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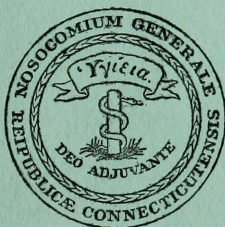
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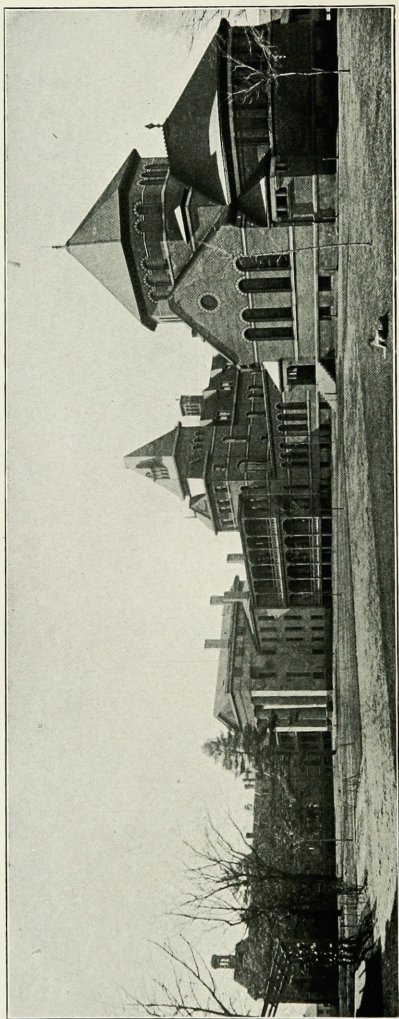
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NEW HAVEN HOSPITAL



SEVENTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL REPORT

FOR THE YEAR 1904.



NEW HAVEN HOSPITAL—VIEW FROM NORTHEAST.

SEVENTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

DIRECTORS

OF THE

General Hospital Society

OF

CONNECTICUT

For the Year 1904.

Presented at the Annual Meeting, January 28th, 1905.



NEW HAVEN:

THE TUTTLE, MOREHOUSE & TAYLOR COMPANY.

1905.

ADMISSION OF PATIENTS

1. Applications for the admission of patients should be accompanied by a certificate from some respectable physician, stating the nature and probable duration of the disease, and should be addressed to the Superintendent of the Hospital, New Haven, Conn. In accordance with the regulations of the hospital, the Superintendent, as the representative of the Prudential Committee, arranges the terms of admission according to the circumstances of the case and the accommodation required.

2. The nursing is performed by the Connecticut Training School for Nurses.

3. The ordinary charge per week for accommodation in the wards is \$7.00, which includes medical and surgical attendance, together with medicine, nursing and washing.

4. Private rooms are furnished at \$25.00 or more per week, according to the requirements of the case.

5. Persons partly supported by the towns in which they reside and partly by the State appropriation are admitted on an order from the town authorities. Town patients are received at \$5.00 per week.

6. Soldiers enrolled on the State quota in the Civil war, or in the quotas of other States if residents of Connecticut at the time of enlistment, and now residents, are admitted as State patients on an order from the executive officer of the Soldiers' Hospital Fund.

7. Sailors whose support is provided for from the marine hospital fund are admitted on the order of the Collector of the Port of New Haven.

8. Persons carried directly to the hospital from the place of an accident are immediately admitted.

9. A written history of the case should be sent with the patient.

10. *Insane persons* and those suffering from *contagious diseases* are not admitted.

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Morris Steinert,	July 3, 1901
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FREE BEDS

A donation of \$10,000 entitles the donor, his heirs and assigns, to nominate patients to a free bed for one hundred years, or during the lives of any three persons whom he may nominate.

A donation of \$5,000 entitles the donor to nominate patients to a free bed, for six months in each year, for one hundred years, or during the lives of any three persons whom he may nominate; or to nominate patients to a free bed during his life.

A donation of \$1,000 entitles the donor to nominate patients to a free bed for any three months in each year during his life.

FREE BED FUNDS

FREE BEDS:

1874—The Henry Farnam,	One
1874—The William Fitch,	“
1874—The James E. English,	“
1878—The Ellen M. Gifford,	“
1881-83—The Henry Bronson,	Two
1883—The Thanksgiving,	One
1885—The Henry Hotchkiss Memorial,	“
1886—The William O. Armstrong,	“
1886—The Mary Webster Southgate Trowbridge Memorial,	“
1888-90—The Dr. Thomas Wells Memorial,	“
1888—The Mary P. Wade, of Trinity Church,	“
1890—The Harmanus M. Welch,	“
1892—The George Thomas Smith, Memorial of David Paige Smith, M.D.,	“
1886-1900—The Trinity Church,	“
1901—The Wyllys Atwater Memorial,	“
1904—The Henry B. Harrison,	“
1904—The Mrs. Henry B. Harrison,	“
1904—The Sarah B. Harrison,	“

FREE BEDS FOR SIX MONTHS.

1886—The Dwight Place Society,	One
1888—The Home for the Friendless,	“

FREE BED FOR THREE MONTHS.

1883—The Rose A. Porter,

One

THE MARETT FUND.

For the support of free beds for poor patients.

In 1904 the income supported 100 patients for $678\frac{5}{7}$ weeks.

THE JAMES E. ENGLISH FUND.

For the support of free beds for poor patients.

In 1904 the income supported 14 patients for $93\frac{1}{2}$ weeks.

THE ELLEN M. GIFFORD FUNDS.

For the support of the Ellen M. Gifford Home for Incurables.

In 1904 27 patients were supported for $1195\frac{3}{4}$ weeks.

 FORM OF BEQUEST.

Item.—I give and bequeath to the General Hospital Society of Connecticut, in the City of New Haven, the sum of _____ dollars, to be paid by my executors, out of my real or personal estate, as soon as the settlement of my affairs will permit, to the treasurer of said institution for the time being, in trust, to be applied by the directors thereof to the humane purposes of said institution.

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

The Board of Directors has the honor to present herewith to the General Hospital Society of Connecticut its seventy-eighth annual report, as prepared by the Prudential Committee:

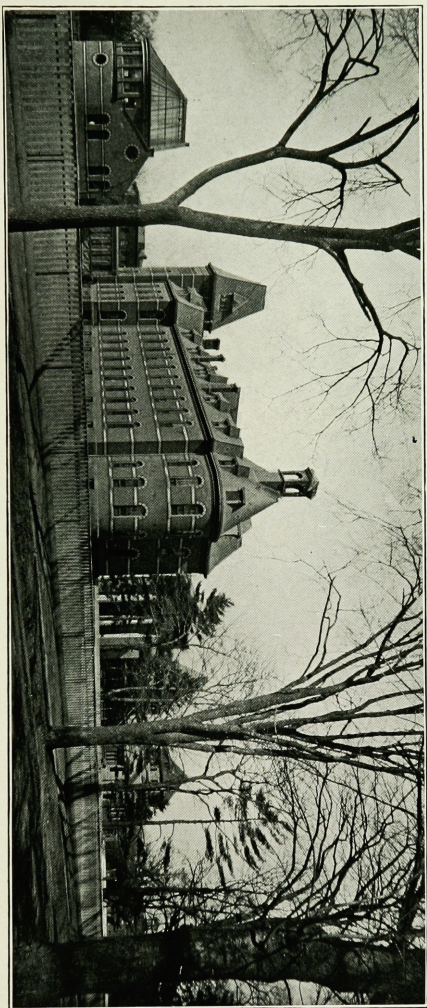
NUMBER OF PATIENTS.

January 1st, 1904	157
Admitted	1,725
Whole number treated	1,882
Discharged	1,488
Died	234
Remaining	160
Births (not including 9 still)	72
Largest number any one day	192
Smallest number any one day	138
Daily average	164
Daily average of—	
(1) Attendants and others	136
(2) Nurses, with Matron and Maids	58 $\frac{8}{10}$
Cost of Food per inmate32 $\frac{4}{10}$
Current Receipts	\$75,706.54
Current Expenses	\$93,417.85
Deficit	\$17,711.31
Ambulance Calls	600
Hospital Sunday Collections	\$2,225.86

The use made of the Charity Funds during the last year will appear from the following table:

FUNDS.	No. Patients.	Weeks Occupied.	Daily Average.	Paid by Patients.	Drawn from Funds.	Total Cost.
Marett	100	678 $\frac{3}{7}$	12.97	\$ 207.08	\$ 7,228.89	\$ 7,435.97
Gifford	27	1195 $\frac{3}{7}$	22.87	1,311.00	11,756.03	13,067.03
English	14	93 $\frac{1}{4}$	1.78	38.00	982.30	1,020.30
Totals	141	1967	37.62	\$1,556.08	\$19,967.22	\$21,523.30
General Fund	126	309 $\frac{1}{4}$	5.92	----	----	3,383.61

In the way of comment upon these statistics, your Committee call attention to:



NEW HAVEN HOSPITAL—VIEW FROM SOUTHEAST.

(1) The continued increase in the numbers availing themselves of the Hospital. The whole number treated is larger than in 1903, by nearly ten per cent., and shows an increase in the last five years by more than 37 per cent. The growth of our business is steady, and has reached the limit of our accommodations already. The highest number any one day, 192, which was in March last, surpassed any previous record, and practically exhausted the possibilities. Within ten days there was one night when we had no bed in which to put an additional male patient, had one come, and as it was there was undue crowding in some of the wards. The day is in sight when we shall have to turn patients away from our doors, for want of space in which to receive them. Should the experience of this year correspond with the last—and why should it not? that day will come within three months. Your Committee would be unfaithful did they not urge upon the Directors, and the Society, and through them upon the public, the imperative need of the enlargement of the Hospital.

(2) The fact that the increase is largely in self-paying patients. Although the number of these in 1904 was not greater than in 1903, but a trifle smaller, the number of weeks occupied by them was greater by 456, showing that the volume of business of this kind was really larger, and the receipts from this source were greater by \$5,734.95. While it is possible this increase was owing in part to better collections, there was certainly a large increase in actual receipts, and our income from patients in private rooms was larger than ever before. Of course it is only through this kind of income that we gain any real off-set to our financial burdens, and it were much to be desired that we could offer more private rooms; but the increase of receipts from self-paying patients in wards is very manifest. In 1904 it was more than 25 per cent.

(3) The increase in the total amount of current receipts. This was \$11,526.70. Part of this increase, as is well known, is owing to the larger grant from the State in aid of towns. But if we allow for this, the increase is still great enough to be encouraging. We note this increase from year to year, and in the five years, last past, it has amounted to 33.5 per cent. With the State grant the increase has been 42.7 per cent.

(4) The increase of our current expenses. This has been less than the increase of our current receipts by nearly \$1,050, but it is regrettably large. Part of it is normal, and proportionate to the rate of increase for the last five years, which has been in all about 42 per cent. Part of it is due to advance in the cost of certain supplies. Part of it is somewhat perplexing—e. g. it is difficult for a layman to understand why the cost of medicines should have increased about 33 per cent. in a single year. But examination of our accounts shows that the increased expenditure has been largely under two heads—in “Repairs and Improvements,” and in “Salaries and Wages.” This is easy to understand. Certain repairs upon our buildings were found necessary to preserve their integrity, and the renovation of the Superintendent’s home, after it was vacated last spring, was equally indispensable. If the retiring Superintendent had not been more forbearing than ordinary tenants, he would have insisted on certain repairs long ago. He must have done so soon had he remained. The changes actually made were very much to the advantage of the property, particularly that by which the necessity of new heating apparatus was avoided by connecting the house with the general heating system of the Hospital. This we were advised, and we are convinced, was in the interest of economy. The increase in “Salaries and Wages” circumstances made imperative, and we can hardly hope to take any steps backward in this item of expenditure, at least for the present. The increase in our house staff, in our office staff, and in the staff of our superintendent of nursing, naturally involved additional expense, but has added very much to the efficiency of the administration of the Hospital; and with the very great expansion of our work, the changes made have seemed to us, and do still seem to us, to be absolutely inevitable. The daily cost of food per inmate we have succeeded in reducing by more than a cent and a half, but the weekly cost per patient has advanced from \$10.81 to \$10.93. This is twelve cents less than in 1902, but we shall be glad to report a lower figure another year if we can find a way to do it.

We subjoin the usual tabulations for such information as they may furnish.

The following table will show the weekly cost of supporting patients for ten years, and also the daily cost of food per inmate :

Year.	Daily average of patients.	Daily average of attendants and others.	Weekly cost.	Daily cost of food per inmate.
1895	111.8	96.6	8.86	.30 $\frac{3}{10}$
1896	112.	98.7	8.77	.29 $\frac{8}{10}$
1897	118.4	99.	8.95 $\frac{1}{2}$.30 $\frac{7.5}{10}$
1898	123.5	105.6	9.47	.33 $\frac{3}{10}$
1899	119.7	103.	10.03	.33 $\frac{3}{10}$
1900	119.125	105.6	10.48	.34 $\frac{3}{10}$
1901	127. $\frac{1}{2}$	110.8	10.81	.33 $\frac{8}{10}$
1902	132.	115. $\frac{2}{3}$	11.05	.35
1903	146. $\frac{3}{10}$	121. $\frac{6}{10}$	10.81	.34 $\frac{3}{10}$
1904	164.	136.	10.93	.32 $\frac{4}{10}$

The following table will show the number of patients of each class, the weeks occupied, the amounts received, the actual cost, and the balance which was paid from the resources of the Hospital.

Classification of patients.	Number of patients.	Weeks occupied.	Rate per week.	Amount received.	Cost at \$10.93 per week.	Loss.	Profit.
U. S. Marine -----	53	91 $\frac{1}{10}$	\$7	\$ 576.00	\$ 1,002.43	\$ 426.43	
State Soldiers -----	23	70 $\frac{6}{10}$	6	526.49	771.35	244.86	
Town -----	348	1327 $\frac{10}{10}$	5	*15,370.87	14,511.92		\$ 858.95
Self-paying in wards	981	3943	7	†28,462.64	43,096.99	14,634.35	
Charity -----	†267	2276 $\frac{4}{10}$	--	1,556.08	24,882.93	23,326.85	
Free Beds -----	68	440 $\frac{3}{10}$	--		4,812.32	4,812.32	
				\$46,492.08	\$89,077.94	\$43,444.81	\$858.95
Self-paying in private rooms } }	142	399 $\frac{6}{10}$	15 to 25	9,221.66	4,370.44	-----	4,851.22
Totals -----	1882	8549 $\frac{5}{10}$	--	\$55,713.74	\$93,448.38	\$43,444.81	\$5,710.17
Profit -----				-----	-----	5,710.17	
Drawn from Treasury -----						\$37,734.64	

* Including State appropriation credited to towns.

† Amount actually received, i. e., amount receivable less sums still owed by patients, good and bad debts.

‡ Under this head are classified patients upon the Charity funds, and those upon the General fund, the infants, and cases of sickness among our help.

The following table exhibits the number of weeks occupied by charity and free-bed patients each year for the past ten years, indicating the way our benevolent work has grown :

1895	1896	1897	1898	1899	1900	1901	1902	1903	1904
2163 $\frac{1}{2}$	2317	2395 $\frac{2}{3}$	2394 $\frac{2}{3}$	2755	2582 $\frac{1}{2}$	2480 $\frac{2}{3}$	2602 $\frac{2}{3}$	2535 $\frac{1}{2}$	2716 $\frac{2}{3}$

One of the most significant events of the last year in the Hospital was the retirement of the Superintendent, who had served the Society for so many years, with distinguished fidelity, disinterestedness and success. It was followed by the election of the present incumbent, who in the judgment of your Committee has evinced his thorough knowledge of his business and grasp of the situation, and is rendering excellent service in every particular. His induction was followed by the resignation of our clerk, Mr. W. F. Smith, and the retirement of nearly all the subordinate employes on the administrative side, and a strike of a number of the orderlies. The embarrassment thus caused proved but temporary, however, as the vacated places were quickly filled, and we now have an efficient working force doing satisfactory service, which we hope will continue. Mr. A. R. Haury is Chief Clerk; Mr. R. A. Mannell, Assistant Clerk; Mr. E. F. Hall, Night Clerk; Mr. A. R. Leighton, Apothecary, and Mr. W. J. Beckwith, his assistant. A very valuable addition to our office staff is our Telephone Clerk and Stenographer. Our telephone exchange greatly relieves the office, and facilitates the business of the Hospital.

At the last quarterly meeting of the Directors, your Committee submitted plans for a much needed enlargement of the laundry, by the adding of a second story, and were authorized to carry out these plans when the sum of \$4,000 for the purpose should be subscribed. Your Committee takes pleasure in reporting that the necessary subscriptions have been secured, and that the work will be undertaken as soon as the weather will permit. We are very thankful for the gifts which have made this result possible.

Our Maternity Ward has been the scene of a very active and useful service, but experience has shown some important deficiencies in our arrangements for isolating patients, and it

is eminently desirable, when the means can be had, to make some changes there. Some rearrangement of the upper floor in the North Ward has been indicated to us, which would give us another private room, as well as improve existing facilities. This change, also, your Committee would be glad to make, if the means of doing it were in hand. This would probably make a very considerable addition to our income.

There have been added to our permanent funds by bequests during 1904, sums amounting in all to something over \$32,000; and from our excellent friend, General Merwin, securities valued at \$1,500, the income of which is to continue the work in which he has taken pleasure for so many years, the purchase of flowering plants and shrubs, annually to adorn the Hospital grounds.

Mr. Starkweather, our retired Superintendent, since the partial restoration of his health, has rendered the Society very acceptable service by acting as its collector, and coöperating in the raising of funds in its behalf; and our present Superintendent very cordially acknowledges his indebtedness to his predecessor for valuable and kindly assistance rendered him in many ways.

We have abundant reason again gratefully to acknowledge the good offices of many friends and benefactors who have lent us their coöperation, or extended assistance by willing service or gifts of useful supplies. Among these we include the clergymen who have conducted religious services in the Chapel; the singers who have sung in the wards on Sunday afternoons; the ladies who have furnished kindergarten instruction in the Children's Ward; the Hospital Aid Society and the Needlework Guild, whose continued contributions are most welcome and valuable; the donors of journals, magazines, and other reading matter, as well as of flowers and fruits, and flowering plants.

The same generous friend who in previous years has defrayed the cost of a steamboat excursion in the summer, for such inmates of the Hospital as were able to participate in it, and some special gratification for those who could not, repeated this thoughtful kindness on Aug. 17, 1904, making that day a delightful one to many. We desire to mention

particularly, also, a liberal donation of Mrs. John S. Ely, by which we were enabled to construct a run-way from the verandah to the ground, facilitating the descent of those patients whose movements are limited by their confinement to wheel-chairs. This is so constructed that it is removable in late autumn and easily replaced when the pleasant season comes around. The gift of it was very highly appreciated.

It is a dictate not merely of usage, but of a genuine sense of an indebtedness on the part of the Hospital Society, and of the public, to the large amount of invaluable, and unrecompensed, labor annually bestowed upon the service of the Hospital, which prompts us to mention anew the attending and consulting physicians and surgeons. The unstinted and ungrudging expenditure of time, strength and skill in the relief of suffering, by these gentlemen, is by no means the least of the munificent gifts the combination of which has issued in the existence and the maintenance of our truly philanthropic institution. If those who are endowed with wealth gave of their substance proportionately to these gifts of willing service, the institution would not lack resources, or ask in vain for new buildings or appliances. We have occasion renewedly to mention also, with commendation that is well earned, and perhaps never better than in the present year, the House staff, upon whose fidelity and untiring exertions the welfare of the patients must always very largely depend. Our indefatigable Superintendent of Nursing and our efficient housekeeper continue to fulfill in good measure their high ideals of usefulness, and to them, together with their assistants, we acknowledge our obligations. We congratulate the Society upon the condition of the Hospital, the service it enjoys, and the tokens of public appreciation which it is continually receiving, even while expressing our profound conviction that the ever growing demands upon it most urgently call for larger resources and for more extended accommodations.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

CHARLES RAY PALMER,	} <i>Prudential</i>	
WILLIAM G. DAGGETT,		} <i>Committee.</i>
HARRY G. DAY,		

NEW HAVEN, Jan. 26, 1905.

REPORT OF THE MEDICAL BOARD

NEW HAVEN HOSPITAL, Jan. 26, 1905.

To the General Hospital Society of Connecticut:

GENTLEMEN—The following statement of the medical, surgical and gynæcological work of the Hospital, for the year 1904, is hereby respectfully submitted as the report of the Medical Board.

JOHN S. ELY, M.D.,
Secretary.

DISEASES TREATED DURING 1904.

MEDICAL REPORT.

DIAGNOSIS.	In Hospital Jan 1, 1904.	Admitted.	Received by Transfer.	Discharged.				Transferred to Surgical side.	In Hospital Dec. 31, 1904.
				Cured.	Improved.	Unimproved.	Not treated.		
Abscess, tubercular		1							1
Acute catarrhal dysentery		4		4					
Alcoholism		65		59	3		2		1
“ chronic	2	2		4					
“ and delirium tremens		5		4			1		
“ “ gonorrhœa		1						1	
“ “ scabies		1							1
“ “ senility		1			1				
Amenorrhœa			1						1
Angina pectoris	1								1
Aortic stenosis and regurgitation		1				1			
“ and mitral insufficiency		1			1				
“ regurgitation and nephritis		1					1		
Appendicitis		1						1	
Apoplexy		8		3			5		
Arthritis deformans	1	1				1			1
Asthma and bronchitis	1			1					
Ataxia Friedreichs	1								1
Brachial plexus paralysis		1				1			
Biliary colic		1		1					
Brain tumor	1				1				
Bronchitis	1	11		6	6				
“ and adenoids		1		1					
Carcinoma of stomach		6					4	2	
“ vaginal outlet		1							1
“ uterus		1							1
Cerebral hemorrhage		1					1		
Cerebro-spinal meningitis		5					5		
Cerebral thrombosis		1							1
Cholera infantum		1					1		

MEDICAL REPORT—CONTINUED.

DIAGNOSIS.	In Hospital Jan. 1, 1904.	Admitted.	Received by Transfer.	Discharged.				Transferred to Surgical side. In Hospital Dec. 31, 1904.	
				Cured.	Improved.	Unimproved.	Not treated.		Died.
Chorea	2	2		1	3				
Cirrhosis of liver	1	4			2	1	2		
Constipation		12		12					
Convulsions		1					1		
Dementia paralytica	1	3				2	2		
“ senile		1				1			
Dermatitis venenata		1		1					
Diabetes		3			1		2		
Eczema of leg	1				1				
“ seborrhœica		1						1	
Electric shock		1		1					
Embolism of popliteal artery		1					1		
Empyema		4			1			3	
Empyema of gall bladder and hypo- static pneumonia			1				1		
Endarteritis	1	1			1			1	
“ and mitral stenosis			1				1		
Epilepsy		5		2	3				
Erysipelas		1					1		
Exhaustion		1		1					
Febricula		1		1					
Gastralgia		1		1					
Gastritis, acute		5		5					
“ alcoholic		1		1					
“ chronic	2	11	1	7	5	1	1		
“ and hyperchlorhydria		1			1				
General debility		1			1				
Grippe		15		14				1	
“ and parotitis		1						1	
Heat exhaustion		1		1					
Hemiplegia	14	8			3	4	4	11	
“ and chronic rheumatism	1							1	
Hydrocephalus, chronic, and hypo- static pneumonia		1					1		
Hyperchlorhydria		2			2				
Hypertrophy and dilatation of heart		3					3		
Hysteria		2			1			1	
Inanition		2			1		1		
Infancy	1	1		2					
Insanity		2				2			
Intestinal indigestion and rheu- matism		1		1					
Jaundice, catarrhal		1		1					
“ obstructive		1						1	
“ “ and hypertro- phy of liver		1						1	
Lumbago		4		4					
Malaria		8		7	1				
Marasmus		3	1	1	1			1	
Measles		1		1			1		
Meningitis, tubercular		7					7		

MEDICAL REPORT—CONTINUED.

DIAGNOSIS.	In Hospital Jan. 1, 1904.	Admitted.	Received by Transfer.	Discharged.				Transferred to Surgical side.	In Hospital Dec. 31, 1904.
				Cured.	Improved.	Unimproved.	Not treated.		
Melancholia		2				2			
Migraine		1			1				
Miliary tuberculosis		3						3	
Mitral regurgitation		3		1			1		1
“ “ diabetes and nephritis		1			1				
“ “ dilatation of heart		3					3		
“ “ and emphy- sema		1			1				
“ “ and nephritis		1			1				
“ “ and pericar- ditis		1			1				
“ “ and tricuspid insufficiency		1					1		
Morphinism	1	4			3		2		
Mucous colitis		3		1	1				1
Multiple neuritis	1	1		1					1
“ sclerosis	1								1
Myalgia		4		2	1	1			
Myelitis		1					1		
“ subacute		1			1				
“ transverse	2								2
Myocarditis		3			1		2		
Myxœdema	1								1
Nephritis, acute		4			2		2		
“ “ and uremia		1					1		
“ chronic	1	15	2		6	2	8		2
“ “ and grippe		1					1		
“ “ mumps		1							1
“ “ and carcinoma of uterus		1					1		
“ “ chronic and pneumonia		1					1		
“ “ uremia		1					1		
Neurasthenia		5			3	1			1
Neuralgia, intercostal		1		1					
Neuritis		4		1	3				
Otitis media	1							1	
Pachymeningitis		1			1				
Paralysis agitans	3	1				1	1		2
Pancreatitis, acute hemorrhagic		1					1		
Paralysis, Bell's		1			1				
Paraplegia, spastic	2				1		1		
Parotitis, acute		1					1		
Peliosis rheumatica		1			1				
Pernicious anemia		2			2				
Paratyphoid fever		1		1					
Pharyngitis, tubercular		1				1			
Phthisis	1	11			8	1	3		
Phlegmasia alba dolens and idio- pathic erysipelas		1					1		
Pleurisy and presenile dementia		1			1				
“ dry	1	7		5	3				
“ tubercular		1			1				

MEDICAL REPORT—CONTINUED.

DIAGNOSIS.	In Hospital Jan. 1, 1904.	Admitted.	Received by Transfer.	Discharged.					Transferred to Surgical side.	In Hospital Dec. 31, 1904.	
				Cured.	Improved.	Unimproved.	Not treated.	Died.			
Pleurisy, with effusion	1	7		6	2						
Pneumonia, lobar	1	38		20	2			14		3	
“ and measles		1		1							
“ scarlet fever		1						1			
Poisoning, carbolic acid		3		2				1			
“ furniture polish		1		1							
“ gas		5		4				1			
“ iodine		1		1							
“ ivy		1		1							
“ kerosene oil		1		1							
“ lead		1		1							
“ larkspur		1		1							
“ opium		2		1					1		
“ ptomaine		1		1							
Pyemia, chronic			1							1	
Quinsy		2		2							
Rheumatism, acute	2	26		16	10	1		1			
“ chronic	7	3	2	1	4	1	1	1		3	
“ and endocarditis		1		1							
“ muscular		2		2							
“ subacute		2		1						1	
“ and hemiplegia		1						1			
Rachitis			1			1					
Scabies		1		1							
Scarlet fever		1	1					1	1		
Sciatica	1	6		4	2					1	
Senility	2	1					1			2	
Syncope		1		1							
Syphilis		2			2						
Tabes dorsalis		4			2	1				1	
Tic douloureux		1			1						
Tonsillitis, follicular		6		5						1	
Tuberculosis, chronic, with mitral insufficiency	1						1				
Tuberculosis of lungs with pleu- ritic effusion		1								1	
Trichiniasis		1						1			
Typhoid fever	5	48		39	1			9		4	
“ and pneumonia		2						2			
Tricophytosis barbæ		1			1						
Ulcer of stomach		3			2			1			
Uræmia		1						1			
Vertigo		2			1	1					
	67	534		12	273	116	29	4	119	13	59

Respectfully submitted,

EMANUEL C. FLEISCHNER,

House Physician.

SURGICAL REPORT.

DIAGNOSIS.	In Hospital Jan. 1, 1904.	Admitted.	Received by Transfer.	Discharged.				Transferred to Medical side.	In Hospital Dec. 31, 1904.
				Cured.	Improved.	Unimproved.	Not treated.		
Abscess, abdominal		1		1					
“ antrum of Highmore		1			1				
“ of axilla		2			1				1
“ breast		5	1	4	2				
“ buttock		1							1
“ cheek		1			1				
“ chest		3		1	2				
“ eyelid		1			1				
“ iliac region		1		1					
“ ischio-rectal		4		3					1
“ mastoid		3		3					
“ neck		5		5					
“ pelvic		1						1	
“ perineum		2		2					
“ perirenal	1			1					
“ psoas	1	4			2				3
“ testicle		1		1					
Acromegaly		1						1	
Adenitis, cervical		5	1	4	2				
“ inguinal		8		4	2				2
Adenoma of breast		1		1					
Adenoids		1		1					
Angioma of neck and shoulders		1					1		
Ankylosis and subluxation of knee joint		1							1
Appendicitis	3	41		42					2
“ suppurative	2	26		21	1		4		2
“ and general peritonitis		5					4		1
“ tubercular		1					1		
Arthritis, gonorrhœal		4			4				
“ of knee		1			1				
“ tubercular		1			1				
Atrophy of eye		1		1					
Burn of arm	1	1		1					1
“ body	1	2		1			2		
“ electric		1		1					
“ of eyes (powder)		2		2					
“ face		8		7			1		
“ face and back		1					1		
“ face and chest		1		1					
“ face, chest and extrem- ities		4		2			2		
“ face, arms and buttock		1					1		
“ face and hand		3		3					
“ foot		1		1					
“ leg		1		1					
“ neck and hands		1		1					
Bubo, gonorrhœal		1		1					

SURGICAL REPORT—CONTINUED.

DIAGNOSIS.	In Hospital Jan. 1, 1904.	Admitted.	Received by Transfer.	Discharged.				Transferred to Medical side.	In Hospital Dec. 31, 1904.
				Cured.	Improved.	Unimproved.	Not treated.		
Carbuncle of neck	1			1					
Carcinoma, secondary of pleura and abdominal or- gans following carci- noma of breast	1						1		
“ of breast	1	6	1	7	1				
“ breast, recurrent		1					1		
“ cheek	1				1				
“ forehead and erysip- elas	1								1
“ rectum		2				2			
“ stomach		3	2		1			4	
“ uterus		5		2		1		2	
“ “ and vagina		3						3	
“ vulva		1		1					
Caries of rib	1				1				
Cellulitis and erysipelas of arm and forearm		1			2				
“ of arm		1		1					
“ foot		1							1
“ forearm	1	1		2					
“ hand		2			1				1
Cataract		2		1	1				
“ senile		3		3					
“ secondary	1	2		3					
Cerebral concussion		9		9					
“ “ and scalp wound		1		1					
“ “ and fracture of femur		1		1					
Chaneroid		1		1					
“ and bubo		1		1					
Cholangitis		1				1			
Cholecystitis		1			1				
“ and morphinism		1			1				
Cholelithiasis		4		1	1		1	1	
“ and hydrops of gall bladder		1							1
Chronic inflammation of knee		1			1				
Condylomata of labia and perineum penis		1			1				
“ “		1			1				
Constipation		1		1					
Contraction of arm due to burn		1		1					
Contusions		3		1	2				
Contusion of abdomen		1							1
“ body		1		1					
“ back		1		1					
“ chest		1		1					
“ hip		1		1					
“ side		1		1					

SURGICAL REPORT—CONTINUED.

DIAGNOSIS.	In Hospital Jan. 1, 1904.	Admitted.	Received by Transfer.	Discharged.				Transferred to Medical side.	In Hospital Dec. 31, 1904.
				Cured.	Improved.	Unimproved.	Not treated.		
Contusion of shoulder		1		1					
“ thigh		1			1				
Conjunctivitis and keratitis	1			1					
“ phlyctenular		1		1					
Cyst, dermoid		1						1	
“ pancreatic		1			1				
“ of thyroid gland		1		1					
Cystitis		2			2				
Cystic calculus		2		2					
Dacryo-cystitis		2		2					
Diabetes and nephritis		1					1		
Dislocation of humerus subcoracoid		1			1				
“ head of fibula and lacerated wound of back		1		1					
“ hip		1		1					
“ hip, congenital		1				1			
“ shoulder		5		3	2				
Ecchymosis, subconjunctival		1		1					
Eczema		1		1					
Empyema	2	6	2	2	5	1			2
“ and nephritis		1				1			
“ involvement of liver		1							1
Endometritis		12		8	3				1
“ chronic		2			2				
Epididymitis	3	4		6					1
“ and orchitis		2		2					
Epithelioid degeneration of buttock and secondary growth in breast and axilla	1				1				
Epilepsy		1			1				
Erysipelas		3		3					
Extra-uterine pregnancy		2		2					
Erythema of face and hands		1		1					
Exostosis of tibia		1				1			
Fibroma of breast	2			2					
“ fascia below breast		1		1					
Fissure in ano		2		1	1				
Fistula in ano		12		8	1	1	1		1
“ faecal, in right inguinal re- gion	1				1				
“ intestinal		1					1		
“ of gall bladder		1		1					
Flatfoot		1		1					
Faecal impaction and hysteria		1		1					
Foreign body in oesophagus		1					1		
Frost bite of finger		1		1					
“ “ toes		2		2					
“ “ hands and feet		1							1

SURGICAL REPORT—CONTINUED.

DIAGNOSIS.	In Hospital Jan. 1, 1904.	Admitted.	Received by Transfer.	Discharged.				Transferred to Medical side.	In Hospital Dec. 31, 1904.
				Cured.	Improved.	Unimproved.	Not treated.		
Fracture—									
“ of clavicle		4		3	1				
“ “ and contusion.		1					1		
“ “ and scapula		1					1		
“ Colle's		2		2					
“ “ and neck of femur	1						1		
“ “ and lacerated wound of head.		1		1					
“ “ double		1		1					
“ femur neck	3	4		3	2				2
“ “		6		3	2				1
“ “ neck and senility		1				1			
“ “ “ and condyle of humerus		1					1		
“ humerus		8		5	2		1		
“ “ compound comminuted		1			1				
“ femur shaft	2	2		3	1				
“ “ intracapsular		1					1		
“ “ separation of symphysis pu- bis and abscess of groin	1						1		
“ “ neck impacted		1							1
“ fibula		1		1					
“ compound, comminuted of arm		1		1					
“ humerus, radius and metacarpal bones		1							1
“ internal malleolus		1		1					
“ ilium		1		1					
“ of malleoli		2		1					1
“ mandible and contu- sions		1			1				
“ malar bone and lacerated wound of forehead		1			1				
“ of nose		1		1					
“ 5th phalanx and compound Colle's with dis- location of 2d and 3d phalanges		1		1					
“ of patella	1	3		2	2				
“ patella, compound		1							1
“ pelvis	1			1					
“ Potts	1	6		4	2		1		
“ “ compound	1	2		1	2				
“ “ “ and in- guinal hernia	1				1				
“ ribs		1			1				

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				Cured.	Improved.	Unimproved.	Not treated.	Died.		
Fracture of ribs and crush of arm		1						1		
“ “ and 12th dorsal vertebra		1							1	
“ tibia		9		6	1				2	
“ “ compound		1							1	
“ “ and fibula	2	9		9	2					
“ “ involving knee joint		1							1	
“ tibia and fibula and dislocation of ankle		1							1	
“ tibia and fibula and right thigh, com- pound comminuted		1		1						
“ skull, depressed		1		1						
“ “ base		2					2			
“ “ and extradural hemorrhage		1					1			
“ “ fissure		1			1					
“ “ and cerebral con- cussion		1					1			
“ spinous process of 7th cervical vertebra and lacerated scalp wound		1			1					
“ ulna		1			1					
“ “ and dislocation of radius		1			1					
Furunculosis		1					1			
Gangrene of arm and sepsis follow- ing embolism		1					1			
Gangrene of toes		2		2						
“ toe, diabetic		1							1	
“ toes and hemiplegia		1					1			
“ finger		2		2						
“ foot		1					1			
Gastritis		1							1	
Genu varum		1		1						
Glaucoma, chronic		1			1					
Gonorrhœa		9	1	6	3				1	
“ “ and epididymitis		1		1						
Gonorrhœal arthritis		1		1						
Hæmorrhæchis		1							1	
Hæmatophilia		1			1					
Hare lip		2		2						
Hemorrhoids	1	8		8		1				
“ “ and cataract, senile		1		1						
Hernia inguinal	3	17		13	4	1			2	
“ “ and hydrocele		2		2						
“ “ strangulated		1		1						
“ femoral		3		3						

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DIAGNOSIS.	In Hospital Jan. 1, 1904.	Admitted.	Received by Transfer.	Discharged.				Transferred to Medical side.	In Hospital Dec. 31, 1904.
				Cured.	Improved.	Unimproved.	Not treated.		
Hernia umbilical		1		1					
“ “ strangulated		2		1			1		
“ congenital tube		1		1					
Hydrocele and senility		1					1		
Hydrocephalus, chronic		1				1			
Hypertrophy of prostate	2	1		1	1			1	
“ “ prostate and acute retention		1					1		
Hysterical contracture of leg mus- cles	1				1				
Infancy		2		2					
Infected finger		1		1					
Ingrown toe nail	1			1					
Intestinal fistula following appen- dicitis		1					1		
Intestinal obstruction		2		1			1		
Irido-cyclitis		4		1	3				
Iritis		2		2					
“ traumatic		1		1					
“ rheumatica		1			1				
Keratitis, interstitial		3		2	1				
“ “ and conjunctivitis	1			1					
“ “ and ulcer of cornea		1		1					
Kerato-iritis		2		2					
“ irido-choroiditis		1		1					
Kidney, floating		1				1			
“ movable	1			1					
Laceration of the interspinous liga- ments		1		1					
Lepto-meningitis		1					1		
Lipoma of axilla		1		1					
“ back		1		1					
“ thigh		1		1					
Mastitis		1		1					
“ suppurative		3		3					
Mastoiditis		1		1					
Menorrhagia		1		1					
Myoma of uterus		2					1		1
“ “ and ovarian cyst		1		1					
Necrosis of tibia		1		1					
“ os-calcis		1		1					
“ metatarsal bones		2		1					1
Neurasthenia		1					1		
Neuro-retinitis (specific)	1					1			
Noma		1					1		
Otitis media		1				1			
“ “ purulenta		3	1	2	2				
“ “ purulenta and necrosis of ear bones		1		1					

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Osteo-myelitis of tibia		1		1						
“ “ of femur		1		1						
Ophthalmia neonatorum		2		1						1
“ purulenta		1								1
Orchitis		1			1					
Ovarian cyst		2		1						1
“ “ twisted pedicle		1		1						
Panophthalmitis		1		1						
Papilloma of bladder		1		1						
Paraplegia, traumatic		1			1					
Perimetritis and nephritis		1							1	
Peritonitis		1						1		
“ and endocarditis		1						1		
“ tubercular		2			1			1		
Pelvic inflammatory disease		6		5						1
Periostitis of ulna		1		1						
“ tibia		1		1						
“ ribs		1			1					
“ tubercular of metatarsal bones and oblique inguinal hernia		1			1					
Phimosis		1		1						
“ and chancroid		1		1						
Polyp of uterus		2		1						1
Pregnancy and lacerated perineum		1					1			
Prolapse of anterior and posterior vaginal walls		1		1						
Prostatic sinus		1						1		
Pyæmia		1						1		
Pyonephrosis		3		1				2		
“ renal calculi		1						1		
Pyosalpinx, double		1		1						
Quinsy		1		1						
Relaxed sphincter urethræ		1		1						
Relaxed vaginal outlet		1		1						
Retroflexion of uterus		1		1						
Rickets		1							1	
Rupture of bladder and peritonitis		1						1		
Rupture of intestine, traumatic		1		1						
Salpingitis		2		2						
“ tubercular		1		1						
Sarcomatosis		1				1				
Sarcoma of buttock		1		1						
“ jaw		3		2			1			
“ kidney		1		1						
“ breast		1								1
Scabies		2		2						
Senility		1							1	
“ and mitral regurgitation		1						1		

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Septicæmia		1						1	
Sinus of buttocks		1		1					
“ groin		1			1				
“ leg		1							1
Spina bifida		3				1	1	1	
Sprain of back		2		2					
“ ankle		5		5					
“ ankle, knee, and contu- sion of side		1		1					
“ back and syphilis		1			1				
“ “ and wrist		1		1					
“ hand		1		1					
“ knee		1		1					
“ pubic ligament	1			1					
“ shoulder		1		1					
“ wrist		1		1					
Stab of wrist		1		1					
Stenosis os uteri		1		1					
Stricture of urethra		9		3	4	1	1		
“ “ and perineal fistula		1		1					
Suspected gall stones		1		1					
Synovitis of knee		1		1					
Syphilis		9		1	5	1	1		
“ and tabes dorsalis		1							1
Talipes equinus		1							1
Tetanus		6		1				5	
“ leg ulcer and chronic rheumatism		1							1
Tonsillitis		1		1					
Trachoma		1				1			
Tubercular glands of neck		1		1					
“ hip	4	3	1		2		1		5
“ knee and inguinal her- nia		1			1				
“ spine		2			1		1		
“ throat		1			1				
“ tube and ovary		1		1					
Tumor of abdomen		1							1
“ breast		1		1					
“ groin	1				1				
“ neck		1		1					
“ uterus		1					1		
“ submaxillary gland		1							1
“ testicle		1		1					
“ vulva		1		1					
Typhoid fever		1				1			
Ulcer of back		1		1					
“ knee		1		1					

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Ulcer of leg	1	10	---	8	1	---	1	---	---	1
“ “ syphilitic	1	---	---	---	1	---	---	---	---	---
“ “ traumatic	---	1	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---
“ “ varicose	---	3	---	1	2	---	---	---	---	---
“ “ “ and phlebitis	1	---	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---
“ rectum	---	3	---	2	---	---	---	1	---	---
“ stump after amputation leg	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1
“ tongue	---	1	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---
Ulceration, tubercular	---	1	---	---	1	---	---	---	---	---
“ of vulva, chancroidal.	---	2	---	1	1	---	---	---	---	---
Uterine hæmorrhage	---	1	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---
Vaginitis, gonorrhœal	---	1	---	---	1	---	---	---	---	---
“ “ with condy- lomata	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1
Varicocele	---	4	---	4	---	---	---	---	---	---
Varicose vein ruptured	---	1	---	---	---	1	---	---	---	---
Varix of nasal system	---	1	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---
Wounds, buck-shot of head and face	---	1	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---
Wound, <i>contused</i> —										
of abdomen	---	1	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---
back	---	3	---	3	---	---	---	---	---	---
elbow	---	1	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---
head	---	7	---	4	2	---	---	---	---	1
hip	---	1	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---
leg	1	2	---	2	1	---	---	---	---	---
ribs	---	1	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---
side	---	1	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---
shoulders	---	4	---	4	---	---	---	---	---	---
thigh	---	1	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---
and abrasion of knee	---	1	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---
Wound, <i>crush</i> —										
of arm	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1
hand	1	4	---	3	1	---	---	---	---	1
finger	---	3	---	2	1	---	---	---	---	---
fingers	---	2	---	1	1	---	---	---	---	---
foot	---	5	---	4	1	---	---	---	---	---
frontal sinus	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1
leg	1	4	---	4	---	---	---	1	---	---
pelvis and both thighs	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	1	---	---
legs	---	1	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---
thumb	---	1	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---
toe	1	4	---	3	2	---	---	---	---	---
Foreign body in cornea	---	1	---	---	1	---	---	---	---	---
Wound, <i>infected</i> —										
of arm and eczema	---	1	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---
elbow	---	1	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---
finger	1	3	---	3	1	---	---	---	---	---

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Wound, <i>infected</i> —									
of foot		4		1	1			1	1
hand		3		2	1				
knee		2		1	1				
leg and scalp		1		1					
toe		1		1					
upper jaw		2		1	1				
wrist		1		1					
Wound, <i>incised</i> —									
of abdomen		1		1					
elbow		1		1					
face		1			1				
foot		1			1				
conjunctiva		1			1				
eye ball and lid		1		1					
groin		1		1					
hand		3		1	2				
neck		2		1			1		
neck and thigh		1		1					
neck, chest, ear and forehead		1		1					
throat		1			1				
Wound, <i>gunshot</i> —									
of foot		1		1					
hand	1	1		1					1
Wound, <i>lacerated</i> —									
of finger		2		1	1				
fingers		1							1
face		1		1					
back		1					1		
face and back		1		1					
foot		4		2	2				
forehead	1	3		4					
hand		4		2	2				
hand and forehead		1		1					
heel		2		1			1		
jaw		1		1					
leg	1	1		2					
neck and fingers		1		1					
penis and scrotum		2		2					
scalp		35		29	6				
shoulder	1			1					
thigh	1	1		2					
thigh and scalp		1		1					
thigh and lower leg		1					1		
thigh with fractured pelvis		1		1					
throat		1		1					
toe		1		1					
vulva		1		1					
wrist		1			1				

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Wound, <i>pistol</i> —										
of arm		1		1						
back		1		1						
cervical cord	1									1
forearm		1		1						
head		3		1			1			1
head, neck and thorax		1			1					
Wound, <i>punctured</i> —										
of cornea		3		2						1
cornea with prolapse of iris		1			1					
scalp		1			1					
Wound, <i>stab</i> —										
of abdomen		1		1						
back (empyema developed in one case)		4		2	1					1
buttocks		1			1					
wrist		1		1						
Totals		75 858		10 566	172	20	14	85	8	78

Respectfully submitted,

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SURGICAL OPERATIONS FOR 1904.

Amputation of breast for tumor..	2	Curettagc for abdominal sinus ...	1
of breast for carcinoma ...	4	for diagnosis, carcinoma of	
of breast for sarcoma.....	1	cervix and vagina	1
for crush of arm	4	for infected gun shot wound	1
for crush of finger	4	for infected wound of elbow	1
for crush of foot	5	for necrosis of tibia	2
for crush of hand	3	and cauterization for polyp	
for crush of leg	2	of uterus	1
for crush of thumb.....	1	for tubercular metatarsal	
for crush of toes	4	bones	1
of arm for gangrene due to		and hysteropaxy for endo-	
embolism under eucaine .	1	metritis and retroflexion.	1
of finger for frost bite ..	1	Cystotomy, perineal for vesical cal-	
of finger for gunshot wound	1	culus	1
of leg for carcinoma	1	suprapubic and curettage	
for gangrene of finger	1	for papilloma of bladder.	1
for gangrene of foot	2	Dilatation for stenosis os uteri...	1
for gangrene, senile, of foot	1	Enucleation for lacerated eye...	1
for gangrene of toes	2	for perforation of cornea ...	1
of toes for necrosis	1	for panophthalmitis	4
of great toe and metatarsal		for trauma	2
for necrosis of metatarsal		for rupture of eye	1
bone	1	Excision for angioma of neck and	
for tubercular arthritis of		shoulder	1
ankle	1	for epithelioma of labia	
for necrosis of fifth meta-		minora	1
tarsal bone of right foot .	1	for lipoma of back	1
of leg for ulcerated stump .	1	for lipoma	1
of leg for ankylosis and sub-		for lipoma of thigh	1
luxation of knee	1	glands for cervical adenitis.	3
Anastomosis, intestinal, for intes-		for tumor of buttock	1
tinal obstruction	1	for tubercular glands of	
for stricture of intestine ..	1	neck	2
end to end, for intestinal		for tumor, and muscle for	
fistula	1	fibroma of fascia below	
Appendectomy for appendicitis ..	34	breast	1
and drainage for appendici-		for tumor of breast	1
tis, suppurative	14	for tumor of testicle	1
and drainage for appendici-		for tumor of groin.....	1
tis, gangrenous	2	for tumor of jaw	1
and drainage for appendici-		for tumor of neck	1
tis, suppurative, and gen-		for thyroid cyst	1
eral peritonitis	7	for polyp of uterus	1
for appendicitis and tuber-		testicle for abscess	1
cular peritonitis	1	for sarcoma of jaw	1
Aspiration for effusion into knee.	1	for varicocele	3
Bowman's operation for dacryo-		for vulvo-vaginal cyst	1
cystitis	1	Extraction for cataract	7
Cholecystotomy for cholelithiasis.	3	for cataract, senile	2
for cholelithiasis and hy-		bullet for pistol-shot wound	1
drops gall bladder.....	1	Gastro-enterostomy for carcinoma	
Cholecystectomy for fistula of gall		of stomach	2
bladder		Gastrotomy for foreign body in	
Circumcision for phimosis	3	oesophagus	1
Clamp and cautery for hemor-		Herniotomy for vaginal hernia ..	13
rhoids	9	for inguinal hernia irreduci-	
Curettagc for endometritis.....	10	ble	1

Herniotomy for inguinal hernia		Incision for periostitis, tubercular	1
strangulated	1	for sinus of groin and thigh	1
for femoral hernia	3	for sinus of buttock	1
for umbilical hernia	1	for tubercular spondylitis ..	1
for umbilical incarcerated	1	for sinus of leg	1
and castration for hernia		curettage and drainage for	
and hydrocele	1	sinus of breast	1
Hysterectomy for double pyosal-		for tubercular ulcers	1
pinx	1	and suturing for compound	
vaginal for carcinoma of		fracture of patella	1
uterus	1	Kerato-nyx for secondary cataract	4
Hystero salpingo oöphorectomy for		Laparotomy-adhesions broken for	
myomata uteri and double		adhesions of intestine in	
pyosalpinx	1	region of gall bladder ..	1
for ovarian cyst	1	explorative for carcinoma of	
for tubercular salpingitis ..	1	uterus	1
Incision, explorative for appendici-		explorative for suspected	
tis and peritonitis	1	cholelithiasis	1
for penetrating wound of		and appendectomy for sus-	
abdomen	1	pected cholelithiasis	1
and removal of piece of bone		and excision for dermoid	
for bullet in frontal sinus	1	cyst	1
and drainage for abscess of		and suturing of intestine	
chest	1	for traumatic rupture of	
for abscess of abdomen	1	intestine	1
for abscess, axillary	2	and ligature of tube for	
for abscess of cheek	1	tubal abortion	1
for abscess of neck	2	and removal of sac for extra	
for abscess of ischio-rectal	3	uterine pregnancy	1
for abscess of eyelid	2	for general suppurative peri-	
for abscess mastoid	1	tonitis and perforation of	
and drainage for abscess psoas	3	intestine	1
and drainage for abscess per-		Litholopaxy for vesical calculus ..	1
ineal	1	Mastoidotomy for otitis media ..	1
and drainage for appendici-		for suspected brain abscess ..	1
tis suppurative	4	Nephrotomy for pyelo nephrosis ..	2
and drainage for adenitis		Nephrectomy for pyelo nephrosis ..	2
inguinal	1	Oophorectomy double and excision	
and drainage for fistula in		for ovarian cyst	1
ano	10	Ossiculectomy for necrosis of	
and drainage for empyæma		ossicles of ear	1
and drainage for hydroceph-		Osteotomy for genu varum	1
alus	1	for osteo-myelitis of femur ..	1
and drainage for hæmatoma		and curettage for necrosis	
of liver	1	of tibia	1
and drainage for mastoiditis		Pan hysterectomy for carcinoma	
and drainage for suppurative		of uterus	3
mastitis	1	for pyosalpinx double	1
for suppurative osteo-myeli-		for salpingitis and oopho-	
tis	1	ritis	1
for periostitis of rib	1	Perineal section for stricture of	
for periostitis of ulna	1	urethra	4
for counter drainage in		Perineorrhaphy anterior and pos-	
perinephritic sinus	1	terior colporrhaphy for prolapse	
and curettage for caries of		of anterior and posterior vaginal	
rib		walls	1
for adenitis inguinal	2	Plastic operation for contracture	
for abscess of exposed mas-		of arm due to burn	1
toid	1	for hare lip	1
for periostitis of tarsal bones	1	for intestinal fistula	1
for osteo-myelitis	1	for lacerated eyelid	1

Reduction of old dislocation of shoulder	1	Salpingo-oophorectomy double for pelvic inflammatory disease	1
Removal of foreign body in cornea of bullet and piece of bone for bullet wound of jaw ..	1	double for ovarian cysts...	1
Resection of ribs for empyema... of intestine for strangulated hernia	7	for inguinal hernia which consisted of pus tube...	1
of head of femur and curettage for tubercular hip ..	1	Suturing of tendons for severed tendons	2
Salpingo-oophorectomy for tumor of tube and ovary.....	5	Trachelorrhaphy and perineorrhaphy for relaxed vaginal outlet..	1
right for pelvic inflammatory disease	1	Trephining and removal of fragment for comp. depressed fracture of skull	1
	1	Urethrotomy internal for stricture	1

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Abortion, inevitable		1							1
Adeno-myoma of uterus		1		1					
Amenorrhoea		1						1	
Carcinoma of cervix	1	1		1		1			
“ “ uterus		4		3		1			
Cyst, dermoid		1	1	1			1		
Cystitis and pyelitis		1			1				
Eclampsia		4		4					
Endometritis		13	1	12	1	1			
“ and proctitis		1			1				
“ and relaxed vaginal outlet		1		1					
“ “ retroflexion	1			1					
Extra-uterine pregnancy		3		3					
“ “ and tubal abortion		2		2					
Fibroma of abdominal wall and pelvic inflammatory disease		1							1
Hæmatoma of ovaries and left salpingitis		1		1					
Hernia, post-operative		1						1	
“ umbilical		1		1					
“ “ and relaxed vaginal outlet		1		1					
Hydrosalpinx, double		1		1					
“ “ and cystic ovaries and endometritis		1		1					
Infancy	3	78		66			11	1	3
Intoxication of pregnancy		1		1					
Lacerated cervix and perineum		1		1					
Lacerated cervix and perineum and prolapse of anterior vaginal wall		1		1					
Miscarriage		7		7					
“ and uræmia		1					1		
Myoma of uterus		6		4					2
“ “ “ multiple		5		5					
“ “ “ and ovarian abscess		2		2					
Myoma of uterus and mitral and aortic regurgitation		1			1				
Ovarian cyst and appendicitis		2				1			1
Ovarian cyst and encysted peri- tonitis		1							1
Ovarian cyst and prolapse of ovary		1		1					
Papillomatous cyst		2		1		1			
Par-ovarian cyst		1		1					
Pelvic abscess		4	1	5					
“ inflammatory disease		9		6	1				2
“ tumor		1				1			
Phlegmasia alba dolens		1					1		
Pregnancy	4	86		76		7	1	1	5
“ and contracted pelvis		1		1					
“ “ eclampsia		1					1		
“ followed by post-partum eclampsia	1			1					

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Pregnancy and epilepsy followed by puerperal sepsis.....	1			1							
Premature infancy.....		1					1				
Prolapse of ovary.....		1		1							
“ “ “ relaxed vaginal outlet.....		1		1							
“ “ “ uterus.....		5		5							
“ “ “ and relaxed vag- inal outlet.....		1							1		
Prolapse and retroflexion of uterus, relaxed vaginal outlet and hydro- salpinx.....		1							1		
Prolapse of vagina, following hys- terectomy.....		1		1							
Puerperal infection.....		2							2		
Pyosalpinx.....	1	4		3		1	1				
“ double.....		1		1							
Recurrent carcinoma of clitoris.....		1		1							
“ glandular hyperplasia of uterus.....		1		1							
Rectocele and relaxation of vag- inal outlet.....		1		1							
Relaxed vaginal outlet.....		4		4							
“ “ “ and urethral caruncle.....		2		2							
Relaxed vaginal outlet, retroflexion and prolapse of uterus.....		1		1							
Retained fetus.....		1		1							
“ placenta.....		2		2							
“ products of conception.....		1		1							
Retroflexion of uterus.....		5		4	1						
“ “ “ adherent.....		1		1							
“ “ “ and multiple myomata.....		1		1							
“ “ “ and tear of cervix.....		1		1							
Salpingitis and endometritis.....		1		1							
Sepsis, puerperal.....		3		1			2				
Stenosis os uteri.....		1		1							
Subinvolution.....	1				1						
Tear through vaginal septum and prolapse of uterus.....		1		1							
Tubercular peritonitis.....		1			1						
Tumor of uterus.....		1					1				
“ “ vagina and ventral hernia.....		1							1		
Uterine polyp.....		1		1							
Vomiting of pregnancy.....		1		1							
No gynecological diagnosis.....		1					1				
	14	305		4	253	9	3	13	20	5	21

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GYNECOLOGICAL OPERATIONS IN MATERNITY WARD.

Amputation of cervix, perineorrhaphy and colporrhaphy, ventral suspension and salpingectomy for prolapse and retroflexion of uterus, relaxed vaginal outlet and hydrosalpinx.....	1
Anterior colporrhaphy and perineorrhaphy for prolapse of vagina, following hysterectomy.....	1
Colporrhaphy, ventral suspension and salpingectomy for prolapse and retroflexion of uterus, relaxed vaginal outlet and hydrosalpinx.....	1
Curettage for abortion, inevitable.....	1
“ for carcinoma of uterus.....	1
“ for endometritis.....	15
“ for miscarriage.....	2
“ for retained placenta.....	3
“ and removal of right ovary for endometritis and prolapse of ovary.....	1
“ and perineorrhaphy for rectocele and relaxation of vaginal outlet.....	1
“ and ventral suspension for endometritis and retroflexion.....	3
Dilatation of cervix and curettage for stenosis os uteri.....	1
Double salpingectomy, for hydrosalpinx, double.....	1
Excision of recurrent carcinoma of clitoris for recurrent carcinoma of clitoris.....	1
Excision of fibroma of abdominal wall and hysterio-salpingo-oöphorectomy for fibroma of abdominal wall and pelvic inflammatory disease.....	1
Exploratory laparotomy for peritonitis, tubucular.....	1
“ “ for papillomatous ovarian cyst.....	1
Herniotomy for hernia, umbilical.....	1
Herniotomy and perineorrhaphy for hernia, umbilical, and relaxed vaginal outlet.....	1
Hystero-salpingo-oöphorectomy for adeno-myoma of uterus.....	1
“ “ “ for extra-uterine pregnancy and tubal abortion.....	2
“ “ “ for hydrosalpinx, cystic ovaries and endometritis.....	1
“ “ “ for ovarian cyst and encysted peritonitis.....	1
“ “ “ for pelvic inflammatory disease.....	3
“ “ “ for pyosalpinx.....	5
“ “ “ for recurrent hyperplasia of endometrium.....	1
Hystero-myomectomy with double salpingo-oöphorectomy for myomata of uterus, double.....	11
Hystero-myomectomy with double salpingo-oöphorectomy for myomata of uterus and ovarian abscess.....	2
Hysterotomy and removal of fœtus for retained fœtus.....	1
Incision and drainage for pelvic abscess.....	1
Left salpingo-oöphorectomy and removal of part of right ovary for hæmatoma of ovaries and left salpingitis.....	1
Left salpingo-oöphorectomy for pelvic inflammatory disease.....	1
“ “ “ and release of adhesions for pelvic inflammatory disease.....	1

Myomectomy and ventral suspension for multiple myomata of uterus and retroflexion.....	1
Oöphorectomy and appendicitis for ovarian cyst and appendicitis.....	1
“ and suspension of right ovary for ovarian cysts and prolapse of right ovary.....	1
“ and perineorrhaphy for prolapse of ovary and relaxed vaginal outlet.....	1
Pan-hysterectomy for carcinoma of cervix.....	1
“ “ “ “ “ uterus.....	2
Perineorrhaphy for relaxed vaginal outlet.....	4
“ and removal of caruncle for relaxed vaginal outlet and urethral caruncle.....	2
Removal of cyst for dermoid cyst.....	1
“ “ “ “ papillomatous ovarian cyst.....	1
“ “ “ “ par-ovarian cyst.....	1
“ “ membranes for miscarriage.....	1
“ “ ovary for pelvic inflammatory disease.....	1
Release of adhesions for “ “ “.....	1
Salpingectomy for extra-uterine pregnancy.....	3
Salpingo-oöphorectomy for extra-uterine pregnancy.....	2
Trachelorrhaphy for lacerated crevix.....	1
“ perineorrhaphy and anterior colporrhaphy for lacerated cervix and relaxed vaginal outlet.....	1
“ perineorrhaphy and ventral suspension for prolapse of uterus.....	5
“ and perineorrhaphy for tear through vaginal septum and relaxed vaginal outlet.....	1
Vaginal puncture for pelvic abscess.....	3
“ “ pelvic inflammatory disease.....	2
“ hysterectomy and perineorrhaphy for prolapse of uterus and relaxed vaginal outlet.....	1
Ventral suspension for retroflexion of uterus.....	1
“ “ “ “ “ “ adherent.....	1
Ventral suspension and perineorrhaphy for retroflexion of uterus and lacerated cervix.....	1
Total.....	111

OBSTETRICAL OPERATIONS.

Breech presentations.....	4
Cæsarean section for pregnancy and contracted pelvis.....	1
Craniotomy “ “ “ “.....	1
Forceps.....	11
Induction of labor for eclampsia.....	1
Normal deliveries.....	55
Still births.....	5
Versions.....	1
Total.....	79

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN W. HUNT,

Assistant House Physician.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the Prudential Committee of the General Hospital of Connecticut :

GENTLEMEN—I herewith have the honor to submit to you the seventy-eighth annual report of your Superintendent for the year 1904.

There remained in the Hospital as patients January 1st, 1904: 94 males, 63 females, a total of 157; admitted during the year 1904, 1,035 males, 690 females, making a total of 1,725, plus those remaining at the commencement of the year makes a total of 1,882 treated. Of this number 1,034 were discharged cured, 395 improved, 41 unimproved, 28 were not treated, 234 died, and 160 remain under treatment January 1st, 1905. There were 72 births, 28 male and 44 female; also 9 still births, which are not included in the number of deaths.

The whole number of weeks treatment rendered was $8,549\frac{5}{7}$, of which $1,327\frac{5}{7}$ were occupied by town patients, receiving the benefit of the State appropriation at the rate of \$5.93 per week.

The average residence of each patient was $4\frac{1}{4}$ weeks. Deducting the patients supported by the Gifford Fund in the Home for Incurables the average residence of the remainder was 4 - weeks.

The patients admitted were from 93 different towns in this State and from six other States, over and above eight unknown; 1,033 were residents of New Haven.

The largest number of patients any one day was 192, the smallest number 138, the daily average 164 - ; the attendants and other inmates, not patients, average 136, making a total daily average of 300 - . Of these, $58\frac{8}{10}$ were the Superintendent of Training School, assistants, nurses, matron and maids of the Nurses' Home.

The Charity funds furnished support and treatment, wholly or in part, as follows :

	No. of Patients.	Weeks Occupied.	Daily Average.	Amounts received towards support.
Marett Fund.....	100	678 $\frac{3}{4}$	12.97—	\$ 207.08
Gifford “	27	1,195 $\frac{3}{4}$	22.87+	1,311.00
English “	14	93 $\frac{1}{2}$	1.78+	38.00

The ambulance responded to 600 calls during the year.

The current receipts, less amount refunded to patients, \$75,706.54: the current expenses, \$93,417.25; excess of expenses over receipts, \$17,711.31.

The average cost of supporting each patient in the Hospital was \$10.93— per week: the daily average cost of food for all inmates of the Hospital was 32.4¢. These items are made up as follows:

Total current expenses	\$93,417.25
Number of weeks of hospital care.....	8,549.00 $\frac{5}{8}$
Cash per week for patient	\$10.93—
Total cost of food.....	\$36,065.52
Average number of inmates, 300.	
Cost of food per inmate per day.....	.32 $\frac{4}{10}$ ¢

The accompanying balance sheet and tables give further details both of statistics and financial transactions.

It will be noted that our current expense is considerably larger than last year, but please note also that all expense of every nature has been included. The repairs and improvement item is a large one, but all has been figured in and nothing charged out as extraordinary. This work was imperative largely to preserve the buildings. I would further request you to note that while owing to the increased number of patients cared for, and the advance in price of many goods, our expenses have increased in most of the lines; our earnings, over and above the increase of State appropriation, have also increased to a considerable extent. Though we have given many more days' treatment, the deficit for 1904 falls below that of 1903 or 1902 by a considerable amount, and the cost of food per inmate also is below that of 1903 or 1902, although we have on hand and in storage, quite a quantity of butter,

rice, canned fruit, vegetables and tongue, which are paid for and are figured in the current expense account of 1904.

It has been thought wise to increase our house staff, also the nurses and supervisors of the Training School; and add to our working force four mechanics, hired by the month, rather than the employment of them by the day. These changes account for the increase of the attendants and others.

By re-arranging the work somewhat, I have been able to put on a night watchman who devotes his entire time to watchman's duties.

The providing of more accommodation for patients is imperative or it will be necessary for us to decline to admit persons presenting themselves for treatment. To-night, we not only have no vacant bed for a male patient in the open wards, but have crowded some of them by putting in extra beds, beyond what they should be. Our first duty is to the patients under our care rather than to those who may desire to come to us.

The necessity of more room in the laundry is beyond question and I understand is about provided for. The proposed changes in the isolating ward of our maternity building are demanded by the laws of isolation.

The suggested improvements on the upper floor of the north ward are needed unquestionably and would prove a source of income, as another private room would then be available.

The renewing and modernizing of the plumbing in the east and west wings would be very desirable and are almost, if not quite, necessary.

The personnel of the office and dispensary staff has changed completely since your last report, those who were with us at that time having left us for what they considered to be for their best interests. We have now A. R. Haury as chief clerk, R. A. Mannell as assistant, E. F. Hall as night clerk. It has been thought wise to establish a telephone exchange to facilitate business and remove the commotion from the main office. A. R. Leighton is the apothecary, and W. J. Beckwith his assistant. All are doing excellent work.

The old heads of departments are still with us: Miss E. L. Stow, superintendent of nurses; Mrs. H. M. Stevens, house-

keeper ; J. E. Brown, chef ; C. C. Steadman, chief engineer ; and L. J. Beers, chief of repairs. I desire to express my appreciation of their assistance to me on my assuming the position of superintendent.

To Mr. J. H. Starkweather, your valued retiring superintendent, I desire in this manner to acknowledge my obligation and indebtedness in the valuable and kindly assistance he has rendered me at all times.

Will you, gentlemen of the Prudential Committee, please accept my heartfelt thanks for the advice, assistance and encouragement it has been your pleasure to render me at all times.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES R. CODDINGTON,

Superintendent.

THE SUPERINTENDENT IN ACCOUNT WITH GENERAL HOSPITAL SOCIETY.

Dr.

To amounts received :

From balance	\$ 165.51
U. S. Marine patients	576.00
State Soldier "	526.49
Town "	5,370.87
Self-paying "	37,684.30
Marett Fund "	7,435.97
Gifford " "	13,067.03
English " "	1,020.30
State appropriation	10,000.00
Board	649.57
Sales	265.33
Sundries	170.18
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	\$76,931.55
Orders on Treasurer Gifford Fund	681.34
Orders on Treasurer	88,628.28
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\$166,241.17

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By amounts expended .

For Flour	lbs., 10,332	\$ 333.72
Meal and rice	" 9,308	404.64
Bread and crackers	" 52,275	1,785.19
Cake		
Butter	" 15,028	3,123.10
Cheese	" 463	49.75
Meat	" 100,930 $\frac{1}{2}$	12,109.54
Poultry	" 12,274 $\frac{1}{4}$	1,985.60
Fish and oysters	" 13,749	1,164.87
Vegetables and fruit		4,546.21
Eggs	doz., 10,850	2,727.19
Groceries		3,172.05
Milk	qts., 122,943 $\frac{1}{2}$	4,663.66
Ice	lbs., 487,160	974.32
Ale and liquors		3,484.62
Medicines		565.85
Instruments		2,125.56
Surgical dressings		2,966.81
Fuel	tons, 1,936	9,177.61
Gas	ft., 3,241,100	3,294.13
Water	g'ls., 5,724,814 $\frac{1}{2}$	461.60
Furniture and crockery		1,878.09
Cloths and bedding		3,304.43
Repairs and improvements		4,665.98

By amounts expended:

For Postage, printing and stationery	\$ 1,294.78
Barn and farm expenses	503.42
Boilers, machinery and tools	913.10
Salaries and wages	20,004.55
Soap and laundry supplies	744.31
Insurance	10.64
Sundries	1,992.53
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	\$93,417.85
Refunded to patients	1,059.50
Deposited with Treasurer	70,732.09
Gifford repairs and furnishing	681.34
Balance	350.39
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	\$166,241.17

APPENDIX

FUNDS OF THE SOCIETY

The only funds belonging to the Society the income of which is unrestricted are (1) the General Fund, which includes the following :

1874, Irene Larned Fund.....	\$ 5,000.00
1878, Nelson A. Hotchkiss Fund.....	5,000.00
1885, Mary A. Miller Fund.....	1,000.00
1890, Henry J. Prudden Fund.....	1,720.00
1894, Andrew L. Kidston.....	5,000.00
1898, Chas. S. and Julia H. Leavenworth.....	2,000.00
1900, Frank W. Benedict.....	1,000 00
1901, Circular Letter of July 1.....	21,798.00
1902, Circular Letter of Sept. 15.....	5,431.00
1903, Circular Letter of Sept. 15, 1902.....	10,360.00

and (2) the Annie R. Winchester Dye Fund, \$15,000.

The Maret, Gifford, and English Funds are Charity funds, and the income can only be used for the support of needy patients. They are of great assistance to the institution in meeting the demands upon it for strictly charitable work, but the income from them is not commensurate with those demands; much less do they make the Hospital independent. Indeed, every year emphasizes the need of further endowments of the same kind, if the ever increasing number of applications for assistance is to be met and treated as the cases require.

With regard to the Free Beds, it must be borne in mind that the income from the endowment of each bed is not sufficient to support a patient continuously throughout the year.

SECURITIES HELD BY THE TREASURER

GENERAL HOSPITAL SOCIETY OF CONNECTICUT

January 1, 1905.

GENERAL AND FREE BED FUNDS.

	Par Value.
19 Notes secured by mortgage	\$47,450.00
5 " secured by collateral	33,000.00
Bonds, Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Co., 5%	10,000.00
" Peoples Gas Light & Coke Co., Chicago, 5%	10,000.00
" Milwaukee Light, Heat & Traction Co., 5%	5,000.00
" Laclede Gas Light Company, 5%	5,000.00
" Cleveland Elec. Illuminating Co., 1st, 5%	20,000.00
" Cleveland Electric Railway Company, 5%	15,000.00
" N. Y. Gas & Elec. Light, Heat & Power Co., 4%	10,000.00
" N. Y. Central & Hudson R. R. R., 4% Debentures	2,000.00
" Adams Express Co., 4%	10,000.00
" Canada Southern R. R., 2d mortgage, 5%	1,000.00
" East Cleveland R. R. Co., 1st, 5%	1,000.00
" Leadville Water Co., 4%	1,500.00
" Second Ave. R. R., N. Y., consol., 5%	5,000.00
" Consumers Gas Co. (Chicago), 5%	1,000.00
" New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. Co., 3½%	1,000.00
150 Shares stock, Twin City Rapid Transit Co., Pfd.	15,000.00
700 " " N. H. County National Bank	7,000.00
100 " " Yale National Bank	10,000.00
56 " " Second National Bank	5,600.00
17 " " United Illuminating Co.	1,700.00

MARETT FUND.

3 Notes, secured by mortgage	\$18,000.00
Bonds, Minneapolis General Electric Co., 5%	5,000.00
" Western Union Telegraph Co., 4½%	5,000.00
" N. Y. Gas, Elec. Light, Heat & Power Co., 4%	2,000.00
" Connecticut Railway & Lighting Co., 4½%	20,000.00
" Danbury & Norwalk R. R., 5%	17,000.00
" Laclede Gas Light Co., St. Louis, 5%	5,000.00
" Rochester Railway Co., 5%	5,000.00
" Second Ave. R. R. Co., N. Y., 5%	5,000.00
" Southern N. E. Telephone Co., 1st mtg., 5%	7,000.00
" Louisville & Nashville R. R., unified 4%	5,000.00
" N. Y. Central R. R. (Lake Shore Coll. Trust), 3½%	10,000.00
" St. Louis, Iron Mt. & Southern R. R., 4%	2,000.00
100 Shares stock, Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago Ry.	10,000.00
100 " " Illinois Central R. R.	10,000.00
100 " " Oswego & Syracuse R. R.	5,000.00

25 Shares stock, Morris & Essex R. R.	\$1,250.00
31 " " N. Y., Lackawanna & Western Ry.	3,100.00
55 " " Ft. Wayne & Jackson R. R.	5,500.00
20 " " Grand River Valley R. R.	2,000.00
10 " " Second National Bank, New Haven	1,000.00

ELLEN M. GIFFORD FUND (LEGATEE FUND).

Bonds, Minneapolis General Electric Co., 5%	\$4,000.00
" Scioto Valley & New England R. R., 1st mtg., 4%	1,000.00
" Meriden Horse R. R. Co., 1st mtg., 5%	2,000.00
" State Line & Sullivan R. R., 1st mtg., 4½%	5,000.00
" Edison Electric Illuminating Co., Brooklyn, 4%	5,000.00
" Southern N. E. Telephone Co., 1st mtg., 5%	12,000.00
" Western Union Telegraph Co., 4½%	5,000.00
" Consolidated Electric Light Co. of Maine, 1st mtg., 5%	1,000.00
100 Shares Bank of the Manhattan Co.	5,000.00

ELLEN M. GIFFORD FUND (EXECUTOR FUND).

6 Notes, secured by mortgage	\$22,500.00
3 " secured by collateral	7,000.00
Bonds, Consolidated Gas Co. of N. Y., 6%	10,000.00
" Kings County Elec. Light & Power Co., 6%	10,000.00
" Brooklyn Union Gas Co., 6%	10,000.00
" Cleveland Elec. Illuminating Co., 1st mtg., 5%	10,000.00
" Adams Express Co., 4%	10,000.00
" Second Ave. R. R., New York, 5%	10,000.00
" Milwaukee Elec. Railway & Light Co., 5%	5,000.00
" Milwaukee Light, Heat & Traction Co., 5%	5,000.00
" Cleveland Electric Railway Co., 5%	7,000.00
" Edison Elec. Illuminating Co., Brooklyn, 4%	5,000.00
" Minneapolis General Electric Co., 5%	8,000.00
" Southern N. E. Telephone Co., 1st mtg., 5%	3,000.00
" New Haven Gas Light Co., 4% debentures (75% paid) ..	5,500.00
" United Illuminating Co., 1st mtg., 4%	4,000.00
" Meriden Horse R. R. Co., 1st mtg., 5%	3,000.00
330 Shares stock, N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R.	33,000.00
218 " " Cayuga & Susquehanna R. R.	6,540.00
100 " " Beech Creek R. R.	5,000.00
70 " " Ill. Central R. R., Leased Line	7,000.00
100 " " Morris & Essex R. R.	5,000.00
7 " " Oswego & Syracuse R. R.	350.00
5 " " Naugatuck R. R.	500.00
100 " " Amer. Exchange National Bank, N. Y.	10,000.00
14 " " Bank of New York, N. B. A.	1,400.00
3 " " First National Bank, N. Y.	300.00
366 " " New Haven County National Bank	3,660.00

ENGLISH FUND.

Bonds, N. Y. Gas & Elec. Light, Heat & Power Co., 4%.....	\$8,000.00
“ Cleveland Elec. Illuminating Co., 1st mtg., 5%.....	4,000.00
718 Shares stock, N. H. County National Bank.....	7,180.00

FITCH FUND.

2 Notes, secured by mortgage.....	\$20,000.00
Bonds, Northern Pacific—Great Northern R. R. (Joint), 4%...	6,000.00
“ St. Louis, Iron Mt. & Southern R. R., 4%.....	3,000.00
“ Cleveland Elec. Illuminating Co., 1st mtg., 5%.....	1,000.00
“ Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Ry. Co., 4%.....	16,000.00
“ Burlington, Cedar Rapids & Northern R. R., 5%.....	500.00
141 Shares stock, Mechanics Bank.....	8,460.00

ANNIE R. WINCHESTER DYE FUND.

Bonds, Edison Elec. Illuminating Co., Brooklyn, 4%.....	\$1,000.00
“ Milwaukee Light, Heat & Traction Co., 5%.....	5,000.00
50 Shares Amer. Exchange National Bank, N. Y.....	5,000.00

FUND FOR ELEVATOR.

New Haven Savings Bank Book.....	\$625.66
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We, the undersigned, hereby certify that we have examined the securities in the hands of the Treasurer, Charles E. Curtis, and find that they correspond with the foregoing list.

Dated January 21, 1905.

OLIVER S. WHITE, }
JOHN W. BRISTOL, } *Auditors.*

HOSPITAL SUNDAY DONATIONS, 1904.

From

Church of the Redeemer	\$229.33
Mrs. F. B. Dexter	25.00
United Church	350.00
St. Thomas's Church	100.28
St. John's Episcopal Church	16.29
Mrs. George Bronson Farnam	25.00
Strong, Barnes, Hart & Company	50.00
Trinity Church	242.02
Swedish Lutheran Church	5.50
Mrs. Ezekiel H. Trowbridge	50.00
T. A. Bostwick	2.00
Mrs. Harriet Atwater	10.00
Davenport Church	5.16
Christ Church, Guilford	10.75
Robert Morgan	25.00
Sheahan & Groark	10.00
Walter E. Crittenden	10.00
Dixwell Ave. Church	7.12
First M. E. Church	11.15
German Lutheran Trinity Church	7.00
Prof. E. S. Dana	20.00
Mrs. Eli Whitney, Sr.	25.00
Grand Ave. Congregational Church	13.22
Dwight Place Congregational Church	27.05
First Congregational Church, West Haven	9.09
Congregation Mishkan Israel	94.09
Humphrey St. Church	5.00
Calvary Baptist Church	14.79
Trinity M. E. Church	20.00
Plymouth Church	5.70
First German Baptist Church	3.00
Pilgrim Church	9.30
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	\$1,437.84

OTHER DONATIONS.

Dr. L. C. Sanford, for new ironing machine	\$150.00
Henry T. Blake	20.00
Mr. and Mrs. John Davenport Wheeler	100.00
Through Dr. Otto G. Ramsay	100.00
Through J. R. Coddington	100.00
City Mission Sunday School, for the children in the Hospital	5.00
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	\$475.00

From Hon. S. E. Merwin, to be added to the General Fund: a bond of the Leadville Water Co., par value \$500. And also a bond of the New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. Co., par value \$1,000, the income from which is to be used for the purchase of flowering plants and shrubs.

For Improvement of the Laundry Facilities.

" A Friend"	\$1,000.00
John W. Bristol	25.00
W. B. Fenn	25.00
Geo. D. Seymour	25.00
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	\$1,075.00

Legacies and Bequests.

From the Estate of Samuel Hitchcock	\$1,000.00
" " William E. Downes	970.00
" " Philo S. Bennett	700.00
" " Lucy S. Hitchcock	250.00
" " Sarah B. Harrison to establish three free beds	29,136.31
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	\$32,056.31

OTHER DONATIONS.*

RECEIVED AT THE HOSPITAL DURING THE YEAR 1904.

Publishers have kindly furnished the Hospital with the Connecticut *Republikaner*, the New Haven Daily *Palladium*, the New Haven Daily *Register*, the New Haven Evening *Leader*, the New Haven Morning *Journal and Courier*, the New York *Medical Journal*, the *Humane Journal*, *Our Dumb Animals*, the *Sunday Leader*, the *Connecticut Farmer*, *The Roof Tree*, and the *Dawn*.

BOOKS, PAPERS AND MAGAZINES.

From Dr. McQuade, Mrs. N. R. Hotchkiss, Mrs. C. A. Atwater, Mrs. James J. Horan, Mrs. H. Merriman Steele, Mrs. Augur, Miss Watson, M. F. Tyler, Mrs. Richard Everett, N. P. Sargent, A. E. Sened, Y. W. C. A., and the Grace M. E. Sunday School, Miss Haley's class.

CLOTHING, ETC.

From Mrs. George B. Stevens, Mrs. Francis Wayland, R. J. Minor, Mrs. Bond, Mrs. Punderford, Mrs. H. E. Smith, Mrs. Ullman, Hannah Hellia, Mrs. Keyes, Meigs & Co., Mrs. McCord, Mrs. Cosgrove, Mrs. Stewart, Dr. Carmalt, Mrs. Blakeslee, Mrs. C. H. Townsend, Mezeron Circle of King's Daughters, Howard Avenue Congregational Church, Ladies' Benevolent Society, Dwight Place Church, Sunshine Society, Society United Workers, Trinity Sunday School, Milford Branch Needlework Guild, Needlework Guild of New Haven; 492 pieces.

FROM HOSPITAL AID SOCIETY.

Mrs. J. B. Sargent, President; Mrs. S. D. Bowers, Mrs. James Denver, Mrs. John Marlin, Vice Presidents; Miss Emma F. Fitch, Secretary and Treasurer; Mrs. Elizabeth Ward, Mrs. Caleb Bowers, Mrs. L. Austin, Mrs. Henry Warner, Mrs. M. B. Mallory, Mrs. H. H. Johnson, Mrs. J. Gibb Smith, Miss Allen, Miss Rebecca Chapman, Mrs. Walter Judson, Mrs. E. Nicols, Mrs. M. L. Ford, Mrs. Herbert Smith, Mrs. Baldwin, Mrs. Barrett, Mrs. Adkins, Mrs. Woodruff, Mrs. Perkins, Mrs. Fife, Committee; 82 pieces.

*Owing to repeated changes in the office in 1904, this record may not be complete. No donation is intentionally omitted. All gifts are gratefully acknowledged.

KINDERGARTEN.

Kindergarten instruction for the children, by a competent teacher, has been furnished by the following named ladies during the year: Mrs. Ezekiel Trowbridge, Mrs. Nathan A. Baldwin, Mrs. J. E. S. Porter, Mrs. T. G. Bennett, Miss M. E. Scranton, Mrs. G. B. Farnam, Mrs. Francis Wayland, Miss Hillhouse, Mrs. J. B. Robertson, Mrs. Rutherford Trowbridge, Mrs. F. B. Dexter, Mrs. J. Davenport Wheeler, Mrs. Stephen Whitney, Mrs. Daniel C. Eaton, Miss Aphorp, Mrs. Francis Bacon, Mrs. Eli Whitney, Jr., Mrs. Justus S. Hotchkiss, Miss Rose Porter, Mrs. W. E. Downes, Mrs. Wm. W. Farnam, Miss Jane Daggett, Mrs. Timothy Cowles, also Prof. Henry W. Farnam, and other friends.

FRUITS AND FLOWERS.

From Mrs. Olive White, Mrs. C. J. Stewart, R. N. Bunnell, Mrs. N. W. Kendall, Mrs. Alex. K. Nimick, Jr., Dept. United Church, Flower Mission, South Kent, Conn.

FLOWERING AND FOLIAGE PLANTS.

For ornamenting the grounds during the summer, Gen. S. E. Merwin.

STEAMBOAT EXCURSION.

August 17th, taking about 135 patients, nurses and attendants for a sail upon the Sound, together with the provision of special refreshment for those remaining in the Hospital because unable to go, at the expense of the same kind friend who has bestowed the same favor for eleven previous years.

THANKSGIVING AND CHRISTMAS.

From Henry W. Farnam, \$45.00; Mrs. Geo. B. Farnam, \$25.00; Mrs. T. G. Bennett, 1 turkey, 2 boxes of oranges; Dr. T. H. Bishop, 2 boxes of oranges; Mrs. Francis Wayland, 1 goose, 6 chickens; Mrs. Stewart, 1 box of oranges, 1 case of jelly; Messrs. Strong, Barnes & Hart, 12 turkeys; Messrs. E. Schoenberger & Sons, 13 turkeys.

TOYS FOR THE CHILDREN.

From Mr. A. R. Leighton, Mr. Christopher Schwab, Miss Mary LaFontaine, Mrs. C. J. Stewart, Miss York, Holbrook and Margaret Bradley, Orchard Street School, Room 1, Miss Holbrook's School.

MISCELLANEOUS.

From Mrs. C. J. Stewart, 4 bottles water; Mrs. H. Merriman Steele, ice cream; Mrs. Blake, ice cream; Mrs. Bennett, 1 case of eggs; Hartford Comfort Powder Co., 9 shakers, 25 pounds of powder; Kleiner & Son, 1 wheel chair; Miss Grace Jacobs, 1 pair of crutches; Mr. Paul Meissner, 5 bottles of Harvard beer; Mrs. Stewart, \$100.00.

GENERAL STATISTICS

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Remaining in the Hospital Dec. 31, 1903	94	63	157
Admitted during the year 1904.....	1035	690	1725
Whole number treated	1129	753	1882
Of this number there have been discharged—			
Cured	594	440	1034
Improved	280	105	385
Unimproved.....	23	18	41
Died	154	80	234
Not treated.....	12	16	28
	1063	659	1722
Number remaining December 31, 1904.....	91	69	160
Total	1154	728	1882

MONTHLY ADMISSIONS.

FROM JANUARY 1, 1904, TO, DECEMBER 31, 1904.

January.....	117	August	151
February.....	147	September	141
March	171	October	160
April	148	November	131
May	154	December	137
June.....	124		
July.....	144	Total	1725

AGE AT TIME OF ADMISSION.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Under 15 years	93	84	177
From 15 to 20 years.....	136	80	216
20 to 30 ".....	239	164	403
30 to 40 ".....	164	107	271
40 to 50 ".....	196	78	274
50 to 60 ".....	132	65	197
60 to 70 ".....	51	24	75
70 to 80 ".....	24	21	45
80 to 90 ".....	8	4	12
90 to 100 ".....	27	28	55
Unknown	27	28	55
Total	1070	655	1725

NATIVITY OF PATIENTS ADMITTED.

Armenia	3	Ireland	196	Roumania	1
Austria	28	Italy	154	Russia	97
Canada	18	Japan	1	Scotland	10
Cuba	1	New Brunswick	1	South America	1
Denmark	13	Newfoundland	2	Sweden	44
England	50	Norway	7	Switzerland	4
Finland	2	Nova Scotia	3	Turkey	4
France	3	Poland	18	United States	964
Germany	64	Portugal	1	West Indies	1
Greece	2	Prussia	8	Unknown	24

Patients came from States, as follows :

Connecticut	1674	Pennsylvania	3
Maine	1	Rhode Island	4
Massachusetts	13	Unknown	8
Michigan	1		
New York	21	Total	1725

BIRTHS, 1904.

Male	28
Female	44
	— 72
Still	9
Total	81

TIME OCCUPIED BY THE SEVERAL CLASSES OF PATIENTS.

United States Marine patients	91 $\frac{5}{7}$	weeks.
State Soldier patients	70 $\frac{1}{2}$	“
Town patients	1317 $\frac{5}{7}$	“
Self-paying patients in wards	3943	“
Self-paying patients in private rooms	399 $\frac{6}{7}$	“
Free Bed patients	440 $\frac{2}{7}$	“
Marett Fund patients	678 $\frac{3}{7}$	“
English “	93 $\frac{1}{2}$	“
Gifford “	1195 $\frac{3}{7}$	“
General “	309 $\frac{4}{7}$	“
Total	8549 $\frac{5}{7}$	“

REPRESENTATION OF TOWNS AND VILLAGES IN CONNECTICUT.

Allingtoun	1	New London	5
Ansonia	50	New Milford	10
Bethany	1	New Preston	1
Bethel	2	Newtown	2
Branford	24	Niantic	2
Bridgeport	5	Noank	1
Campville	1	Norfolk	1
Cheshire	7	Noroton	2
Centerville	3	Northford	1
Clinton	6	North Haven	10
Colchester	1	Norwich	2
Cornwall	1	Old Lyme	1
Cornwall Bridge	3	Orange	5
Darien	1	Oxford	2
Derby	44	Plymouth	1
Durham	2	Portland	1
East Hampton	5	Quaker Farms	1
East Haven	4	Ridgefield	1
Essex	1	Roxbury	4
Fair Haven	13	Salisbury	1
Falls Village	1	Saybrook	2
Forestville	1	Seymour	25
Goshen	2	Sharon	1
Guilford	8	Shelton	10
Haddam	1	Southford	1
Hamden	10	Southington	15
Hartford	1	South Lyons	1
Hebron	1	South Norwalk	1
Higganum	1	Stonington	3
Highwood	7	Stony Creek	3
Huntington	8	Terryville	1
Kent	2	Thomaston	7
Killingworth	2	Torrington	27
Lakeville	1	Voluntown	1
Litchfield	1	Wallingford	18
Madison	1	Waterbury	31
Meriden	19	Watertown	1
Middlefield	1	Waterville	1
Middletown	4	Westbrook	3
Milford	10	West Cornwall	2
Monroe	1	West Haven	41
Montowese	4	Westville	10
Mt. Carmel	13	Whitneyville	8
Naugatuck	10	Willimantic	1
New Britain	1	Woodmont	3
New Haven	1035	Yalesville	4
Newington	1		

OCCUPATIONS.

Actor	1	Electrician	3	Peddler	9
Agent	6	Electric plater	1	Physician	3
Athlete	1	Engineer	21	Piano finisher	1
Baker	11	Expressman	1	Pilot	1
Barber	4	Farmer	37	Plumber	6
Bartender	13	File cutter	3	Policeman	1
Blacksmith	6	Fireman	10	Polisher	14
Boiler maker	5	Forelady	1	Printer	8
Bookkeeper	4	Foreman	4	Professor	1
Box maker	2	Foundryman	1	Promoter	1
Brakeman	38	Frame maker	1	Quack	2
Brass worker	5	Freight handler	1	Quarryman	3
Brewer	1	Furnace man	1	Rag dealer	1
Bridge builder	5	Gardener	4	Repairer	1
Broker	1	Gas Fitter	1	Rubber maker	10
Buffer	4	Grocer	3	Salesman	5
Butler	1	Gunmaker	7	Sawyer	3
Butcher	10	Harness maker	1	School boy	41
Cabinet maker	3	Helper	3	School girl	17
Candy maker	2	Horse dealer	1	School teacher	6
Car cleaner	1	Hostler	10	Sea captain	5
Carpenter	28	Housewife	341	Seaman	29
Carpet layer	1	Inspector	3	Seamstress	2
Cashier	1	Instructor	1	Servant	112
Caster	1	Iron worker	6	Sexton	1
Cement maker	1	Janitor	6	Shell sorter	1
Chambermaid	1	Junk dealer	2	Shipper	2
Chemist	3	Laborer	190	Shoemaker	3
Chipper	1	Laundryman	1	Steam fitter	3
Cigar maker	8	Light tender	1	Stoker	2
Clam digger	1	Lookout	1	Stone cutter	5
Cleaner	2	Lumberman	2	Store keeper	4
Clergyman	2	Machinist	25	Student	11
Clerk	36	Marine engineer	1	Superintendent	1
Cloakmaker	1	Mason	5	Switchman	2
Clock maker	5	Merchant	1	Teamster	22
Collector	2	Milkman	2	Telegrapher	2
Conductor	5	Mill hand	37	Tinsmith	2
Constable	2	Motorman	4	Tool maker	1
Contractor	2	Moulder	8	Truckman	1
Cook	12	Musician	3	Umbrella maker	1
Cooper	1	Newspaper man	2	Unknown	286
Core maker	2	Notary public	1	Upholsterer	2
Corset worker	2	Nurse	9	Waiter	3
Cutler	1	Orderly	13	Waitress	5
Demonstrator	1	Overseer	1	Ward maid	4
Dentist	2	Oysterman	3	Watchman	3
Draftsman	1	Painter	14	Wire worker	2
Dressmaker	4	Paper maker	3	Wood chopper	3
Driver	6	Pattern maker	3	Wheelwright	1
Druggist	1	Paver	1		

ANNUAL SUMMARY.

Years.	In Hospital at beginning of year.	Admitted during year.	Under care.	Discharged.	Died.	Remaining at the end of the year.	Daily average for the year.	Greatest No. on any one day.	Least No. on any one day.
1833-1867.....			4398						
1867-1868.....	37	220	257	207	20	30	34	45	22
1868-1869.....	30	266	296	235	30	31	40	53	27
1869-1870.....	31	308	339	271	33	35	38	48	24
1870-1871.....	35	303	338	256	32	50	41	56	30
1871-1872.....	50	328	378	270	48	60	51	70	34
1872, 8 months	60	319	379	275	28	76	60	78	44
1873.....	76	428	504	344	43	117	77	117	59
1874.....	117	408	525	361	47	117	99 $\frac{1}{2}$	125	83
1875.....	117	436	553	360	50	143	124 $\frac{1}{2}$	143	112
1876.....	143	382	525	339	45	141	136	165	116
1877.....	141	319	453	367	28	58	100	147	58
1878.....	58	336	394	285	38	71	69	93	57
1879.....	71	336	407	295	31	81	67 $\frac{3}{4}$	88	47
1880.....	81	440	321	373	56	92	81 $\frac{3}{4}$	92	72
1881.....	92	556	648	480	65	103	89	106	76
1882.....	103	605	708	516	96	96	106 $\frac{1}{2}$	122	89
1883.....	96	716	812	604	83	125	112	129	93
1884.....	125	748	873	642	107	124	115 $\frac{7}{10}$	136	100
1885.....	124	738	862	645	106	111	105	121	82
1886.....	111	786	897	691	96	110	113 $\frac{1}{2}$	127	97
1887.....	110	730	840	646	95	99	104	131	82
1888.....	99	772	871	642	119	110	103 $\frac{4}{10}$	125	86
1889.....	110	766	876	651	122	103	100 $\frac{7}{10}$	126	64
1890.....	103	774	877	671	111	95	101 $\frac{1}{2}$	122	81
1891.....	95	939	1034	799	118	117	103 $\frac{7}{10}$	126	90
1892.....	117	866	983	740	131	112	112 $\frac{4}{10}$	132	87
1893.....	112	871	983	742	119	122	121 $\frac{9}{10}$	142	101
1894.....	122	902	1024	777	131	116	113	131	91
1895.....	116	968	1084	843	135	106	111 $\frac{8}{10}$	132	95
1896.....	106	1034	1140	881	144	115	112	133	96
1897.....	115	1039	1154	902	139	113	118 $\frac{4}{10}$	137	101
1898.....	113	1170	1283	1016	146	121	123 $\frac{1}{2}$	241	89
1899.....	121	1083	1204	913	156	135	119 $\frac{7}{10}$	144	99
1900.....	135	1234	1369	1069	179	121	119 $\frac{3}{8}$	147	96
1901.....	121	1323	1444	1140	183	121	127	149	103
1902.....	121	1351	1472	1163	177	132	132 $\frac{1}{2}$	151	117
1903.....	132	1589	1721	1207	225	157	146 $\frac{1}{8}$	162	126
1904.....	157	1725	1882	1488	234	160	164	192	138
			36,308						

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF VISITORS

FOR THE YEAR ENDING JANUARY, 1905

To the Directors of the General Hospital Society of Connecticut:

GENTLEMEN:—The Board of Visitors take pleasure in reporting that in their visits to the Hospital during the past year, they have found the usual satisfactory conditions existing. While there have been individual cases of dissatisfaction and minor things to be corrected, as in every large institution, we feel that the work of the Hospital is showing constant improvement.

Besides the proper care and skilful treatment which the patients receive, we are also glad to notice that personal consideration for the peculiarities of the sick and individual kindness and sympathy is more frequently spoken of by them. We would heartily commend every effort to make the patients happy and contented as well as the receiving of proper medical and surgical treatment.

We would again express our satisfaction at the courteous way we have been received by the superintendent, nurses and housekeeper and their willingness to show us everything that was being done at all times when we have visited the Hospital.

WILLIAM A. BEARDSLEY, *Chairman.*
FREDERICK G. HOTCHKISS,
BERNARD E. LYNCH,
DAVID LEVY,
IRVING FISHER,
CHARLES O. SCOVILLE, *Secretary.*

THE REPORT OF THE BOARD OF LADY VISITORS

To the Directors of the General Hospital Society of Connecticut :

GENTLEMEN:—The Board of Lady Visitors submit their report for the year ending January, 1905. At the regular monthly meetings, reports of the visitors for the current months have been presented and discussed; and it is with great pleasure that the Board have noted their freedom from adverse criticism.

The housekeeping has been so well managed that the cleanliness and order so essential have been maintained with the very least inconvenience to the patients, who seem remarkably contented.

The summer outings and the Christmas celebration bring so much of cheer and happiness to the patients of this hospital, that donors and workers may all feel fully repaid.

Respectfully submitted,

EMILY D. SMITH, *Chairman.*
MARY D. TURLAY, *Secretary.*

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CONNECTICUT TRAINING SCHOOL FOR NURSES

PROSPECTUS

The Committee of the Training School for Nurses has an arrangement with the Authorities of the New Haven Hospital for training women desirous of becoming professional nurses. Application for the course of instruction should be made to the superintendent of nurses, and if approved by the executive committee the applicant will be accepted as a candidate. The applicant must be over twenty-three and under thirty-five years of age; and must present a certificate from a clergyman as to good moral character and from a physician as to health. A personal letter should accompany the application, giving briefly a history of her life for the past few years and her reasons and motives for desiring the education of a nurse. If such papers are satisfactory, the applicant will be received for three months' probation, and board, laundry and a room in the Nurses' Home will be furnished.

The course of training is three years. After the first three months an allowance of \$150 for the entire period will be given. This sum is in no way intended as wages, the course of instruction being considered ample remuneration for services. Several uniforms with a certain number of aprons will be furnished if the probationer is accepted at the end of the probation term. The allowance is given to supply text-books and whatever may be necessary to keep the nurse neat and tidy in dress during the three years in training. The last nine months she will be expected to take such positions as the Committee may assign her, either in the Hospital or in outside practice.

Nurses will be under the authority of the superintendent of nursing, and subject to the rules of the Hospital. The superintendent will have full power to decide as to their fitness for

the work and the propriety of retaining or dismissing them within the three months of trial. They will receive a thorough practical training in the medical and surgical wards for men and women, and in the private ward, which especially fits them for work in private houses. A good obstetrical training is obtained in the maternity building, each nurse having the entire care of at least six cases, and each nurse is on duty from four to six weeks in the Farnam operating building. A course in massage and electrical treatment is given by a professional teacher from New York.

The probationers upon entering the school come immediately under the personal supervision of one of the assistant superintendents, who gives instruction in details and methods of routine work; care of utensils; preparation of the simpler treatments and surgical supplies; the arrangement of trays and serving of food; dusting and cleaning; ventilation of rooms for the sick; and in general, such teaching as will prepare them to begin the care of patients. Special instruction is given in invalid cookery, which includes, besides broths, gruels and cereals, foods required by those returning to health, and foods required in special diseases.

An excellent course of lectures is given by the members of the Hospital staff and other well-known medical educators connected with Yale University. Text-book and bedside instruction with frequent demonstrations are given by the superintendent and her assistants. Head nurses in the various wards assist in bedside instruction.

The day nurses are on duty from 7 A. M. to 8 P. M., but are allowed for rest and recreation one-half day each week, four hours on Sunday and two hours on all other days.

Extreme care will be taken in the selection of nurses; only those best fitted for the work will be retained. Nurses will be dismissed at any time in case of misconduct or inefficiency, with the approval of the Committee of the Training School. Three vacations of two weeks each will be given during the course. When the full term is completed and examinations satisfactorily passed, a diploma and the badge pin of the school will be given. Positions may be found for those wishing to remain in hospital work.

APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION TO THE
CONNECTICUT TRAINING SCHOOL FOR NURSES.

QUESTIONS TO BE ANSWERED BY CANDIDATE.

1. What is your full name?
2. What is your age?
3. State the place and date of your birth?
4. What is your height?
5. What is your weight?
6. Are you single, married, divorced or a widow?
7. If married, divorced or a widow, have you children, and if so, how many, and what ages?
8. Have you any one dependent on you for support?
9. Are you otherwise free from responsibility so that you are not liable to be called away?
10. Have you any physical defects?
11. Are your eyesight and hearing perfect?
12. Have you had any disease of the lungs, or have you any tendency to pulmonary complaint?
13. Have you had quincy or diphtheria?
14. Have you any uterine disease?
15. What illnesses have you had?
16. Have you always been strong and healthy?
17. Have you a knowledge of arithmetic, including fractions and percentage?
18. In what schools and places were you educated, and state what your advantages have been?
19. What is your present occupation, if any, and what have been your previous pursuits?
20. Have you been in any training school or employed in any hospital or asylum? If so, when, where and how long in each place? Have you nursed in private families?
21. Give the names and addresses of two persons, not your relatives, and state how long each has known you. If previously employed, one of them must be your last employer?

Having read, clearly understanding, and fully agreeing to the conditions of admission, I declare the above statement made by me to be correct; and if accepted as a candidate will in all respects comply with all the regulations of the school and hospital.

Signed (Name of candidate in full).

Post office address.

Nearest telegraph address.

Date.

