltd., Nitshill, soda ash, cream powder, and malt and oil; The Girls of St. Leonard's School, St. Andrews, 45 garments; Westerkirk School, Langholm, 22 woollen garments and 1 print overall; B. Bros., quantity bread; M., quantity bread; Hon. Mrs. F. P., Alloa, used clothing and shoes; Mrs. F., Ayr, used clothing; L. & F., hamper rolls; M'K., teabread; H., bread; N. M., teabread; Mrs. L., Bathgate, used clothing; Finstown Y.W.C.A., Kirkwall, quantity used clothing, hats, etc.; M. & Co., bread; Mrs. A., Skelmorlie, parcel books; Misses B. & H., Edinburgh, used clothing; P. & H., Ltd., Nitshill, 1 drum malt and cod liver oil; Misses O., Anstruther, 12 garments; M. & Co., bread; Mrs. T., Bridge of Don, used clothing and shoes; "Fellowship," 37 boxes kippers; Mrs. A., cards with scraps; Miss W., Aberdeen, 3 woollen frocks; N. M., bread and teabread; A. F. R. & Son, cakes and pies; Mrs. P., Aboyne, used clothing and shoes; M'K., teabread; "Fellowship," 32 boxes kippers.

AUGUST.—Miss O., Essex, used clothing; J. R., 8 pairs shoes; "Fellowship," 33 boxes kippers; "Nemo," used clothing; C. C., Wishaw, sausages; Mrs. B., Hamilton, perambulator; Miss M'P., Helensburgh, quantity used clothing, shoes, etc.; Mrs. D., North Berwick, used clothing; A. & J. S., Crieff, caps, hanks, hat pins, gloves, 15 yards material, etc.; T. R., Paisley, bread; Mrs. R., used clothing and shoes; Anon., Slamannan, 3 pairs socks and magazines; Mrs. F., dresses, magazines, etc.; Miss A., Dollar, used clothing; C. C., Wishaw, sausages; A. F., Grangemouth, tidies, marks, bookmarks, etc.; Anon., Spratton, used clothing; S. N., Kilberry, 1 large Bible; C. C., Wishaw, sausages; P. Ltd., quantity collars; T. R., Paisley, bread; Mrs. B., used clothing, etc.; Miss M'K., Greenock, 1 box hats; Mrs. W., Paisley, quantity used clothing; Miss L., Peebles, used hats, boots, feathers; C. C., Wishaw, sausages; Anon., pair carpet slippers, 4 pairs socks, 7 tracts; Anon., used clothing, stockings, boots, toy pail; Miss P., 20 pairs cotton knickers; H., bread; Mrs. B., Biggar, 3 knitted garments; N. M., teabread.

SEPTEMBER.—Mrs. M., Edinburgh, 8 garments, 3 pairs boots, 1 hat; Miss W., Auchterarder, 5 pairs stockings, 1 garment; Anon., Motherwell, 18 garments, used clothing, books, etc.; Miss W., Sandbank, 5 garments; Miss F., Kilmarnock, used clothing; P. & H., Ltd., Nitshill, 1 drum malt and oil; Anon., per Miss E. C., 7 pairs stockings; Miss M'K., Greenock, 7 garments; Mrs. T., Largs, used clothing; Mrs. S., Kilmarnock, used clothing; C. C., Wishaw, sausages; H. B. & Sons, malt flour; Miss M'N., Uddingston, used article; M'K., teabread; Miss H., Shettleston, 4 jumpers, pin cushions, etc.; Tudor Girls' Stitching Club, 60 garments, used clothing; C. C., Wishaw, sausages; Miss L., Kilsyth, 27 hats; R. E. D., used clothing; Mrs. D., Perth, used clothing; A. F. R. & Sons, teabread; C. C., Wishaw, sausages; Miss J. G. R., Newton-Stewart, quantity of wool and garments; Mrs. B., Edinburgh, used clothing and 3 jumpers; Mrs. M., Penzance, 2 pram covers and 3 handkerchiefs; J. E. & C. R., Strathaven, 1 box hats, 3 handbags; R. B. R., 2 hats, 2 garments; J. A. T., 25 small sailor suits; Anon., a pair shoes; M'K., teabread; R. L., Whitecraigs, 1 suit clothes, 1 soft hat; A. F. R. & Son, cakes and pies; A. Friend, used clothing; N. M., teabread; Anon., 2 pairs stockings and used collars; C. C., Wishaw, sausages; N. M., teabread and bread; M'K., teabread; Mrs. G., used scrap book, clothing and football boots; J. F., Campbelltown, 7 pairs socks, 4 muffers, used clothing; P. & H., Ltd., Nitshill, 1 drum malt and oil; T. R., Paisley, quantity of bread; M'K., teabread; Mrs. F., used clothing; Mr. L., Newmilns, 1 used pram; C. C., Wishaw, sausages.

OCTOBER.—Four Sisters, Hillside, 6 woollen coats and jerseys; Mrs. D., Glencoyne, 9 garments and used clothing; Auchterless Y.W.C.A., 26 garments and used clothing; Miss P., Edinburgh, 6 pairs stockings; Mrs. L., Kilmacoll, used books, 21 garments, fruit, and 2 tins salmon; Misses I. & N. C., Musselburgh, used clothing; W. R., Aberdeen, 26 garments; Mrs. D., Galashiels, used clothing; Mrs. L., North Berwick, 31 garments; Anon., used suit case and clothing; C. & H., 3 bags nuts; T. R., Paisley, bread; Mrs. B., used clothing, 2 hats, and 10 parcels stockings; Anon., 7 pairs socks; Mr. C., Kilmacoll, used books; Lady M., Kilmacoll, used hats; Mr. H., used tracts; Adelaide Baptist Church, Harvest Thanksgiving, 1 box fruit; "Fellowship," 50 boxes kippers; Miss N., Kirriemuir, 21 woollen garments; Ralston Tennis Club, Paisley, 12 doz. used tennis balls; Miss I., Aberdeen, 1 jumper; Mrs. A., Crieff, quantity of garments, hats, boots, shoes, slippers, books, puzzles, Free-toys, etc.; Anon., Granton-on-Spey, used clothing; N. M., rolls; T. R., Paisley, bread; Free-land Church, Bridge of Weir, Harvest Thanksgiving, quantity of vegetables; L., Sons & Co., Ltd., London, 86 yards coat material; A. F. R. & Son, teabread; M'K., teabread; C. C., Wishaw, sausages; Anon., 3 pairs gauntlets, 1 small frock; Anon., London, stockings, 1 jersey; J. M'A., Millport, 1 pair socks; Anon., used clothing, hats, and 1 pair shoes; Anon., used clothing; Mrs. W., Sidmouth, 10 pairs stockings, 3 vests; Anon., 1 pair shoes, 1 pair boots, 2 pair socks, 2 pairs mitts; Anon., Larkhall, used clothing; T. D. R., Paisley, quantity of bread; Miss F., 12 pairs stockings; Mrs. F., Balloch, 24 garments; Mayfield Y.W.C.A. Bible Class and Work Party, 65 garments; Anon., used clothing; Mrs. W., Helensburgh, used clothing, boots, slippers, toys, and patches; Mrs. L., grapes; C. C., Wishaw, sausages; N. M., teabread; Miss W., Selkirk, 3 pairs socks, 3 woollen jackets; Anon., Edinburgh, 1 used gent's suit.

Monthly parcels of "Scattered Seed," "Our Children," and "Loving Words" were received during the year.

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SUMMARY OF THE YEAR'S WORK.

ORPHAN HOMES OF SCOTLAND, BRIDGE-OF-WEIR, AND CITY ORPHAN HOME, GLASGOW.—On 1st November, 1924, there were resident in the Homes 1,119 boys and girls. During the year 241 new cases were admitted, making a total of 1,360 dealt with.

These have been disposed of as follows:—Outfitted and sent to Canada, 46; domestic service, trades, and situations, 64; deaths, 3; children under 5 years of age adopted, 8; returned to relatives now in a position to provide for them, 89; left to go to relatives, etc., 25; leaving in the Homes on 31st October, 1925, 1,125; of whom 613 are boys and 512 girls.

From the above it will be seen that 118 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. 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 171 patients in residence. 172 were admitted, 169 discharged, and 9 died, leaving 165 in residence on 31st October, 1925.

COLONY OF MERCY FOR EPILEPTICS.—The year began with 91 colonists in residence; 47 men, women, and children were admitted; 40 were discharged; and 4 died, leaving 94 in residence on 31st October, 1925.

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 £1,442 19s. 1d. earned by working boys, and sundry amounts as per Cash Statement, £43,062 8s. 2d.; for Consumption Sanatoria, £29,048 3s. 6d., including £6,850 from sale of property held; for the Colony of Mercy for Epileptics, £6,236 11s. 9d.; for Home and Foreign Missions Fund, £1,427 5s. 4d., making the total amount for all purposes, £79,774 8s. 9d., 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 world; to ministers, evangelists, and all who have aided in the Church services and other gatherings; to Sabbath School superintendents, teachers, and scholars; to ladies and work parties 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.

THERE is indeed no "conclusion," for before the story of one year is finished that of the next is entered upon. Our conclusion is, as we look back on all the accomplished tasks of the past year, and take stock of all that it has meant for ourselves and all our fellow-workers, "Lord if thou wilt we'll serve another year." The joys are much greater than the sorrows, the blessings far outweigh the trials, and "the recompense of the reward" for which we hope will make us forget all the hardness and difficulties of the way.

Some extensive undertakings which were entered upon a year ago have been carried to a successful completion, and so far as we can forecast there are no works of similar dimensions before us in the immediate future. It is well for us, however, that we know not what awaits us, but that we do know Him "Whose we are and Whom we serve" and Who has promised to lay no burden upon us heavier than we are able to bear.

Some of the tangible needs of the coming year are likely to include:—

£45,000 for maintenance of Orphan Children in Glasgow and at Bridge-of-Weir.

£3,500 for Emigration and maintenance of the Canadian Home.

Gifts towards maintenance of Consumption Sanatoria.

Gifts towards maintenance of Colony of Mercy.

Christmas-Tree Gifts for 1,100 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.

Furniture, Clothing, etc., which can always be made use of at Bridge-of-Weir.

NOTE.—The Biennial Thanksgiving Day will (D.V.) be held in September, 1926. Intimation of exact date will be made later.

FORM OF BEQUEST TO THE ORPHAN HOMES OF SCOTLAND

(or THE CONSUMPTION SANATORIA OF SCOTLAND)

(or THE COLONY OF MERCY FOR EPILEPTICS).

"I leave and bequeath the sum of _____ pounds to THE ORPHAN HOMES OF SCOTLAND (or THE CONSUMPTION SANATORIA OF SCOTLAND), (or THE COLONY OF MERCY FOR EPILEPTICS), 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."

All correspondence relating to The Orphan Homes of Scotland, The Consumption Sanatoria of Scotland, or The Colony of Mercy for Epileptics, should be addressed to Miss Quarrier, Bridge-of-Weir, to whom cheques and orders should be made payable. Donations in money may also be forwarded to the Honorary Treasurer, Lord Maclay, 21 Bothwell Street, Glasgow, or paid into the Union Bank of Scotland, Ltd., Union Street Branch, 182 Argyle Street, Glasgow, or left at The City Home, 13 James Morrison Street, Glasgow, or with Pastor D. J. Findlay, St. George's Cross Tabernacle, 56 Maryhill Road, Glasgow. Donations of clothing, provisions, etc., should be sent direct to Miss Quarrier at Bridge-of-Weir, or, if more convenient, left at The City Home, 13 James Morrison Street, Glasgow. A messenger will be sent from the latter address to any part of the city to collect parcels if a request is received by post card or telephone. The telephone numbers are "Bridge-of-Weir 34" and "Bell 80."

Friends sending money can have their gifts placed to whatever part of the work they desire:—

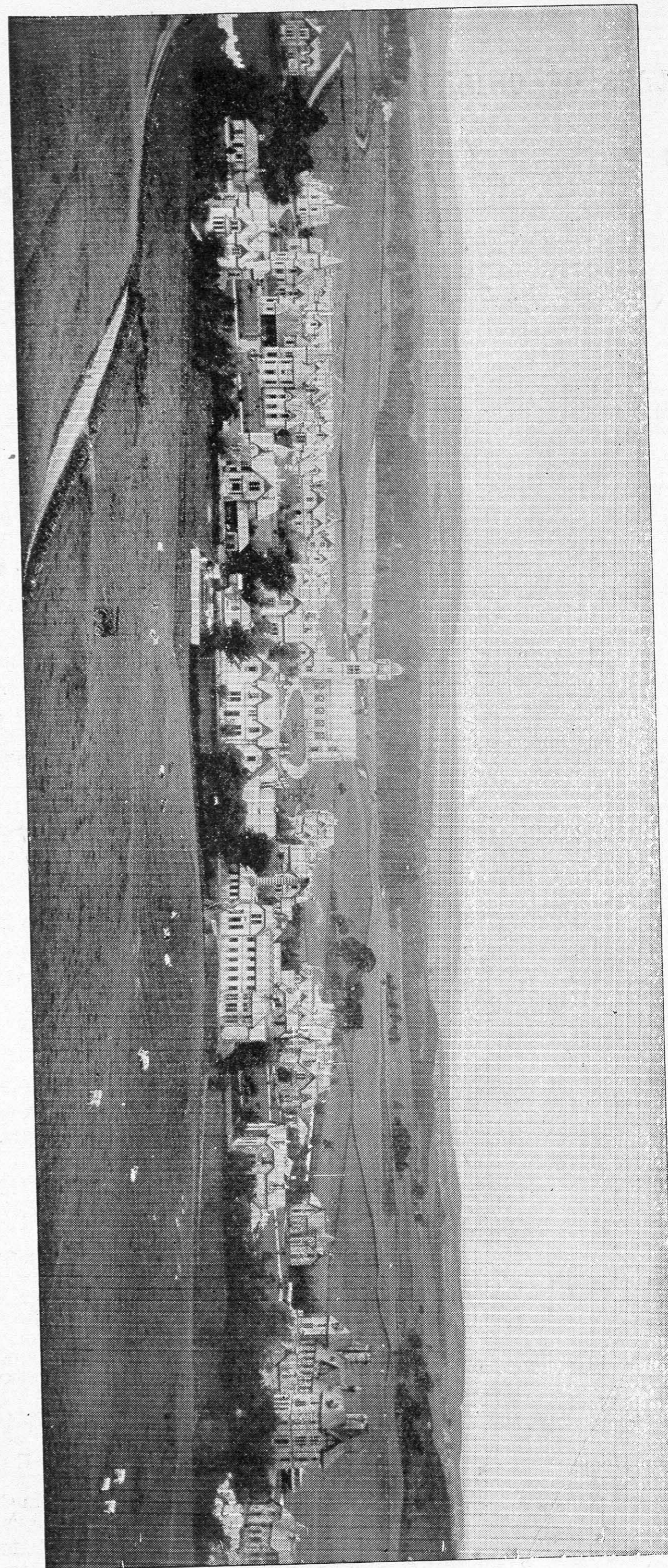
- (1) To the General Fund of The Orphan Homes of Scotland, which includes the maintenance and upkeep of the Homes at Bridge-of-Weir, etc.
- (2) To the Emigration Fund.
- (3) To The Orphan Homes Building Fund.
- (4) To The Orphan Homes of Scotland Home and Foreign Missions Fund, or
- (5) To the Consumption Sanatoria of Scotland Funds, or
- (6) To the Colony of Mercy for Epileptics Funds.

If left to our discretion, the money will be placed to whatever object is most in need at the time.

Donors sending their names and addresses will have their gifts acknowledged privately in due course, and if this is not done they should communicate with Miss Quarrier at once in case of the donations going amissing. All 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 on request.

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.



THE ORPHAN HOMES OF SCOTLAND, THE CONSUMPTION SANATORIA OF SCOTLAND, AND THE COLONY FOR EPILEPTICS, BRIDGE-OF-WEIR.

There are 80 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 no subscriber's line or voting paper is required.*

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

Mr. W. 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.

Pastor D. J. Findlay may be seen by appointment at the St. George's Cross Tabernacle, 56 Maryhill 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 (L. M. & S. Railway) almost every hour. The Homes are two miles from Bridge-of-Weir Station.

A 'Bus meets the 1-5 Train from Glasgow, and leaves the Homes Gate at 3-15 for the 3-58 Train from Bridge-of-Weir daily. Fare—9d. each way.

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

Now comprise the following 80 Buildings:—

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| 1. Broadfield Home. | 30. Michael Rowan Home. | 58. Ferguslie Workshops. |
| 2. Glasgow Home. | 31. James Wilson Home. | 59. Fire Station. |
| 3. Dalry Home. | 32. Eben. Maclay Home. | 60. Stables. |
| 4. Dumbartonshire Home. | 33. Killearn Home. | 61. Superintendent's House. |
| 5. Ebenezer Home. | 34. Glenfarg Home. | 62. Elise Hospital. |
| 6. Washington Home. | 35. Hatrick Home. | 63. Torr Aluinn, Dunoon. |
| 7. Aberdeen Home. | 36. Macfarlane Home. | 64. Hoop House, Dunoon. |
| 8. Greenock Home. | 37. Peddie Alexander Home. | 65. City Orphan Home. |
| 9. Anderston Home. | 38. John Robertson Home. | 66. Fairknowe Home. |
| 10. Paisley Home. | 39. Craigbet Home. | Brockville, Ont., Canada |
| 11. Cessnock Home. | 40. Stronvar Home. | 67. First Consumption Sanatorium of Scotland. |
| 12. Mizpah Home. | 41. Wm. Barnhill Home. | 68. Second Sanatorium. |
| 13. Leven Home. | 42. Murray Brown Home. | 69. Third Sanatorium. |
| 14. Overtoun Home. | 43. Morton Perry Home. | 70. Hebron. |
| 15. Montrose Home. | 44. Oswald Home for Invalid Girls. | 71. Executive Buildings. |
| 16. Mitchell Home. | 45. Elim, for Invalid Boys. | 72. Hope Lodge. |
| 17. Allan Dick Home. | 46. Poultry Farm. | 73. Electric Power House. |
| 18. Somerville Home. | 47. Central Building. | 74. Doctor's House. |
| 19. Ashgrove Home. | 48. Ferguslie Offices. | 75. Hatrick Farm. |
| 20. Kintyre Home. | 49. Stores. | 76. Children's Home in the Colony of Mercy for Epileptics. |
| 21. Marshall Home. | 50. Greenhouse. | 77. Women's Home in Colony. |
| 22. Lincoln & Garfield Home. | 51. Church. | 78. School and Hall in Colony. |
| 23. Edinburgh Home. | 52. Gatehouse. | 79. Men's Home in Colony. |
| 24. Jehovah-Jireh Home. | 53. Homelea. | 80. Secretary's House. |
| 25. Sagittarius Home. | 54. School Buildings. | |
| 26. Ayr Home. | 55. Teachers' House. | |
| 27. Renfrewshire Home. | 56. Rozelle. | |
| 28. Sabbath School Home. | 57. Carsemeadow Houses. | |
| 29. Smith Memorial Home. | | |