

# THE HOSPITAL REVIEW.



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*INTERESTS OF THE SICK AND SUFFERING*  
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### Hospital Notes.

In September and October the Out-Patient Department received 307 patients, who made 705 visits to the Hospital. The number of treatments and prescriptions was 601.

The event of the past month at the Hospital was the meeting of the graduated nurses and the formation of the Alumnæ Association, which took place on October 13th. Miss Cunningham, whose pioneer work as a visiting nurse, is being watched with interest by physicians and nurses throughout the country, was elected president for the coming year. A report of the proceedings will be found elsewhere, also a brief report of Miss Cunningham's work up to the present time.

Constant additions to the Training School have filled all the rooms set aside for the nurses to overflowing, and it has become necessary to place some of the smaller rooms of the Mansard at the disposal of those who cannot possibly be accommodated elsewhere. The separate house for the nurses daily becomes more of a necessity, but the building fund has not increased in proportion to hospital needs. Who will assist in this important work?

The annual meeting of the managers, formerly held in October, will henceforward take place in January, simultaneously with the meeting of the directors; the report which has usually been printed in the November issue of the REVIEW will therefore not be ready until the beginning of the new year.

A complete apparatus for the X-Ray experiments has recently been given by a friend for use in the Hospital. This has now become a necessary adjunct in surgical work, and the want of it has been greatly felt. A suitable place for the experiments is being prepared in the basement, and the necessary alterations will be completed in a short time.

A sewing club of eight members has been formed in Penn Yan, the object of which is to work for the Hospital. Materials have been purchased, and the members, who manifest much interest and enthusiasm, hope to send in the finished garments by Christmas time. The chairman of the club is Mrs. H. G. Lapham.

There is only room for passing mention of the rooms recently finished and waiting for furniture, which it is hoped some of the many kind friends of the Hospital may feel moved to provide. The first step in this direction has been taken by the Third Presbyterian church, which, through the kindly efforts of Mrs. Richard D. Harlan, has undertaken the furnishing of a pleasant room in the northeast corner of the building, which will soon be ready for use.

Several of the Twigs have already done excellent work in furnishing the rooms which bear their names, and it has been suggested that those not yet represented may be glad to do likewise. The four rooms still remaining may be furnished at a cost of \$35 each.

The afternoon tea given by Mrs. William S. Ely in October, afforded an opportunity for all the graduated nurses of the City Hospital now in Rochester, to meet Miss Palmer, Superintendent of the Hospital. Forty-five of the nurses were able to avail themselves of the invitation, and were present with the managers and other friends of the institution.

### **The Donation.**

The president of each Twig is requested to send a representative to Fitzhugh Hall at 10 o'clock on the morning of Tuesday, December 1st, to meet the Committee on Arrangements, and to decide upon the position of booths, tables, etc., for the Donation.

The corrected list of Twigs and their respective booths, representing "The Festival Days of the Year," is given below :

New Year Day booth, Fourth Twig; Lincoln's Birthday booth, Columbian Twig; St. Valentine's Day booth, Splinters; Washington's Birthday booth, Morning Twig; May Day booth, Parent Stem and "Properly Bent" Twig; Fourth of July booth, Hemlock Twig and First Graft; Thanksgiving Day booth, First Twig; Christmas Day booth, Second Twig.

It is scarcely necessary to mention the fact that dinner and supper will be served on both days of the Donation, the ladies of the various city churches taking charge of the tables as usual. Everyone knows how good these dinners and suppers are, and that they recommend themselves better than any words of praise can do. In the evening there will be general dancing.

### **Chairmen, Please Take Notice.**

Chairmen of Committees, Secretaries of Twigs, and any others who make out the lists of articles received for booths or refreshment tables at the Donation, are requested to assist a struggling editor by observing the following suggestions :

1. Write only on one side of the paper :
2. After the name of each donor, write *all* the articles she furnishes.
3. Give name and address of Chairman.
4. Send the lists to Mrs. J. P. Varnum, 37 Rowley street, not later than Wednesday, December 9th, in order that they may appear in the Donation number of THE REVIEW.

### **Thanksgiving.**

Will the generous friends who usually remember the Hospital at this time, and any others who intend to send in Thanksgiving offerings, be so good as to send them at an early day. All such gifts will be most gratefully received.

### **The Mary Bed.**

Mrs. Perkins will continue to receive all subscriptions for the Mary Bed at present. There will also be an opportunity given to all the Marys to give special offerings for this fund at the time of the annual donation—and for those who have not yet paid in their annual subscriptions, to do so at that time.

### **Alumnae Association.**

The readers of THE REVIEW may be interested to know that a meeting of the graduated nurses of the Rochester City Hospital was held in July, when it was decided to disband as a Trained Nurses' Association, and reorganize as an Alumnae Association, and a committee was appointed to draft a constitution.

On October 13th another meeting was held at the City Hospital, and was attended by over fifty City Hospital graduates, several of whom came from other cities to attend the meeting.

The constitution was voted upon and the following officers elected :

- Miss J. J. Cunningham, President.  
 Miss Eva Seymour, first Vice-President.  
 Miss N. B. Cowles, second Vice-President.  
 Miss S. L. Laird, Recording Secretary.  
 Miss C. M. Ayers, Corresponding Secretary.  
 Miss M. R. Doyle, Treasurer.

The purpose of the association is to establish a sick benefit fund, and by regular meetings to promote mutual improvement and sociability.

S. L. LAIRD, Recording Secretary.

The Children's Pavilion is once more in order, and the children are happy in being "at home" again.

### Contributions for October, 1896.

The temple—Flowers.  
Mrs. Geo. Forrester Johnston—Box of infant's clothing and shoes.  
Mrs. Alden—Churchman, one year.  
Mr. James Brackett—Old linen.  
L. Bloch—Box of flowers.  
Mrs. W. E. Hoyt—Old linen, seven towels.  
S. A. Hosmer—One bushel sweet potatoes.  
Judge Danforth—Five barrels of apples.  
Thaddeus Newell—Twenty magazines.  
Mrs. Isengarten—German papers.  
S. A. Hosmer—One bushel of apples.  
United Jewish charities—Thirty-three night shirts, one flannel jacket, one linen coat, one colored shirt.  
Margueritte A. Ely—Child's dressing gown.  
Sibley, Lindsay & Curr—Magazines.  
S. A. Hosmer—Six barrels of apples.  
Mrs. Moses, Frost avenue—Magazines for children's pavilion.  
R. H. Hoffheinz—Illustrated papers, three packs of cards.  
Dr. F. A. Mandeville—Several baskets of drugs, instruments, apparatus for out patients.  
Mrs. A. E. Mock—One dozen table knives.  
Parent stem—Thirteen pillow cases.  
First Twig—Six napkins, ten towels.  
Columbian Twig—Two surgical night dresses, thirteen pillow cases.

### Hospital Report.

OCTOBER, 1896.

Number of patients in Hospital Oct. 1, 1896.....	70
Births during October.....	4
Admitted during October.....	97
	171
Number discharged during October, 1896.....	82
Deaths during October.....	7
Number in Hospital November 1, 1896....	82
	171
Lowest number during October.....	65
Highest number during October.....	92
Daily average number during October....	81
Number of hospital days during October.....	2518

### DIED AT THE ROCHESTER CITY HOSPITAL.

Oct. 1—Mrs. Mary Sansbury...	Aged 25 years
" 7—Frank J. Williams.....	" 34 "
" 15—Mrs. Anna Link.....	" 39 "
" 19—Lucy B. McMaster.....	" 44 "
" 21—Allen E. Rice.....	" 27 "
" 25—Mrs. August W. Snider.....	" 43 "
" 25—Mrs. Ellen E. Elliott....	" 63 "

N. B.—Of the above, two died within thirty-six hours after arrival.

### Report of Surgical Pavilion.

OCTOBER, 1896.

BY WESLEY T. MULLIGAN, M. D., House Surgeon.

Number of operations during October.....	92
" " patients.....	71
" " operators.....	20

### Training School Report.

OCTOBER, 1896.

Number of black bands given.....	3
Applications for circulars.....	35
Candidates received on probation.....	7
Probationers accepted.....	3
Probationers not accepted.....	3
Visits made by district nurses.....	74
Number of pupils in training.....	31

### Ambulance Report.

BY R. BRUCE GAMBLE, M.D., Ambulance Surgeon

Total number of runs during October.....	78
Transferred to Rochester City Hospital....	47
" " St. Mary's Hospital.....	1
" " County Hospital.....	1
" " Police Headquarters.....	1
" " Morgue.....	1
Cases not treated or taken.....	5
Transferred to homes or stations.....	22
Number of ordinary calls.....	36
" " hurry ".....	42

### Treasurer's Report.

CASH DONATIONS.

In memory of Miss Mary Ann Hunter, born Nov., 1804, died Oct., 1894..... \$ 10.00

ENDOWMENT FUND FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN.

Acknowledged to Nov. 1st.....\$2,625.92

FOR THE MARY BED.

Mrs. Mary Greenfield, New Brighton, Staten Island..... .50  
Miss Mary Cuming, New York..... .50  
By Mrs. Edward M. Smith.

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MRS. H. G. DANFORTH, Ass't Treasurer.

### Receipts for the Review.

OCTOBER, 1896.

Mrs. Asher Beir, 65c.; Mrs. J. R. Burton, 65c.; Dr. D. G. Hastings, 65c.; Mrs. W. P. Lamb, 65c.; Miss M. W. Montgomery, 65c.; Mr. S. B. Perkins, 65c.; Mrs. J. Sargent, 65c.; Mrs. C. F. Weaver, 65c.; Mrs. F. A. Ward, 70c.; Mrs. W. C. Bush, 65c.; Mrs. W. C. Barry, 65c.; Mr. J. H. Howe, 65c.; Dr. W. B. Jones, 65c.; Mr. A. P. Little, 65c. By Miss Messenger.....\$ 8.85  
L. A. Jeffreys, adv., \$10.00; C. E. Morris, adv., \$5.00; J. A. Seel, adv., \$5.00; Miss E. I. Hollister, 65c.; Mrs. L. L. R. Pitkin, 65c.; Salter Bros., adv., \$5.00; Miss F. H. Bryan, Phila., \$5.00. By Treasurer..... 27.80

LYDIA RUMSEY, Treasurer.

56 SOUTH UNION ST., Oct. 29, 1896.

DEAR EDITOR: Thinking the readers of THE REVIEW might like to hear how Visiting Nursing is succeeding, I make a short report of my work from July 1st to Oct. 29th. During that time I have had twenty-six calls, have spent eleven days and twenty-five nights with patients. I made two hundred and sixty-four day visits and attended eleven operations and five obstetrical cases.

In connection with my work I have started a diet kitchen, where Koumiss can be obtained at any time, and where beef juice, broths, gruels, jellies, and in fact any diet for the sick will be prepared when ordered.

Very sincerely yours,

J. J. CUNNINGHAM.

For the Doctors.

Old Mrs. M——, who was seriously ill, found herself to be in a trying position, which she defined to a friend thus: "You see, my daughter Harriet married one o' these homeypath doctors, and my daughter Kate an allypath. If I call in the homeypath my allypath son-in-law an' his wife will git mad, an' if I call in my allypath son-in-law then my homeypath son-in-law and his wife will git mad, an' if I go ahead an' git well without either o' em, then they'll both be mad, so I don't see but I've got to die outright."—*Detroit Free Press.*

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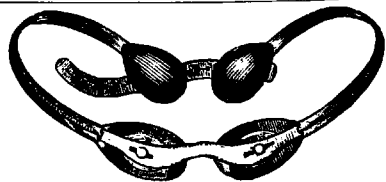
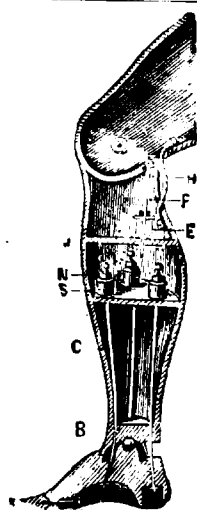
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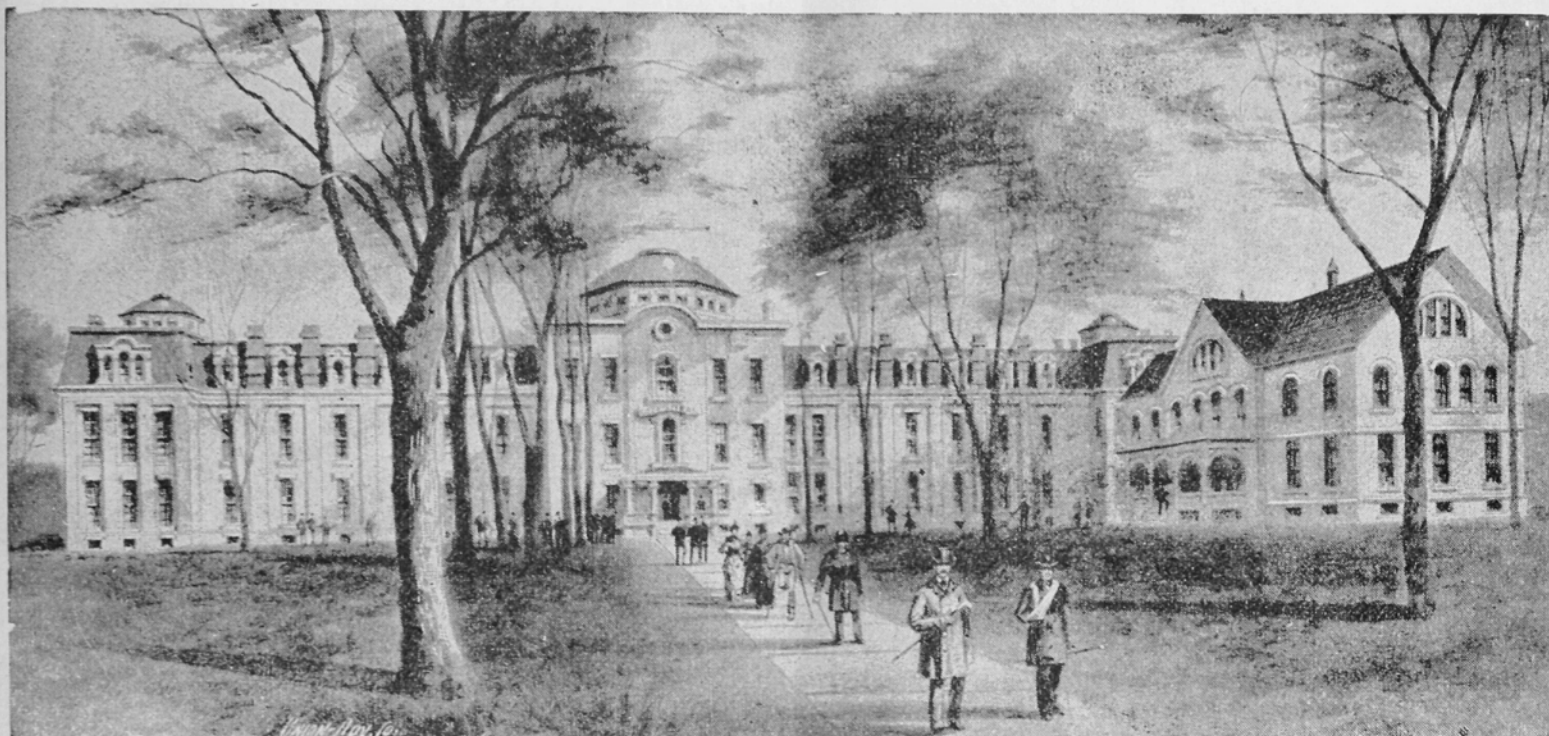
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## The Hospital Donation.

Another Donation has been added to the long list of successful enterprises undertaken by the Managers of the City Hospital, the result of which may be better calculated by a reference to the columns of figures in another part of the REVIEW—figures which are convincing evidence of the generosity of the people of Rochester, and a promise of bright prospects for the coming year. Even those who were the most hopeful before the Donation took place, are astonished at the magnitude of the sum realized. As one of the daily papers said "it broke all records," and those who have thrown themselves, heart and soul, into City Hospital work are jubilant in the knowledge that fifteen thousand dollars have been added to the treasury.

December 3d and 4th dawned bright and cold, and as smiling skies and clean streets are important factors in bringing out the general public, there was no doubt, from the start, that Fitzhugh Hall would be visited by many hundreds of persons during the two days, and the event fulfilled the prophecy of the most sanguine. The decorations and general arrangements were carried out

by skillful hands, and the effect produced was most satisfactory. Every detail of work is now so thoroughly systematized and apportioned among the twigs, that the wheels move smoothly, without jar or disturbance, and under the direction of Mrs. Arthur Hamilton, Chairman of the entertainment committee, each Twig took hold of its own department of work—all combining to provide a feast for the eyes, as well as good cheer for the inner man. Would that our pocket-books were as deep as our sympathies! How gladly would we have carried away scores of dainty fancy articles or stores of appetizing dishes! It would require an able pen to describe the attractive scene which opened before the spectator on entering the hall. On either side the booths, draped with snowy white, decorated with holly and evergreens and affording a most effective back-ground for the display of the pretty things offered for sale—farther on the refreshment tables, spread with spotless linen, sparkling glass and silver, and bright flowers, and back of all, seen only in imagination, but making its presence quietly felt, the kitchen—tranquil in the possession of the name appropriately bestowed a year ago—that "Peaceful Valley" over which

presided two of the managers, Mrs. Max Landsberg and Mrs. Louis C. Chapin, assisted by Mrs. Avery and Mrs. Gilman.

The booths represented the "Festival Days of the Year," the names or posters for which had been painted by Miss Mary Dodds. These were so original and clever in execution and design as to call forth many admiring exclamations.

The "Parent Stem"—first of all the societies to organize as a guild working for the hospital—had taken two booths under its protecting shadow, the May Day booth, where flowers were sold, with the assistance of the "Properly bent" Twig, and the refreshment booth where the "Chips of the Old Block" took part in the sale of ice-cream and lemonade. The poster for the May Day booth showed a group of frolicsome children circling round a May-pole—fourteen jolly youngsters in the national dress of fourteen different countries. The garden of flowers for sale at this booth, almost made one forget the month of December, but not for long, for just next door was the Christmas booth, which the ladies of the Second Twig had decorated for the holiday season, and where all manner of attractive fancy articles were offered for sale. The lamp and candle-shades were particularly admired. A jovial Santa Claus was depicted on the poster for this booth, just about to pop down the chimney with his well-filled sack. Next came the Washington's Birthday booth, in charge of the Morning Twig. The decorations here were in red and white—the colors of the Washington coat-of-arms. Miniature (Jerusalem) cherry trees and the accompanying hatchet, beside all sorts of useful articles were sold here. A "Special Sale" of "United States Metal Polish" deserves particular mention, as it was "warranted to cleanse anything, from a rusty bicycle to a tarnished reputation." The calm face of the Father of his Country looked out from the poster above this booth, surrounded by the American flag, and the quotation "First in War, first in Peace, and first in the hearts of his Countrymen." The Thanksgiving booth was next in the line, and had been provided by the First Twig with such a tempting display of good things to eat, that the great turkey strutting toward you in the poster overhead, seemed bursting with pride at the prospect. This booth was decorated with all the fruits of the earth, and here delicious cakes, pies and every variety of cooked food was for sale. On the opposite side of the hall was the Fourth of July booth, where the members of the Hemlock Twig sold sweets of different kinds—candy and perfumes—besides some wonderful Chinese peanut dolls, and great fire-crackers, which contained nothing more hurtful than candy. Subscriptions to the Cripple Fund were also received here, and a good round sum was added to the treasury from these receipts. The name for this booth was a design in fire-crackers and a glorious burst of fire-works,

from the center of which stepped unharmed the "Spirit of '76" a jaunty young *vivandière*. The Lincoln Birthday booth, appropriately given into the hands of the Columbian Twig, made a specialty of dolls, though many other useful and attractive novelties were displayed here. A life-like presentment of President Lincoln appeared in a wonderful doll, made by Mrs. Howard Osgood, so natural that it seemed as if the good man had presided there in person. The St. Gaudens Statue of Lincoln in Chicago was represented on the poster over this booth, with the Emancipation Proclamation, flags, and other patriotic devices. The First Graft having charge of the New Year booth, offered a tempting array of home-made candy. The poster for this booth exhibited a life-like portrait of Emanuel Jacobbitz, newspaper carrier 175, delivering his "Carrier's Address" at a comfortable home, and at one side a wreath of mistletoe from which this same little fellow's smiling face looked out, a merry embodiment of the young year 1897. "Halloween" completed the list of booths, and here the "Splinters" reigned supreme over a display of toys, games, fancy work, etc, and a Wheel of Fortune which was suitably mysterious. The Halloween poster was a marvel of ingenuity, which well repaid a careful study of its many details. The pile of grinning jack o'lanterns, the charming young woman with her mirror, and the young man necessary to complete the spell; the cats, witches, and tiny green goblins perched in the trees made up a combination full of uncanny suggestions.

Miss Dodds is entitled to great praise for her excellent work, and her friends will be glad to learn that many orders have come to her as the result of her posters.

The frame table deserves special mention for the beautiful work done by the members of the Fourth Twig, who prepared the frames and calendars—those designed for the different Universities, with appropriate emblems and colorings being much sought for.

The treasurer's table was in its usual place with Mrs. William H. Perkins and Mrs. Danforth in charge, and Miss Rumsey taking subscriptions for the REVIEW. That wonderful black box—the Treasurer's mascot—was taxed to its utmost to contain the money and checks poured into its capacious depths. One donation of five dollars was paid in by Master Gilman C. Perkins, the proceeds of a garden which he planted himself, and from which he sold the vegetables for the benefit of the Cripples' Fund. The coffee and oyster table under the supervision of Mrs. Oscar Craig, occupied a convenient position in the center of the room, and the dining tables which are one of the most important features of the Donation, filled the rest of the hall. These were in charge of the ladies from the different city churches; on Thursday, the

Brick church, St. Luke's, Christ church, the Third Presbyterian and St. Peter's were each represented by several tables, and on Friday the First Presbyterian, Central, and the Park Avenue Baptist churches served dinner and supper. For the excellent results obtained from booths and refreshment tables our readers are again referred to the list of receipts.

Myering's orchestra furnished the music for dancing on both Thursday and Friday nights, and many persons availed themselves of the opportunity for "just one more turn," where good music, an even floor, agreeable partners, and picturesque surroundings added so much to the pleasure of the evening. Altogether the Donation may be voted an unqualified success. Only those who take part in the work, know the time and thought expended on it before hand, and the fatigue consequent upon the labor of acting as chairman of a booth or waitress at a Church table, but how cheerfully it is undertaken year after year at the bidding of "Sweet Charity," and now every one concerned rejoices to know that all have done what they could to further the interests of one of the city's noblest institutions.

## DONATIONS

FOR

### Refreshments and Fancy Tables.

**St. Luke's Church Tables.**—Mrs. J. O. Howard, Chairman, assisted by Mesdames Jas. Chamberlain, Wm. Murphy, Edward Williams, Geo. Williams, Geo. Merchant, E. Almy, Wm. Rebasz, Jr., Sarah Kerr.

Waitresses, Mrs. Walter Howard, Misses Helen Williams, Belle Backus, Fanny Whittlesey, Mamie Harrison, Alice Pool, Bertie Cobb, Clara Jennings, Caroline Wolcott, Agnes Raines, Mary Dodds, Eleanor Merchant.

Mrs. John C. Moore, ham.  
Mrs. Chas. E. Fitch, turkey.  
Mrs. W. G. Mitchell, Saratoga chips.  
Mrs. Geo. Merchant, 2 club cheese.  
Mrs. C. B. Rebasz, celery.  
Mr. C. E. Morris, Japanese napkins.  
Mrs. J. Z. Newcomb, cranberries.  
Mrs. Edward Frost, 2 lemon pies.  
Miss Sarah Frost, sponge cakes.  
Mrs. Eastman, celery.  
Mrs. Wm. M. Rebasz, Jr., olives.  
Mrs. Jas. R. Chamberlain, cranberry and mince pies.  
Mrs. Thomas Hawkes, 2 ducks.  
Mrs. E. F. Brewster, salad.  
Mrs. G. W. Williams, pickles and jelly.  
Mrs. Alfred Ely, salad and charlotte russe.  
Mrs. Hattie Bemis, cake and celery.  
Mrs. Cameron, 2 pies.  
Mesdames Walter Howard, J. H. Pool, lobster salad.  
Mrs. Rowley, pumpkin pies.  
Mrs. H. P. Brewster, 2 charlotte russe.  
Mesdames Hart, W. Whittlesey, rolls.  
Mesdames H. C. Brewster, A. J. Cuming, charlotte russe.  
Mrs. E. Almy, chicken pie.  
Mesdames Jas Wolcott, Foster Warner, 2 ducks.  
Mrs. Jas. O. Howard, wine, jelly and fruit.  
Mesdames John Rochester, C. B. Potter, Clinton Rogers, turkey.  
Mrs. Josiah Anstice, 2 ducks.  
Mrs. Wm. Churchill, charlotte russe.  
Mrs. Mary E. Chapin, 2 mince pies.

Mrs. Wm. Murphy, 2 ducks.  
Mrs. H. F. Montgomery, olives.  
Mrs. Gilman Perkins, turkey.  
Mrs. Howard Osgood, celery.  
Mrs. Jas. Harrison, rolls.  
Miss Laura Hawkes, turkey.  
Mrs. Gillis, rolls.  
Miss Allen, 6 pounds sugar.  
Mrs. Van Voorhis, cake.  
Mrs. Dr. Moore, Sr., cranberries.  
Mrs. Thomas Raines, charlotte russe.  
Mr. Charles Gyer, fruit.  
Mr. Glenn, \$10.  
Mrs. F. Gorton, \$1.  
Miss Carrie Rochester, \$1.  
Miss M. Bellows, 50c.  
Mrs. Howard Osgood, Sr., \$2.  
Mrs. Dwight Knapp, \$1.  
Mrs. Jas. F. Pool, 50c.  
Mrs. Jas. Whitney, \$1.  
Mrs. Dr. Little, \$1,  
Miss Allen, 50c.  
Mrs. P. Ely, \$1.  
Mrs. Henry Anstice, \$2.  
Mr. John Greenwood, \$1.  
Proceeds, \$104.07.

**Brick Church Table.**—Mrs. Edw. Phillips, Chairman, assisted by Mrs. Lansing Wetmore, Mrs. A. V. Smith, Mrs. John Cook, Mrs. S. B. Williams, Mrs. Ingmire, Mrs. E. A. Webster, Mrs. Emma Williams, Mrs. C. B. Hudson, Mrs. Fred Heughes, Mrs. C. E. West, Mrs. E. M. Upton, Mrs. H. R. East, Mrs. Knapp, Mrs. Muir.

Waitresses, Misses Shaw, Upton, Eddy, Hyatt, Weaver, Davis, Smith, Stuart, Scrantom, Ferguson, McGowan, Campbell, Wilson, Gibbons, Teal, Curtis, Robinson, Howe, Hamlin, Hallock, Thayer, West, Phillips, Chapin, Wetmore.

Mr. H. W. Hewer, Mesdames Hamlin, Upton, Angle, Webster, Sam, Williams, turkeys.

Mesdames McKelvey, Ed. Leary, Whitcomb, East, ducks.

Mathews & Servis, 1 box cigars.

John Wright, 1 box candy.

Mesdames J. A. Smith, Connolly, Julia Denio, Mackie, Kellogg, Knapp, Miss Upton, pies.

Mesdames Cook, Upton, Mathews, Kentner, Truesdale, France, Snow, olives and pickles.

Mrs. Smith, plum pudding.

Mesdames Ingmire, E. P. Reed, chicken pie.

Mesdames J. A. Smith, Edw. Webster, brown bread.

Mesdames Bromley, Fred Heughes, ham.

Mrs. Wetmore, fruit.

Mesdames Hudson, Emma Williams, R. Hills. Motiey, charlotte russe.

Mesdames Atwater, Connolly, Davis, Collins, Weaver, Kentner, Muir, Rodenbeck, cake.

Mrs. Thayer, doughnuts.

Mesdames Alfred Wright, Taylor, Prizer, salad.

Mesdames Fox, Teal, Fenn, jelly.

Mesdames Kentner, Rood, pies.

Mrs. Newton, pickles.

Mesdames Humburch, Culver, charlotte russe.

Mrs. Gorsline, fruit.

Mrs. Moore, turkey.

G. W. Percy, cheese.

Mrs. Judson, celery.

Miss Eddy, flowers.

W. H. Glenny, loan of dishes.

Mesdames Squire Teal, \$1; Fred Zoller, \$1; G. W. Davis, \$1; Fishenden, 50c; D. J. Cushman, 25c; F. A. Smith, \$1; John Cook, \$1; Frank Upton, \$2; John Chase, \$1.50; Wm. Perry, \$1; Ernise, 50c; Green, 50c; Stevens, 50c; L. S. Chapin, 50c; proceeds, \$97.50.

**St. Peter's Church Tables.**—Mrs. F. P. Allen and Mrs. C. H. Angel, Chairmen, assisted by Mesdames H. T. Williams, Grase, L. S. Ward.

Waitresses, Misses McLean, Lowery, Trotter, Ethel Watters, Van Voorhies.

Mesdames Theodore Bacon, L. S. Ward, W. S. Kimball, H. T. Williams, turkey.

Mesdames J. S. Whitbeck, H. C. Brewster, Miss Van Voorhies, chicken pies.

Mesdames H. R. Selden, Pratt, H. L. Ward, Cochran, Fuller, Miss Watters, biscuit.

Mesdames W. H. Ward, C. R. Parsons, T. Spencer, Thompson, salad.

Mesdames James Hayden, H. A. Smith, ham.

Mesdames G. Thompson, H. C. Riggs, Charles Sumner, L. F. Ward, Miss Nina Watters, pickles, olives, cranberries and celery.

Mesdames J. G. Cutler, C. Woodworth, John Morgan, C. R. Parsons, charlotte russe.

Mrs. Harvey Brown, grapes and Lady apples.

Mrs. F. S. Macomber, pies.

Mrs. F. P. Allen, 3 pies, 4 ducks, charlotte russe, jelly, etc.

Mrs. C. H. Angel, 3 pies, pickles, celery, salad, etc.

Mesdames Woodbury, Goodrich, Misses Trotter, McLean, cake.

Mrs. Wm. W. Webb, cookies.

Proceeds, \$48.55.

**Third Presbyterian Church Tables.**—Mrs. J. C. Mandeville, Chairman, assisted by Mesdames David Cory, Henry Hill, John Palmer, S. D. Bentley, S. K. Wheeler, J. B. Lee, Mayo, H. Baxter, David Morris, Green, Miss Luitwieler, Mrs. Lovejoy; Mrs. C. N. Reynolds, cashier.

Waitresses, Misses Emily Hill, Jacobs, Ellwanger, M. Keeler, E. Keeler, M. Harris, Dunlap, A. Carr, C. Carr, Devoe, Otis, Mesdames A. R. Mandeville, W. R. Lee, Parker.

Mesdames E. Harris, D. Cory, Miss Curr, Mr. W. F. Cogswell, turkeys.

Mesdames H. H. Morse, J. B. Lee, M. D. L. Hayes, chicken pie.

Mesdames Robert Wickes, S. D. Bentley, H. H. Edgerton, Geo. Stone, F. W. Warner, charlotte russe.

Mesdames Rose, Henry Wickes, John Steele, pies.

Mrs. Williams, brown bread.

Mrs. J. H. Hill, ducks.

Mrs. French, celery.

W. E. Corris, Mr. Nagle, olives.

Mesdames Mayo, Abbott, C. Alden, Green, Henderson, McCauley, cake.

Mesdames Baxter, Morse, cranberries.

Mesdames J. Palmer, Dr. Gilbert, A. H. Harris, Frank Newell, Lyman Stone, W. E. Peters, H. Barker, J. C. Van Epps, W. E. Werner, J. C. Mandeville, C. F. Goodwin, Mr. W. F. Carleton, money. Proceeds \$102.40.

**Christ Church, Three Tables.**—Mrs. E. F. Ashley, Chairman, assisted by Mr. Whitney Williams, Mesdames Doty, Morris, Hayward, White, Kalbfleisch, Otis, Williams, Weldon, Rose, Force, Humphreys, French, Salmons, Saunders, VanZandt, Moody, Dunn, Crittenden, Leader, Smith, Misses Moore, Mallison, Doty, McConnell, Bruce, Sheldon, Quinby, Harris, Selden, Buff, Ashley, Weston, Russell.

Mesdames D. W. Powers, Wm. Ashley, Geo. Eastman, E. Osburn, Gilman Perkins, turkey and cranberry jelly; Frank Ward, Craig Powers,

2 ducks; Ward Clarke, 2 ducks and rolls; Salmons, ham; Dr. Angell, E. M. Smith, Wm. Mercer, Jenkins, Moody, Otis, chicken salad; C. Morris, lobster salad, creamed potatoes and jelly; Embry, Boucher, Alden, Wilder, J. M. Smith, chicken pie; Kalbfleisch, Cartwright, Wheeler, Maurer, charlotte russe; Van Zandt, charlotte russe and jelly; Quinby, 1 lemon pie; T. T. White, 2 pumpkin pies; Dunn, 2 mince pies. Curtis, 2 apple pies; Ball, 2 lemon pies and jelly; French, 2 squash pies; Crosby, 1 lemon pie; B. E. Chase, 1 mince pie and 8 dozen rolls; Stacy, cake; Dr. Rose, nut-cake; John Wright, cake; Dr. Hayward, nut-cake; Ford, angel-cake; Burton, Johnston, 2 bottles of olives; Mallison, jelly; Humphreys, cranberry and wine jelly; Scrantom, Barnum, celery; Crabbe, 1 Edam cheese; Ashley, 1 Edam cheese and cheese wafers; Wm. Chapin, 100 rolls; Ferrin, 4 dozen rolls; D. Hoyt, 4 dozen tea biscuits; Dobbin, graham bread; Misses Leader, sunshine cake; Robbins, 2 bottles of olives, Milliman, celery; Mesdames Horton, 25c; Boswell, \$1.50; Archer, \$1; Greene, \$2; Denton, 25c; W. Williams, 50c; proceeds, \$80.

**First Presbyterian Church Tables.**—Mrs. W. R. Gormly, Chairman, assisted by Mrs. Andrews, Mrs. H. P. Brewster, Mrs. Wm. Briggs, Mrs. D. M. Hough, Mrs. Jolley, Mrs. Edmund Lyon, Mrs. Mulligan, Mrs. Mott Moore, Miss Mary Morse, Mrs. Satterlee.

Waitresses, Miss Alling, Miss Amsdem Mrs. Bottum, Miss Burke, Miss Bush, Mrs. Frear, Miss Furman, Mrs. Fisher, Misses Gordon, Bessie Gould, Lehman, Reese, Keyes, Mills, Mrs. Wilkin, Mrs. Walbridge.

Mesdames McAlpine, Oscar Craig, Geo. C. Buell, C. D. Kiehl, D. M. Hough, William Perkins, Arthur Hamilton, Dewey Walbridge, turkeys.

Mesdames Wm. Averill, H. P. Brewster, Mulligan, Mott Moore, Sidney Roby, ducks.

Mrs. W. R. Gormly, ham.

Mesdames John Brewster, David Gordon, James C. Hart, chicken pies.

Mesdames John Oothout, Arthur Robinson, Granger Hollister, D. M. Childs, Samuel Gould, Charles Wiltsie, chicken salad.

Mesdames Wm. Webb, Geo. Buell, Jr., lobster salad.

Mesdames Charles Morse, E. H. Satterlee, Miss Sallie Hall, wine jelly.

Mesdames Wm. Chapin, T. Bottume, Ives, Martin Cook, McAllister, Waite, biscuits.

Mesdames John Brewster, James Gordon, Emmet Jennings, Wm. Perkins, mince pies.

Mrs. W. R. Gormly, pumpkin pies.

Mrs. Andrews, apple pies.

Mesdames Wm. Briggs, Geo. Hollister, Charles Pond, H. D. Williams, Varnum, charlotte russe.

Mesdames Sherwood, Geo. Gould, Geo. Jennings, Wendell Curtis, H. P. Frear, C. Van Zandt, Geo. C. Buell, cakes.

Misses Johnson, Marshall, Amsden, cakes.

Mrs. Edmund Lyon, Misses Avery, Lattimore, pickles.

Mesdames Brewer, Morgan, Quarles, olives.

Mrs. Edmund Lyon, brown bread.

Mrs. Jolley, salted almonds.

Mesdames Arthur Baker, Bradstreet, Charles Webb, cranberries.

Miss Fichtner, Mesdames Charles Robinson, Wm. Lee, celery.

Miss Mary Morse, Mrs. Edmund Lyon, jelly.

Mrs. T. D. Wilkin, Misses Rumsey, candy.

Mrs. Geo. Carpenter, lemons.

Geo. Reuter Co., Edam cheese.

Millman & Son, fruit.

Judge Adlington, \$5; Miss Newell, \$2; Mrs. Brady, \$2; Mrs. Chester, \$1; Mr. Charles Ford, \$1. Proceeds, \$155.15.

**Central Church Tables.**—Mrs. L. L. Williams, Chairman, assisted by Mesdames H. H. Stebbins, H. Austin Brewster, Henry F. Smith, E. M. Proctor, J. A. Seel, Dr. Benjamin, Wilson, Henry Nettleton, Thomas Dransfield.

Table No. 1—Mesdames William B. Morse, J. H. Crippen, William Beadle. Waitresses, Misses Frances Morse, Jane Stebbins, Mabel Williams, May Huddleston, Mrs. F. Austin Crittenden.

Table No. 2—Mesdames D. C. Gibbons, Lovasso Field, Dean Alvord. Waitresses, Misses Cora Gibbons, Emily Nettleton, Elsie Alling.

Table No. 3—Mesdames A. D. Palmer, Dr. Frank Jones, E. A. Kalbfleisch. Waitresses, Misses Mae Bortells, Grace Bortells, Alice Glass, Grace Jones.

Table No. 4—Misses Jane I. Edgerton, J. B. Hayes, Laura Aldridge. Waitresses, Misses Carrie Hayes, Carrie Harder, Elizabeth McGuire, Anna Wilson.

Mesdames H. Austin Brewster, H. F. Smith, J. A. Seel, chicken pies.

Mesdames W. B. Morse, H. H. Stebbins, Dean Alvord, William Beadle, A. D. Palmer, L. S. Graves, Henry Wray, L. L. Williams, turkeys.

Mesdames E. A. Kalbfleisch, J. T. Alling, Lovasso Field, Dr. W. L. Conklin, Dr. Frank Jones, M. B. Smith, Thomas Dunn, chicken salad.

Mesdames Thomas Dransfield, Charles S. Baker, C. D. Gallagher, lemon jelly.

Mesdames Frank Ocumpaugh, J. B. Hayes, H. R. Stockbridge, W. D. McGuire, H. Martin, J. H. Crippen, Misses Frances True, Charlotte Dewey, Mr. Charles Sprague, with Teal & Son, charlotte russe.

Mesdames Augusta Millham, D. L. Covill, Miss Aldridge, pies.

Mesdames Robert Tait, Dr. Miller, Miss Vincent, cranberries.

Mesdames George Richards, H. F. Smith, E. M. Proctor, C. M. Harkness, A. E. Swartout, Charles Alling, George Munson, Charlotte Monell, Isabella Tait, Miss Adelia Barton, cake.

Mesdames J. B. Hayes, A. E. Swartout, H. A. Brewster, A. D. Palmer, L. L. Williams, pickles.

Mesdames Robert Badger, W. G. Rich, Sophia C. Nell, Miss Corris, Mr. W. E. Woodbury, olives.

Miss Jane Bradbury, Mesdames Robert Badger, Wheeler, ham.

Miss Jane Edgerton, Mrs. Eunice C. Eldred, Mr. Edgcombe, fruit.

Mr. L. B. Mallison, \$2; Mesdames Dr. Potter, \$1; Judge Davy, \$1; William Alling, \$1; Osgoodby, 50c; Miss Dr. Craig, \$1; proceeds, \$102.10.

**Park Avenue Baptist Church Table.**—Mrs. Ira Hebbard, Chairman.

#### DONATIONS.

(Names of donors not given.)

Seven turkeys, 4 ducks, 1 ham, 1 chicken pie, 7 salads, 7 charlotte russes, 8 pies, 10 cakes, 11 jellies, 5 dozen oranges, 3 dozen bananas, 4 lbs. grapes, 8 bunches celery, 2 lbs. salted almonds, 2 bottles olives. Proceeds, \$45.15.

#### Coffee and Oyster Table.

Mrs. Oscar Craig, assisted by Mrs. Arthur Robinson, Mrs. F. R. Delano, Mrs. H. P. Brewster, Mrs. Seward Whittlesey, Mrs. Allen Cuming.

**May Day Booth—Parent Stem and "Properly Bent" Twig.**

Flowers—Proceeds \$75.00.

### Lemonade and Ice Cream Booth—Parent Stem and "Chips of the Old Block.

#### DONATIONS.

Members of the Parent Stem, lemons and cake.

Charles Salmon & Son, 4 dozen oranges.

Mrs. Louis C. Washburn, \$5.00.

Mr. Corning, flowers.

Mr. Smith and Mr. Miller, from the firm of Bromley, Miller & Moore, assistance in decorating booth.

Proceeds, \$47.54.

MRS. GEORGE H. PERKINS, Chairman.

### Thanksgiving Booth—First Twig.

#### DONATIONS.

Mrs. Wm. Perkins, 3 plum puddings, 2 jars quince jelly, 3 jars currant jelly.

Miss Hall, Hermits' sponge cakes.

Mrs. Stebbins, grapes, oranges, bananas, apples, grape fruit, 12 dozen cookies.

Mrs. Boswell, 2 mince pies, 5 dozen doughnuts.

Miss Frost, 8 dozen sponge cakes.

Mrs. Stone, veal loaf, white bread, cookies, drop cakes.

Mrs. Porter, ham.

Mrs. Delano, 4 squash pies, 4 dozen pound cakes.

Mrs. Rowley, 2 plum puddings, 1 election cake.

Mrs. Wm. B. Lee, salad sandwiches, 2 cakes.

Mrs. Wm. S. Little, mince pie, 2 loaves election cake.

Mrs. Blossom, 3 jars of fruit, 3 tumblers of jelly.

Miss Frances Whittlesey, 2 loaves of election cake.

Mrs. Macomber, loaf angel food, 4 dozen rolls.

Miss Montgomery, 4 dozen walnut cookies.

Mrs. Oliver, 2 loaves brown bread, 3 dozen nut cakes.

Mrs. McVean, 2 mince pies, 2 pumpkin pies.

Mrs. Cuming, 3 plum puddings.

Mrs. Samuel Gould, grape fruit, oranges, grapes, white and purple.

Mrs. Craig, 2 jars pickles, scripture cake and recipe, doughnuts, 2 loaves brown bread.

Mrs. Robinson, 3 dozen tarts, buns.

Mrs. Griffith, 5 jars clam chowder, 2 baskets of brandy snaps.

Mrs. D. W. Bush, 3 dozen cocoanut cakes.

Mrs. Edward M. Smith, 2 dozen rolls.

Mrs. Chester, 12 dozen nut cookies, 2 mince pies, 2 jars clam chowder.

Proceeds, \$55.57.

### New-Year Day Booth—First Graft.

Home made candy, made and most of it donated by members of the First Graft, and the following friends, whom they desire to thank.

Miss Henrietta Allen, Mrs. Thomas Chester, Miss Fanny Walker, Miss Grace Otis, Miss Lulu McAllister, the Misses Chappell, Miss Clara Jennings, Mrs. James McKown.

Proceeds, \$38.13.

MISS FARLEY, Chairman.

### Frame Table—Fourth Twig.

Mrs. F. S. Macomber, Chairman;

#### DONATIONS.

Mrs. C. E. Angle, 2 college frames.

Mrs. Martin Hoyt, painted frame.

Miss Charlotte Trotter, embroidered frame.

Miss Mary Farley, embroidered frame.

Each member of the Twig, 2 or more frames.

Proceeds, \$125.

**Halloween Booth—Splinters.****DONATIONS.**

Mr. Frederick Will, \$50.  
 Miss Rose Barry, \$5.  
 Miss Edith Hale, \$1.  
 Mrs. William Bartholomay, 50c.  
 Mrs. Chas. Angle, 50c.  
 Mrs. Porter Farley, 50c.  
 Mrs. James A. Hinds, 40c.  
 Mrs. Frederick Will, \$5, 5½ dozen crocheted articles, fancy articles.  
 Mrs. Wm. R. Seward, darning bag.  
 Miss M. A. Farley, knit shoes.  
 Miss Alida Lattimore, 9 wooden snakes.  
 Mrs. Joseph Farley, shoe bag.  
 Mrs. F. P. Allen, large quantity of toys.  
 Mrs. Holton, bed shoes.  
 Miss Eddy, child's cap.  
 Miss Bellows, knit reins.  
 Mrs. Arthur Robinson, 2 dolls-Tam-o-Shanters.  
 Mrs. Delano, 2 pairs mittens.  
 Mrs. J. Forbes Potter, fancy bag.  
 Miss Tina Jennings, 1 doll.  
 Mrs. Albert Will, 5 fancy bags.  
 Mrs. Coch, 1 dollie.  
 Mrs. L. L. Williams, hand-painted bon-bon dish.  
 Miss Marie Judson, fancy perfume bottle.  
 Mrs. C. S. Hastings, 2 jewel cases.  
 Miss Grace Jones, 2 needle books.  
 Miss Harriet Oliver, 1 needle book.  
 Miss Clarice Seel, quantity of apples for trim-Ming booth.  
 Misses Sallie and Carrie Brewster, 50c.  
 Proceeds, \$111.18.  
 GRACE E. HASTINGS, Secretary, 158 Lake Ave.

**Christmas Day Booth—Second Twig.****DONATIONS.**

Miss Fanny A. Smith, New York, number of fancy articles.  
 Mrs. Richard D. Harlan, 9 pin cushions.  
 Mrs. Byron Smith, painting 2 dozen lamp shades.  
 Mrs. William E. Hoyt, fancy articles.  
 Mrs. Harold P. Brewster, silk bag.  
 Mrs. Royce, sponge bag and holder.  
 Ralph Beals, dressed doll.  
 Mrs. Charles F. Pond, 2 shoe bags.  
 Mrs. Wendel Curtis, 2 dolls, seal skin muffs and collars.  
 Mrs. Elvira N. Allen, 2 embroidered doylies.  
 Mrs. John H. Brewster, 2 embroidered towels.  
 Mrs. Edward S. Clarke, Dresden hairpin dish.  
 Miss Fannie Griffith, embroidered doylie.  
 Miss Mary Dodds, painted shade.  
 Miss Mary Waters, painting six shades.  
 Mrs. J. F. Ward, aprons and shoe bags.  
 Mrs. F. R. Delano, baby blanket.  
 Mrs. H. C. Kimball, \$2.  
 Mrs. Edward Harris, 3 shoe bag findings, 1 bag.  
 Mrs. William Mercer, \$2.  
 Mrs. D. M. Gordon, silk bag.  
 Miss. McElroy, silk button bag.  
 Mrs. G. C. Hollister, painted cards.  
 Mrs. James C. Hart, number of lamp and candle shades.  
 Mrs. Emmet H. Jennings, silk party bag.  
 Mrs. George E. Jennings, baby carriage strap.  
 Mrs. Huntington, baby blanket.  
 Mrs. Gilman N. Perkins, Dresden pen tray.  
 Mr. R. M. Meyers, paper.  
 Scrantom & Wetmore, twine and tags.  
 Mrs. Charles H. Angel, lamp shade.  
 Mrs. J. R. Chamberlin, cardigan jacket.  
 Miss Rumsey, baby blanket.  
 Mrs. Wm. S. Kimball, \$15.  
 Proceeds, \$120.

MRS. JAMES HART, Chairman.

**Lincoln Booth—Columbian Twig.****DONATIONS.**

Mrs. Charles Fitz Simons, 20 boxes of Mexican candy.  
 Miss Quinby, 4 aprons, 1 work box.  
 Mrs. S. P. Moore, 15 hand-painted needle-books.  
 Mrs. A. S. Baker, 4 magazine covers, 6 painted blotters.  
 Mrs. R. A. Sibley, 2 baby blankets, 2 fascinators, 1 silk bag, 1 engagement tablet.  
 Mrs. Seymour, 2 pairs of reins.  
 Miss Erben, 1 doll.  
 Mrs. B. F. Lawrence, 5 silk bags.  
 Mrs. W. S. Little, 1 pr. mittens, 1 baby sack.  
 Mrs. Castle, 12 candle shades.  
 Mrs. Townson, 2 pin cushions.  
 Mrs. Pritchard, 5 memorandum tablets, needle-book.  
 Mrs. S. C. McKown, 1 pr. slippers.  
 Mrs. H. L. Osgood, 7 pen wipers, 3 needle-books.  
 Mrs. Chas. Dodge, 2 bibs, 2 white aprons.  
 Miss Hooker, 2 linen bags.  
 Proceeds \$75.

MRS. H. L. OSGOOD, President.

**Washington Birthday Booth—Morning Twig.**

MISS JULIA GRIFFITH, Chairman.

**DONATIONS.**

Miss Cumming, New York, bag of corks.  
 Mrs. Denton Smith, New York, 2 pin cushions.  
 Mrs. John H. Rochester, 12 glass towels.  
 Mrs. Edward Meigs Smith, \$10 for tea holders sold, toys, hatchets, embroidery case, feather fan, 2 bags of corks.  
 Mrs. Henry Griffith, 24 mystery boxes, 11 comfort boxes, colonial parade cart, miniature cherry orchard, toys.  
 Mrs. Eugene Glen, linen tray cover, toys.  
 Mrs. Jonas P. Varnum, 4 sets of shoe bags, blotter.  
 Mrs. Thorne, paper dolls.  
 Mrs. Louis Stern, 2 medicine cases, calendar.  
 Mrs. Isaac Wile, 1 medicine case.  
 Mrs. Julius M. Wile, 3 calendars, 1 photograph frame, 1 set-doll furniture, 3 boxes of toys, 3 histories of the presidents.  
 Mrs. William Johnson, laundry bag.  
 Mrs. Thomas Chester, doyley.  
 Mrs. Samuel Wilder, 6 wash cloths, 6 cakes toilet soap, 2 pair Polish boots, baby blanket, 1 bag of corks.  
 Miss Griffith, hemstitched apron, 3 bags of lavender.  
 Mrs. Charles Nickerson, Lansingburgh, knit sacque.  
 Miss Helena Ide, Lansingburg, embroidered needle-book.  
 Miss Aunie Bush, toilet slippers.  
 Mrs. Albert Mock, 2 baby sacques.  
 Mrs. Edward B. Angell, 12 baby wash cloths, 12 cakes soap.  
 Miss Emily Smith, toilet set.  
 Miss Beach, 7 work cases.  
 Mrs. Leonard Allen, 6 pair mittens.  
 Miss Bellows, 2 scissors sharpeners.  
 Miss Jullia Griffith, toilet case, shoe cases, 2 embroidery cases, fan.  
 The members of the Morning Twig, 19 aprons, 5 sets of Silver bags, 6 dozen boxes of metal polish, 36 dusters.  
 Rochester Chemical Co., 2 dozen cans polish.  
 Proceeds \$109.57.

**Fourth of July Booth—Hemlock Twig.**

Cripples' Fund, \$65.00

MRS. JOHN N. BECKLEY, Chairman.

## THE HOSPITAL REVIEW.

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## Collected by German Ladies.

BY MRS. R. H. HOFHEINZ, ASSISTED BY MISS STELHER.

Bartholomay, Rochester and Genesee	
Brewing Co's.	\$100 00
Mr. Henry Bartholomay	100 00
Mr. Wm. Bartholomay	50 00
Mr. Philip Bartholomay	10 00
Mr. Chas. Roll	10 00
Dr. R. H. Hofheinz	15 00
Mr. F. P. Stallman	5 00
Mr. G. Bantel & Sons	5 00
Mrs. Marbinger	5 00
Mrs. F. Ritter	3 00
Mrs. J. Roll	2 00
Mrs. F. Hodecker	3 00
Mrs. Werner	1 00
Mr. F. Glatz	2 00
Mr. Carl Hoch	1 00
Mr. M. Shomer	1 00
Gen'l H. Brinker	5 00
Mr. H. Loewer	5 00
Mr. H. Bausch	5 00
Mr. Chas. Blauer	5 00
Mr. L. Bauer	3 00
Mr. R. Miller	1 00
Mrs. G. Kaelber	3 00
	<b>\$340 00</b>

COLLECTED BY MRS. F. W. ZIMMER.

Mr. Louis Ernst	\$20 00
Mr. C. E. Bayliss	10 00
Mrs. John Weis	10 00
Mrs. Reed Weis	3 00
Mrs. Geo. Roth	5 00
Mr. Chas. Weis	5 00
Mr. Louis Schaubman	5 00
Mr. Frank Fritzsche	3 00
Bender Bros.	3 00
Herzberger & Knapp	3 00
	<b>\$67 00</b>

COLLECTED BY MRS. H. KLEIN.

Frederick Cook	\$25 00
Frederick Goetzmann	10 00
Wm. Vicinus	5 00
Jno. Rauber	5 00
V. F. Whitmore	5 00
F. C. Young	5 00
Stecher Lithographic Co	5 00
Oaks & Calhoun	5 00
Mrs. Geo. Koch	5 00
Henry Klein	5 00
Jacob Gerling	3 00
A. J. Haas	2 00
Mrs. Johanna Klein	1 00
Hahn & Rampe	1 00
	<b>\$82 00</b>

COLLECTED BY MRS. CARL F. LOMB.

J. J. Bausch	\$100 00
H. Lomb	15 00
Rudolph Schmidt	5 00
Stalknight & Schminke	2 00
C. W. Rickarts	1 00
Mrs. A. Cassebeer	2 00
Buedingen Mfg. Co.	2 00
Yawman & Erbe	10 00
August Vetter	2 00
W. Drescher	3 00
W. Marth	1 00
P. J. Dukelow	1 00
J. B. Klingler	2 00
Geo. Hommel	1 00
Edw. Hilgenrein	1 00
Wm. Wishart	1 00

A. J. Wegman	2 00
W. Bausch	5 00
Edw. Bausch	10 00
John Rauber	5 00
John Luther	10 00
Wm. Deininger	2 00
Am. Brewing Co.	20 00
H. Cassebeer	3 00
F. Willimek	2 00
E. E. Bausch & Son	5 00
Barr & Creelman	10 00
Borneman & Son	2 00
Wm. Karle	3 00
Chris. Merlau	3 00
H. N. Schlick & Co	5 00
Carl F. Lomb	5 00
Fred Murr	2 00
Chas. Vogel	5 00
F. & E. Schaeffer	10 00
Louis Wehn, Sr.	2 00
Louis Wehn, Jr.	2 00
	<b>\$262 00</b>

## TOTAL.

Mrs. C. F. Lomb	\$262 00
Mrs. R. H. Hofheinz	340 00
Mrs. H. Klein	82 00
Mrs. F. W. Zimmer	67 00
Table donations	87 00
	<b>\$838 00</b>

## SUBSCRIPTIONS FOR THE TABLE.

Mrs. Fred Cook	\$10 00
Mrs. William Bartholomay	10 00
Mrs. Philip Bartholomay	10 00
Mrs. R. H. Hofheinz	10 00
Mrs. J. J. Bausch	5 00
Mrs. Edward Bausch	5 00
Mrs. Fred Goetzman	5 00
Mrs. H. Lomb	5 00
Mrs. Dr. H. Koch	3 00
Mrs. C. F. Lomb	3 00
Mrs. H. Behn	2 00
Mrs. Geo. Arnoldt	2 00
Mrs. J. Gerling	2 00
Mrs. C. W. Zimmer	2 00
Mrs. F. W. Zimmer	2 00
Mrs. H. Bausch	2 00
Mrs. W. Drescher	2 00
Mrs. Geo. Koch	2 00
Mrs. Geo. Roth	1 00
Mrs. W. Bausch	1 50
Mrs. R. Schmidt	1 00
Mrs. G. Erbe	1 00
Mrs. F. Ritter	50
	<b>\$87 00</b>

## List of Unclaimed Dishes.

- 1 platter, decorated in blue.
  - 3 low glass dishes.
  - 1 shell glass dish.
  - Several pie plates.
  - 2 low white bakers.
  - 1 dish for baked beans.
  - 1 celery glass.
  - 1 baking tin.
  - 1 silver cross, marked 1886.
- These articles can be found at the home of the treasurer, 174 Spring street.

## Collected by the Jewish Ladies, instead of Furnishing a Table.

BY MRS. M. A. STERN.

Dr. and Mrs. Max Landsberg	\$5 00
Mrs. E. Friedlich	3 00
Mrs. J. Michaels	3 00
Mrs. M. A. Stern	3 00
Mrs. S. M. Benjamin	1 50
Mrs. H. C. Cohn	1 00
Mrs. M. Van Bergh	1 00
Mrs. F. Van Bergh	1 00
Mrs. H. Leiter	1 00
Mr. H. Lempert	2 00

\$21 50

BY MRS. SOLOMON ADLER.

Mrs. E. Wolf	\$5 00
Mrs. L. Adler	2 00
Mrs. A. Adler	2 00
A Friend	2 00
Mrs. H. Rosenberg	2 00
Mrs. A. Picard	2 00
Mrs. J. L. Garson	2 00
Mrs. Morris Meyer	2 00
Mrs. L. Block	1 50
Mrs. Simon Steefel	1 00
Mrs. L. Haslacher	1 00
Mrs. A. Stern	1 00
Mrs. Solomon Adler	1 00
Mrs. M. L. Garson	1 00
Mrs. M. Dinkelspiel	1 00
Mrs. H. Goodman	1 00
Mrs. Zalinski	1 00
Mrs. H. Hochstetter	1 00
Mrs. A. Beir	1 00
Mrs. J. J. Backrow	1 00
Mrs. S. L. Garson	1 00
Mrs. G. Wile	1 00
Mrs. B. S. Meyer	1 00
Mrs. G. Heinfeld	1 00
Mrs. J. Cauffman	1 00
Mrs. L. Garson	1 00
Mrs. Solomon Goldsmith	1 00
Mrs. M. Kochenthal	1 00
Mrs. M. Lowenthal	1 00
Mrs. N. W. Soble	1 00
Mrs. L. Waterman	1 00
Mrs. S. L. Ettenheimer	1 00
Mrs. H. Hays	1 00
Mrs. H. S. Cohn	1 00
Mrs. D. Rosenberg	1 00
Mrs. T. Meyer	1 00
Mrs. S. Guggenheimer	1 00
Mrs. L. White	1 00
Mrs. M. Hays	1 00
Mrs. B. Rothschild	1 00
Mrs. A. Hays	1 00
Mrs. Strausman	1 00
Mrs. F. Hays	1 00
Mrs. N. Stein	1 00
Mrs. J. M. Garson	1 00
Mrs. M. Garson	1 00
Mrs. J. Marks	1 00
Mrs. Present	1 00
Mrs. Rose Shatz	50
Mrs. Ettinger	50
Mrs. M. Blum	50
Mrs. S. L. Elsner	2 00
Mrs. H. Rice	1 00
Mrs. M. David	1 00
Mrs. David Hays	1 00

66 00

BY MRS. M. M. MYERS AND MRS. M. GOLDSMITH.

Mrs. J. Abeles	\$1 00
Mrs. M. A. Hays	1 00
Mrs. A. Greenberg	1 00

Mrs. A. M. Blumenstiel	\$ 1 00
Mrs. M. Berg	1 00
Mrs. F. L. Myers	1 00
Mrs. Ch. Lipman	1 00
Mrs. H. S. Marks	1 00
Mrs. J. Hanauer	1 00
Mrs. J. Kochenthal	1 00
Mrs. Ch. Goldwater	1 00
Mrs. B. Weiss	1 00
Mrs. E. J. Beir	1 00
Mrs. N. Goldwater	1 00
Mrs. M. Samuel	1 00
Mrs. S. Samuel	1 00
Mrs. L. Holtz	1 00
Mrs. T. Rosenbaum	1 00
Mrs. B. Munk	1 00
Mrs. S. Goldsmith	1 00
Mrs. L. Blum	1 00
Mrs. H. S. Meyer	1 00
Mrs. Solomon Holtz	1 00
Mrs. D. Steefel	1 00
Mrs. A. Holtz	1 00
Mrs. M. Goldwater	1 00
Mrs. Wm. Miller	1 00
Mrs. L. Eichman	1 00
Mrs. M. M. Myers	1 00
Mrs. L. W. Moore	1 00
Mrs. E. Black	1 00
Mrs. M. Goldsmith	1 00
Mrs. M. M. yers	1 00
Miss. F. Solomon	1 00
Mrs. Simon Holtz	50
Mrs. D. Strauss	50
A friend	50
Mr. Chas. Blum	1 00
Mr. Maurice M. Garson	1 00
Mr. J. Thalheimer	1 00
Mr. Herman Stern	1 00
Mrs. C. Newhafer	50
Miss Carrie Stern	1 00
Mrs. M. M. Meyer	1 00
Mrs. Morris Wolff	1 00
Mrs. E. Kirstein	2 00

\$45 00

BY MISS LIPSKY.

Mrs. M. Lipsky	\$1 00
Mrs. Simon Rosenberg	1 00
Mrs. G. Guggenheim	1 00
Mrs. M. Goldberg	50
Mrs. A. Stetheimer	1 00
Mrs. Solomon Solomon	1 00
Mrs. S. Schwarz	1 00
Mrs. Sol. Rice	1 00

\$7 50

RECAPITULATION.

Collected by Mrs. M. A. Stern	\$21 50
Collected by Mrs. Solomon Adler	66 00
Collected by M. M. Meyers and Mrs. M. Goldsmith	45 00
Collected by Miss Lipsky	7 50

\$140 00

The Flower mission has for twenty-one years taken flowers through the wards of the City Hospital each Saturday.

The annual report shows number of bouquets distributed, 1984.

At Christmas there were given, 86 cards, with holly for each patient.

At Easter, 35 bouquets and 44 cards.

LILLIE G. BARTON, Secretary.

**RECEIPTS**  
AT THE  
**DONATION**  
HELD AT  
**FITZHUGH HALL,**  
December 3d and 4th, 1896.

**CASH DONATIONS.**

Erickson Perkins.....	\$2,000 00
"In Trust".....	1,000 00
R. A. Sibley.....	2,000 00
Mrs. Wm. S. Kimball.....	2,000 00
A Friend.....	2,000 00
D. W. Powers.....	200 00
Annuity for a Free Bed "In Memoriam,"	
Alfred Wright.....	200 00
From Mrs. Geo. J. Magee, Watkins, N.Y.,	
for the use of the Magee room.....	200 00
Collection by the German ladies (includ-	
ing \$57 in place of a table).....	838 00
Hiram W. Sibley.....	150 00
Sibley, Lindsay & Curr.....	150 00
Collection by the Jewish ladies (in place	
of a table).....	140 00
Brewster, Gordon & Co.....	100 00
Hamilton & Mathews.....	100 00
Burke, Fitz Simons, Howe & Co.....	100 00
Samuel Wilder.....	100 00
L. P. Ross.....	100 00
Samuel Sloan.....	100 00
George Ellwanger.....	100 00
Mrs. Warham Whitney.....	100 00
Mrs. F. D. Fletcher, London, Eng.....	100 00
Mrs. L. Ward Clarke.....	100 00
George C. Buell.....	100 00
Mrs. Alfred Ely.....	100 00
John C. Moore.....	50 00
W. F. Carlton.....	50 00
Harry G. Danforth.....	50 00
Howe & Rogers.....	50 00
C. T. Ham Mfg. Co.....	50 00
Julius M. Wile.....	50 00
John Greenwood.....	50 00
Geo. Eastman.....	50 00
J. De Witt Butts.....	50 00
Gilman H. Perkins.....	50 00
James Brackett.....	50 00
Hayward Hawks.....	50 00
F. & C. Crittenden & Co.....	50 00
W. H. Gorsline.....	50 00
L. Adler Bros. & Co.....	50 00
Michaels, Stern & Co.....	50 00
George F. Danforth.....	25 00
Mrs. Henry H. Perkins.....	25 00
W. F. Cogswell.....	25 00
Mack & Co.....	25 00
Moseley & Motley.....	25 00
N. Stein.....	25 00
Charles A. Dewey.....	25 00
Frederick A. Whittlesey.....	25 00
J. G. & J. W. Cudler.....	25 00
J. W. Oothout.....	25 00
J. De Witt Butts, admr.....	25 05
Josiah Anstice.....	25 00
D. A. Woodbury.....	25 00
C. Walter Smith.....	25 00
Hebrew Benev. Soc., by Mrs. Rosenberg.....	25 00
C. P. Ford.....	25 00
J. Forbes Potter.....	25 00
John O. Roe.....	25 00
Barney Dunn.....	25 00

A. H. Harris.....	25 00
J. Fahy.....	25 00
Mrs. Stebbins.....	25 00
L. Boardman Smith.....	25 00
C. M. Everest.....	25 00
W. W. Mumford.....	25 00
E. W. Mulligan.....	25 00
F. H. Clement.....	20 00
Louis S. Stein.....	20 00
John H. Rochester.....	20 00
Harold P. Brewster.....	20 00
A. J. Katz.....	20 00
Mrs. H. H. Morse.....	15 00
Mrs. Robert Johnston.....	10 00
President David J. Hill.....	10 00
Rev. W. C. & Mrs. Gannett.....	7 00
Mrs. Lucy J. Corning.....	5 00
Miss Julia Griffith.....	3 00
Mrs. Howard Osgood.....	10 00
Mrs. Joseph Curtis.....	10 00
Mrs. W. C. Rowley.....	5 00
Miss Rochester.....	2 00
Mrs. Edwin O. Sage.....	10 00
W. D. Ellwanger.....	5 00
Mrs. E. P. Loomis.....	5 00
Union Clothing Co.....	10 00
A Friend to the Cause.....	10 00
Rudolph Stein.....	10 00
Leo Block.....	10 00
J. H. Lempert.....	10 00
Charles Stern.....	10 00
D. M. Garson.....	10 00
W. L. Mercer.....	10 00
Henry Likly.....	10 00
J. Lee Judson.....	10 00
W. A. Hubbard, Jr.....	10 00
Gilman N. Perkins.....	10 00
Theodore Olcott.....	2 00
James Chamberlin.....	5 00
Mrs. Wm. Alling.....	2 00
Mrs. Allen Ayrault.....	5 00
E. H. Vredenourgh.....	10 00
Mrs. M. De Puy.....	1 00
Mrs. S. A. Lattimore.....	5 00
Harold E. Kimball.....	10 00
Mrs. Quincey Van Voorhis.....	2 00
Miss C. Semple.....	5 00
E. W. Osborn.....	10 00
Mrs. Franklin Brewster.....	5 00
Mrs. and Miss Urbin.....	10 00
Mrs. Allan Cuming.....	5 00
Charles W. Trotter.....	5 00
John P. Dumont.....	10 00
Henry S. Hanford.....	5 00
S. L. Solomon.....	5 00
Morris Samuel.....	2 00
A. E. Benjamin.....	5 00
Garson, Meyer Co.....	5 00
Black & Meyer.....	5 00
Moore & Beirs.....	5 00
Van Bergh & Silver Plate Co.....	5 00
E. W. Peck.....	5 00
Wm. Miller.....	5 00
Paul Strauss.....	5 00
Samuel Strauss.....	5 00
W. G. Mitchell.....	10 00
Geo. C. Buell, Jr.....	5 00
Cash.....	10 00
A. J. C.....	1 00
M. M. H.....	1 00
Charles E. Morris.....	5 00
Mrs. Theodore Hopkins.....	1 00
Wm. F. Peck.....	5 00
Mrs. J. H. Hill.....	5 00
E. L. Adams.....	5 00
Mrs. Geo. Curtis.....	2 00
Mrs. E. N. Allen.....	2 00
A Friend.....	1 00
F. L. Durand.....	15 00
Mrs. Dr. Cook.....	5 00

Judge Davy.....	10 00
Dr. N. Millard.....	2 00
Mrs. J. A. Collier.....	5 00
Mrs. D. Andrews.....	5 00
Mrs. Henry Smith.....	5 00
Seth Terry, New York.....	10 00
Ezra R. Andrews.....	10 00
Wm. H. Ward.....	10 00
W. B. Spader.....	10 00
W. J. Ashley.....	5 00
Mrs. C. Waite.....	1 00
Joseph S. Hunn.....	5 00
Wm. N. Cogswell.....	10 00
Fee Bros.....	10 00
Geo. Weldon.....	10 00
Mrs. R. L. Alling.....	10 00

## RECEIPTS FROM DINING TABLES.

Thursday, December 3d.

St. Luke's Church.....	\$104 07
Christ Church.....	80 00
St. Peter's Church.....	48 55
Third Presbyterian Church.....	102 40
Brick Church.....	97 50
	<b>\$432 52</b>

Friday, December 4th.

First Presbyterian Church.....	\$155 15
Central Church.....	102 10
Park Avenue Baptist Church.....	45 16
	<b>\$302 41</b>

## RECEIPTS FROM THE BOOTHS.

December 3d and 4th, 1896.

May Day Booth—Parent Stem and "Properly Bent" Twig.....	\$ 75 40
Parent Stem, assisted by the Chips of the Old Block, ice cream and lemonade.....	47 34
First Twig—Thanksgiving Day.....	60 82
Second Twig—Christmas Day.....	115 00
Fourth Twig—Frame Table.....	125 00
First Graft—New Year's Day.....	38 13
Morning Twig—Washington's Birthday.....	109 51
Columbian Twig—Lincoln's Birthday.....	75 00
Splinters—Hallowe'en.....	111 87

## OTHER RECEIPTS.

Admissions.....	\$ 200 55
Check Room.....	60 80

## Donation on Bills.

M. M. Myers.....	\$ 10 00
Dwight Palmer.....	5 00
Rochester Carting Co.....	11 00

## Endowment Fund for the Crippled Children.

In charge of the Hemlock Twig—Fourth of July Booth.

J. Sherlock Andrews.....	\$ 100 00
Frederick McKown.....	5 00
Harold Kimball, Jr.....	10 00
Gilman C. Perkins.....	5 00
Receipts from the Hemlock Twig Fourth of July Booth.....	65 00

	\$ 185 00
Previously Acknowledged.....	2,625 92

Net.....2,810 92

## Memorial Fund.

In memoriam Clarice Greig Jeffrey.....	\$ 25 00
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## For the Mary Bed.

Mary P. Allen.....	\$ 5 00
Mary Belle Williams, Detroit.....	1 00

## Mite Boxes.

No. 225.....	\$ 79
No. 352.....	4 72
No. 280.....	1 17
Cash.....	50
	<b>\$ 718</b>

MRS. W. M. PERKINS, Treasurer.

MRS. M. G. DANFORTH, Ass't Treasurer.

## Thanks.

The managers of the Rochester City Hospital wish to express their most cordial thanks to those who have helped them in various ways during the donation. To Kissam & Co., for cards in the street cars; Trotter & Co., for the use of stoves; the gas company, for a gas stove; to Teall & Sons, for use of water coolers; Yates & Co., for one-half ton coal and for ice; Howe & Rogers, for use of a rug; Gorton & McCabe, for chairs, tables and screens for ice cream booth; the Industrial School, for use of table silver; the Union and Advertiser, for placards for the tables; the Democrat and Chronicle, for the admission tickets, and all the morning and evening papers, for advance notices; the street car company, for placing placards on the cars; to Chief Cleary, for furnishing two policemen for two days, and to all friends whose kindly interest prompted them to assist in making the donation successful.

## Receipts for the Review.

Mrs. S. L. Van Vechten, S. Orange, \$1; C. W. Trotter & Son, adv., \$5; Mrs. C. D. W. Bridgman, New York, \$1; Mrs. F. P. Allen, 75 cents; Mrs. C. H. Angel, 65 cents; Mrs. E. B. Angel, 65 cents; Mrs. Nicholas Ayrault, 65 cents; Mr. James Brackett, \$2; Miss Minnie Bellows, 65 cents; Mrs. J. H. Brewster, 65 cents; Mrs. Horace C. Brewster, 65 cents; Mrs. H. Austin Brewster, \$1.15; Mrs. H. Pomeroy Brewster, 65 cents; Mrs. E. F. Brewster, 65 cents; Mrs. Thomas Chester, 65 cents; Mrs. B. S. Childs, Seneca Castle, 50 cents; Mrs. E. S. Clarke, 65 cents; Mrs. W. W. Cooke, 65 cents; Mrs. Oscar Craig, 65 cents; Mr. W. F. Cogswell, 65 cents; Miss Culver, 65 cents; Mrs. A. J. Cuming, 65 cents; Judge Danforth, 65 cents; Mrs. C. E. Miller, 50 cents; Mrs. H. G. Danforth, 75 cents; Mrs. H. H. Edgerton, 65 cents; Mrs. H. M. Ellsworth, 65 cents; Mrs. Alfred Ely, \$1; Mrs. C. M. Everest, 65 cents; Mrs. F. W. Embry, \$1; Miss Helen Erben, 50 cents; Miss Sarah Frost, 65 cents; Mrs. C. V. FitzSimons, 65 cents; Mrs. Frances Gorton, 65 cents; Mrs. D. H. Griffith, 75 cents; Mrs. J. H. Hill, 65 cents; Mrs. J. H. Hopkins, 65 cents; Mrs. W. E. Hoyt, \$1.15; Mrs. H. F. Huntington, \$1.80; Miss Agnes

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## Hospital Report.

NOVEMBER, 1896.

Number of patients in Hospital Nov. 1, 1896.....	83
Births during November.....	2
Admitted during November.....	71
	155
Number discharged during November, 1896.....	80
Deaths during November.....	7
Number in Hospital December 1, 1896....	68
	155
Lowest number during November.....	65
Highest number during November.....	82
Daily average number during November..	72
Number of hospital days during November.....	2167

## DIED AT THE ROCHESTER CITY HOSPITAL.

Nov. 1—Frederick A. Merrill...	Aged 56 years
" 2—John Cook.....	" 38 "
" 3—Mary Geary.....	" 30 "
" 7—Emina Klees.....	" 2½ "
" 19—Mary E. Warfield.....	" 14 "
" 22—Ruth Curtis.....	" 11 "
" 27—Joseph Hurley.....	" — "

N. B.—Of the above deaths, five occurred within twenty-four hours after arrival in hospital.

## Ambulance Report.

BY R. BRUCE GAMBLE, M.D., Ambulance Surgeon	
Total number of runs during November...	71
Transferred to Rochester City Hospital....	39
" " St. Mary's Hospital.....	1
" " County Hospital.....	4
" " homes or stations.....	23
Cases not treated or taken.....	4
Number of ordinary calls.....	45
" " hurry ".....	26

## Report of Surgical Pavilion.

NOVEMBER, 1896.

BY WESLEY T. MULLIGAN, M. D., House Surgeon.

Number of operations during November.....	49
"    " patients.....	44
"    " operators.....	15

## Training School Report.

NOVEMBER, 1896.

Applications for circulars.....	34
Applicants for admission.....	19
Candidates received on probation.....	3
Probationers accepted.....	5
Probationers not accepted.....	2
Visits made by district nurse.....	48
Number of pupils in training.....	31

## Contributions for November, 1896.

- Mrs. Wm. E. Hoyt—Old linen.  
 Mrs. Isengarten—German papers.  
 Mrs. W. S. Kimball—One fracture cot; one extension splint.  
 Mrs. Ph. Bartholomay—Package of magazines.  
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 Mrs. E. Burnett—"The Life of Christ."  
 Canandaigua Branch, Needlework Guild—Box of clothing, sixty pieces.  
 Ely Milburn—Package of Sunday-school Times; box for children's pavilion.  
 Miss Gertrude Michaels—Box of flowers for children's pavilion.  
 R. A. Sibley—Ten barrels of apples.  
 Hebe Raplee Wells, 187 West avenue—Three oranges for children's pavilion.  
 First M. E. Church—Fruit for children's pavilion.  
 Miss Florence Hart—Cut flowers.  
 Public Schools—Five hundred and thirty-four bushels of potatoes.  
 Parent Stem—Five pillow cases.  
 First Twig—Thirty-nine towels; twenty-nine napkins.  
 Second Twig—Nine sheets; nine towels.

## Hospital Notes.

A number of valuable books have been added to the nurse's reference library during the past month.

A pair of fine horses has been purchased for the ambulance, both of which have proved entirely satisfactory thus far.

Mrs. Lowrey has most kindly given her work in doing up the parlor curtains, and has offered to do all the curtains in the Hospital in future, as a permanent donation.

The First Graft has sent a number of Articles to the hospital this month—garments, towels, etc.—which will appear in the list of contributions in the next REVIEW.

There seems to be some misunderstanding about the payment of nurses in the City Hospital. All nurses employed are now paid—the juniors \$10, and the seniors \$12 a month.

The new reception-room at the Troup street side is now in readiness, and presents a cheerful appearance with its new rug and chandelier, and some of the fine old mahogany furniture recently renovated.

An excellent Thanksgiving dinner was given to all who were able to enjoy the privileges of the "turkey feast," and ice cream for every one in the hospital made the day a "red letter" day to the children in the Pavilion.

The managers desire to thank the school children of Rochester, who have contributed five hundred and thirty-four bushels of potatoes to the Hospital. On the opposite page will be found a list of schools and the number of bushels collected by each one.

On Thanksgiving Day, Miss Florence Hart brought to the Children's Pavilion a quantity of cut flowers, purchased with the proceeds of a collection taken in a Sunday-school at San Antonio, Texas, as the children there who live among flowers were anxious to send some to children at the North, who have none at this season. The letter accompanying the gift was a very pleasant one, which we shall be glad to publish next month if it can be obtained.

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Number of potatoes contributed by the school children of Rochester, each child giving two or more potatoes :

School No.	bush.
2.....	8
" " 3.....	22
" " 4.....	22
" " 5.....	4
" " 6.....	22½
" " 7.....	10½
" " 8.....	14
" " 9.....	24
" " 10.....	19
" " 11.....	10
" " 12.....	8½
" " 13.....	16
" " 14.....	14
" " 15.....	27½
" " 17.....	20
" " 18.....	15
" " 19.....	9
" " 20.....	22
" " 21.....	7½
" " 22.....	17
" " 23.....	5
" " 24.....	11
" " 25.....	2
" " 26.....	44
" " 27.....	15
" " 28.....	4
" " 29.....	8
" " 30.....	7½
" " 31.....	8
" " 32.....	11
" " 33.....	13
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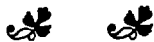
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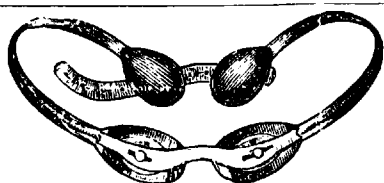
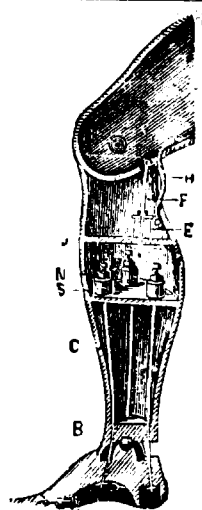
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MRS. MAX LANDSBERG.

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## STAFF.

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E. W. MULLIGAN.

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*Ophthalmologist,*

W. RIDER.

*Orthopedist,*

L. A. WEIGEL.

*Dermatologist,*

J. L. ROSEBOOM.

*Neurologist,*

E. B. ANGELL.

## JUNIOR STAFF.

### *Assistants in the House.*

S. W. LITTLE, H. S. DURAND, C. D. YOUNG, D. G. HASTINGS.

### *Assistants in Out-Patient Department.*

F. A. MANDEVILLE,

L. W. ROSE,

A. W. HENCKELL,

R. L. CARSON,

C. A. HUBER,

N. W. SOBLE,

R. G. COOK,

W. D. BECKER,

J. W. McCAULEY,

J. A. STAPLETON,

H. B. CARPENTER.

*Superintendent of the Hospital,*

MISS SOPHIA F. PALMER.

### *House Officers.*

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W. T. MULLIGAN,

R. L. STODDARD,

R. B. GAMBLE.

*Assist. Superintendent of the Training School,* MISS MARION DOYLE.

# ROCHESTER CITY HOSPITAL.

## ACT OF INCORPORATION.

AN ACT to incorporate the Rochester City Hospital. Passed May 7, 1847. (Laws of the State of New York, seventieth session, Chap. 233.)

The people of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows :

ARTICLE 1. John B. Elwood, William Pitkin, Isaac Hills, Thomas H. Rochester, Patrick Kearney, Frederick Starr, Ralph Lester, Edward M. Moore, John Williams, Elijah F. Smith, and David R. Barton, and such other persons as they shall associate with themselves, as hereinafter provided, are hereby constituted a Body Corporate, by the name of "The Rochester City Hospital," for the purpose of establishing and maintaining a public hospital in the city of Rochester.

ART. 2. The affairs of said corporation shall be managed and conducted by a Board of Directors, comprising all the members of said corporation ; and seven directors shall be a quorum for the transaction of business.

ART. 3. The Board of Directors shall have power to appoint, from their number, a president, vice-president, treasurer, secretary, executive committee, and such other officers as they may, from time to time, deem necessary, and to fix their terms of office and prescribe their duties.

ART. 4. The persons named in the first section are hereby declared to be the first Board of Directors ; the Board of Directors, or a quorum of their number convened as a Board, shall have the power to augment their number by electing other persons to the office of director, and to fill all vacancies in said office which may occur by death, resignation, or otherwise ; but the whole number of directors shall not at any time exceed fifty.

ART. 5. The corporation hereby created may receive, take, and hold, as well by devise or bequest as otherwise, any real estate or personal property for the uses and purposes contemplated by this act, whether the same be devised, bequeathed, or conveyed directly to said corporation or to the Board of Directors, or to any other person or persons for the use or benefit of said corporation, provided, however, that the annual value of the real estate held by said corporation shall not exceed ten thousand dollars.

ART. 6. The said corporation shall possess the general powers conferred by, and be subject to, the provisions and

restrictions of the third title of the eighteenth chapter of the first part of the Revised Statutes.

ART. 7. It shall be the duty of the Board of Directors to make an annual report to the legislature on or before the first day of February, in each year, showing the number of patients received into said institution during the year previous to the first day of the preceding January, distinguishing indigent from paying patients, the nature of their several diseases, the length of their respective residence in the Hospital, and the results of their treatment, the nature and value of the property of the corporation, its resources and pecuniary condition, together with all such particulars as may be necessary to exhibit the condition and operation of the Hospital.

At a meeting of the "Body Corporate," before mentioned, held in the mayor's office June 11, 1847, the following-named gentlemen were added to the Board of Directors: Hon. L. A. Ward, John H. Thompson, Hon. Jonathan Child, Aristarchus Champion, Everard Peck, James Webster, M. D., William Brewster, Jared Newell, Alex. Kelsey, H. F. Montgomery, M. D., Hon. Jacob Gould, and F. F. Backus, M. D.

## AMENDMENT TO THE ACT OF INCORPORATION.

### CHAPTER 547.

AN ACT to amend chapter two hundred and thirty-three of the laws of 1847, entitled "An act to incorporate the Rochester City Hospital." Passed June 18, 1881.

SECTION 1. Section one of chapter two hundred and thirty-three of the laws of eighteen hundred and forty-seven, entitled "An act to incorporate the Rochester City Hospital," is hereby amended so as to read as follows :

SEC. 1. John B. Elwood, William Pitkin, Isaac Hills, Thomas H. Rochester, Patrick Kearney, Frederick Starr, Ralph Lester, Edward M. Moore, John Williams, Elijah F. Smith, and David R. Barton, and such other persons as they shall associate with themselves, as hereinafter provided, are hereby constituted a Body Corporate, by the name of "The Rochester City Hospital," for the purpose of establishing and maintaining a public hospital in the city of Rochester and organizing a training school for educating nurses, to whom diplomas may be granted when properly educated and qualified. And said Corporation may receive gifts, grants, devises, and bequests ; which at the will of the donor are limited to the uses and purposes of such training school.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

# BY-LAWS

## OF THE

# BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

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### OFFICERS.

ARTICLE 1. The officers of the Board of Directors shall consist of a president, a vice-president, a secretary, and a treasurer, who shall be elected by the Board at its annual meeting, and shall hold their offices respectively for one year, and until their successors shall be chosen. All vacancies in these offices may be filled by the Board at any regular or special meeting.

ART. 2. The President shall preside at all meetings of the Board and shall be ex-officio a member of all standing committees. In case of his death, absence or disability, the Vice-President shall discharge his duties.

ART. 3. The Secretary shall keep the minutes of the proceedings of the Board in a book kept for that purpose, shall file and preserve all papers appertaining to the business of the Board, and perform such other duties as the Board may from time to time direct. To these minutes and files any member of the Board may, at all reasonable times, have access.

ART. 4. The Treasurer shall have the custody of the endowment fund, all gifts and bequests relating thereto, the securities of the Hospital, and of all other funds forming a part of the permanent endowment of the Hospital. He shall receive all payments for interest on such funds and securities, and pay them over as directed by the Board. He shall keep an accurate account of all moneys received and disbursed, and present a report at the annual meeting. He shall prepare and forward the annual report to the State Board of Charities, as required by law.

### MEETINGS.

ART. 5. The annual meeting of the Board shall be held on the third Thursday of January in each year, at such time and

place as may be designated, and quarterly meetings thereafter on the third Thursdays of April, July, and October in each year.

ART. 6. Special meetings of the Board shall be called by the Secretary at any time by direction of the President, or on the request of any two directors, the object of the meeting being specified in the notice.

## COMMITTEES.

### EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

ART. 7. An Executive Committee to consist of five members shall be elected at each annual meeting to hold office for one year, and until others are elected in their places. Vacancies in this committee may be filled by the Board at any regular or special meeting.

ART. 8. The Executive Committee shall possess the powers of the Board during the recess of the Board; shall be subject to such regulations or instructions as the Board may, from time to time, impose, and shall report their proceedings to the Board at each regular meeting.

### AUDITING COMMITTEE.

ART. 9. At the annual meeting of the Board in each year, an Auditing Committee, consisting of three members of the Board, shall be appointed by the President to examine the accounts of the Treasurer of the Board, and of the Treasurer of the Board of Managers, for the ensuing year, and to report at the next annual meeting.

### COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS.

ART. 10. At the annual meeting of the Board in each year a committee consisting of three members of the Board shall be appointed by the President, to which shall be referred all nominations for membership.

### COMMITTEE ON INVENTORY.

ART. 11. At the annual meeting of the Board in each year a committee, consisting of three members of the Board, shall be appointed by the President, to which shall be referred, during the ensuing year, all inventories of the effects of the Hospital required to be made by the rules, and it shall be its duty to report thereon at each annual meeting.

### COMMITTEE ON INVESTMENTS.

ART. 12. At the annual meeting of the Board in each year, the President shall appoint one member of the Board to act

with the Treasurer and himself as an Investment Committee for the ensuing year. It shall be the duty of such committee to pass upon all proposed investments of the funds of the Hospital.

### THE BOARD OF MANAGERS.

ART. 13. The general oversight and control of the domestic arrangements of the Hospital shall be vested in a board composed of women who shall make such by-laws for their government, and such rules and regulations for the management of the Hospital as they shall, from time to time, determine consistent with the rules and regulations established by this Board. Such rules shall be reported to this Board at any regular or special meeting. The Treasurer of the Board of Managers shall receive and disburse all moneys not provided for in Article 4 of these By-Laws.

### MEDICAL AND SURGICAL STAFF.

ART. 14. The Medical and Surgical Staff of the hospital shall consist of three or more physicians and three or more surgeons, appointed annually by the Board of Directors. It shall elect its own President and Secretary, make rules for its government and keep a record of its actions.

### JUNIOR STAFF.

ART. 15. There shall be also a Junior Staff, which shall consist of as many assistant physicians and surgeons as may be required for the work in the Hospital and in the out-patient department connected therewith.

ART. 16. The Staff shall each year, and on or before the second Thursday in January, hand in to the Secretary of the Board of Directors, a list of names of reputable physicians and surgeons, from which list, at its annual meeting, the Board of Directors shall elect the Junior Staff. The Staff shall apportion the work of the Hospital, including that of the out-patient department, among its own members and those of the Junior staff, and may classify such members in such manner and with such designations as it may deem proper.

All vacancies in the Staff shall be filled by the Directors from the present or former members of the Junior Staff, when practicable.

The Staff or the Board of Directors may at any time dismiss any physician belonging to the Junior staff.

Members of the Staff and of the Junior Staff may be first appointed at any time after the adoption of these By-Laws, and shall hold office until the annual meeting, on the third Thursday of January, 1898, or until their successors shall be appointed.

Vacancies in the Staff or Junior Staff may be filled and additional members appointed at any time by the Board of Directors.

### CONSULTING STAFF.

ART. 17. The Staff may recommend to the Directors, any physician as a member of the Consulting Staff, and such physician may be appointed in like manner, as a member of the Staff. He shall have all the privileges of the members of the Staff, except that of voting at a meeting thereof.

ART. 18. Any physician in regular standing, approved by the Staff, may visit any patient who desires his services, except in the public wards. The Hospital shall, in no case, be held responsible for the compensation of such physician.

### HOUSE OFFICERS.

ART. 19. It shall be the duty of the Staff to appoint, subject to the Directors, three or more resident assistants, who shall be termed Senior, Junior, Third, etc., House Officers.

The House Officers shall be subject to the rules and regulations elsewhere set forth for their conduct, and no House Officer shall be advanced or promoted, except on the recommendation of the Superintendent and the approval of the Staff.

### COMMITTEE ON RULES AND APPEALS.

ART. 20. The President of the Board of Directors, the President of the Board of Managers, the President of the Staff, and the chairman and secretary of the Executive Committee, shall constitute a Committee, to whom shall be referred for final decision, all appeals made by persons who state in writing that they think they have a just complaint against the management of the Hospital or any of the departments of the institution.

This committee shall have full power to decide upon all complaints submitted, and its decision shall be final.

Where the meaning of a rule of the Hospital is in doubt, it shall be its duty, on request, to interpret such rule, and its interpretation shall be final.

This committee shall have a chairman and secretary. The latter shall keep the minutes of all meetings, shall receive and file all communications.

Meetings may be called by the chairman, or upon the request of any two members of the Committee.

#### TRAINING SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

ART. 21. There shall be a committee having the oversight of the Training School for Nurses, subject to the Board of Directors and the Executive Committee thereof, consisting of the members of the Committee on Rules and Appeals, the Superintendent of the Hospital and such other members of the Board of Directors, the Board of Managers or the Staff, as the Committee may from time add to its number.

ART. 22. Members of the Board of Directors who neglect to attend the meetings of the Board for one year, without tendering a reasonable excuse therefor, shall be deemed to have resigned from office, and their places will be filled by the Board at its discretion.

ART. 23. These By-Laws may be amended at any meeting of the Board, ten days' notice in writing, with a general description of the purpose of the proposed amendment, having been given by the Secretary.

# BY-LAWS

## OF THE

# BOARD OF MANAGERS.

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ARTICLE 1. The Board of Managers of the Rochester City Hospital shall have the general oversight and control of the domestic arrangements, money receipts and disbursements of the Hospital under authority conferred by Article XIII. of the By-Laws of the Board of Directors.

Any vacancies may be filled at a regular meeting or at any special meeting called for that purpose. Seven members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

### OFFICERS.

ART. 2. The officers of this Board shall consist of a president, two vice-presidents, a treasurer, an assistant treasurer, a recording secretary, and a corresponding secretary. They shall be elected by ballot at the annual meeting and shall hold their offices for one year and until their successors are chosen.

ART. 3. The President shall preside at all meetings of the Board, call special meetings at the request of two or more members, and appoint committees when required. In case of absence or disability, one of the vice-presidents shall perform her duties, in order of their appointment. The President is *ex officio* a member of all standing committees.

ART. 4. The Treasurer shall receive all subscriptions, donations of money, and moneys paid in, except for the Endowment Fund, and shall pay all bills properly vouched for, keep records of the same, and make a monthly report to the Board. She shall also make an annual report to the Directors, such report to be audited by the Auditing Committee of the Directors. She shall also keep and deposit all moneys received in such bank as may be approved by the Directors.

ART. 5. The Recording Secretary shall keep a record of the proceedings of all meetings in a book provided for that purpose, and present the same at the monthly meetings.

ART. 6. The Corresponding Secretary shall attend to the correspondence of the Board in all matters relating to the Hospital business, and give notice of special meetings. She shall also make an annual report to the Board and read the same at the annual meeting of the Rochester Female Charitable Society.

## COMMITTEES.

### EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

ART. 7. An Executive Committee to consist of six members, including the President *ex officio*, shall be elected at each annual meeting, to hold office for one year and until others are elected in their places. This Committee shall possess and exercise all the executive and supervisory powers of the Board of Managers, subject to that Board, and shall make a report of its work at each stated meeting of the Managers. It shall constitute a Committee on Nominations to fill vacancies in membership and among the officers.

ART. 8. The Executive Committee shall visit the Hospital each Monday morning, and at other times when necessary. The Recording Secretary shall attend these meetings and make a report of the proceedings at the regular monthly meeting following.

### VISITING COMMITTEE.

ART. 9. Two members of the Board appointed monthly by the President shall constitute the Visiting Committee of the Board of Managers. It shall be the duty of such Committee to visit the Hospital from time to time during the month of their appointment and to report the results of such visits to the Board of Managers at its regular monthly meetings.

### COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS.

ART. 10. The President shall appoint a Committee on Ways and Means at each annual meeting, consisting of such number as she may deem proper, together with the chairman thereof. She shall have the power at any time to add to the number of the Committee and to fill vacancies occurring therein. It shall be the duty of such Committee to devise ways and means for meeting the financial and material necessities of the Hospital.

The President shall have the power, if she deem it advisable, to appoint a Sub-Committee on Entertainments from the members of the Committee on Ways and Means, consisting of such number as she may deem proper. This Committee shall have the management and care of all public entertainments undertaken for the benefit of the Hospital.

COMMITTEE ON THE HOSPITAL REVIEW.

ART. 11. There shall be a Committee on the Hospital Review, consisting of four members of this Board appointed at the annual meeting in each year by the President. It shall be their duty to conduct and publish the monthly periodical issued in the interests of the Hospital.

MEETINGS.

ART. 12. The annual meeting of the Board shall be held on the first Monday in January, in each year, at the Hospital, or at such other place as may be designated, provided, however, that if the first Monday in January shall be a legal holiday, the annual meeting shall be held on the Monday following.

ART. 13. Monthly meetings shall be held at the Hospital on the first Monday after the first Friday in each month, excepting, however, the month of January, when the annual meeting is held. If such Monday is a holiday, the meeting shall be held on the Monday following.

SPECIAL MEETINGS.

ART. 14. Special meetings may be called by the President or on the written request of any three of the Managers. The Secretary shall, in the notice of such special meeting, specify the object of such meeting, and only such business as is so specified can be considered.

ART. 15. The order of exercises for the monthly and annual meetings is :

Reading of Scripture and prayer, by the President.

Reports of Officers.

Reports of Vital Statistics and of Donations.

Reports of Committees.

Report of Hospital Review.

Unfinished business.

New business.

Adjournment.

The above order may be changed in the discretion of the President.

ART. 16. Members of the Board of Managers who neglect to attend the meetings of the Board for six months without tendering a reasonable excuse therefor, shall be deemed to have resigned their offices and their places will be filled by the Board at its discretion.

ART. 17. These By-Laws shall not be changed or enlarged unless notice of such action shall have been given at the previous regular meeting.

# RULES.

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ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

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## SUPERINTENDENT.

I. A Superintendent of the Hospital shall be chosen by the Board of Directors or by the Executive Committee thereof, as such Board may deem advisable.

II. She shall reside at the Hospital, and shall, under the direction of the said Executive Committee, have the control of all the departments thereof, including the Training School for Nurses, of all subordinate officers, employes, and patients, and the charge of the grounds, buildings and appurtenances.

III. She shall have superintendence and oversight of the admission of patients, and shall make necessary arrangements for their board and maintenance.

IV. She shall have control and management of the purchase of all ordinary supplies, instruments, and drugs for the Hospital, subject to the approval of the Board of Managers, and shall keep a record thereof.

V. She shall hire and dismiss all employees. It shall be her duty to discharge, as soon as practicable, all patients who are recommended for such action by a member of the Staff, also any patient who is guilty of gross misconduct; report of such action, however, to be made to the attending physician and to the Board of Managers at their first meeting.

VI. She shall make the necessary entries in the register, and keep a record of all articles given to the Institution, with the date and name of the donor.

VII. She shall send for a religious adviser when one is desired by the patient. She shall notify the friends in case of the dangerous illness or death of the patient, and shall take charge of all money and valuables belonging to the patient, when requested to do so.

VIII. She shall keep a copy of all official correspondence, including notices to relatives or friends of deceased patients.

She shall take from all patients at the time of their admission, the name of some relative or friend to whom notice may be given of dangerous illness or death.

IX. She shall keep a record of all persons temporarily employed in and about the institution, and shall submit it to the Managers of the Hospital.

X. She shall keep an inventory of all movable property in the Hospital, exercise proper care over the same, and make a record of articles purchased and of articles condemned as unserviceable, and of the disposition thereof. Each inventory shall be submitted to the Committee on Inventory, as provided in the By-Laws.

XI. She shall report to the Managers all articles needed, which entail any unusual or extraordinary expenditure, and all necessary repairs.

XII. She shall, subject to the Treasurer of the Board of Managers, supervise all expenditures, examine all bills before their payment, and render an accurate account of receipts and expenditures monthly to both the Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Directors and the Treasurer of the Board of Managers. She shall collect and receive all payments from patients, and cause proper accounts to be kept in books provided for that purpose.

XIII. She shall not be absent at any time without appointing some responsible person to act in her place, and shall not be absent at any time for a period of more than one day, without the consent of the Executive Committee of the Directors, and shall have the power to employ such clerical assistance as she may require, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee of the Directors.

XIV. No instrument, apparatus, or supplies, medical or surgical, of the Hospital, or property of any sort belonging to the Hospital, shall be removed from the premises, without the written consent of the Superintendent.

XV. She shall see that payment in full is made to the Hospital for all damage done wilfully or carelessly to any of its property.

XVI. She shall see that the attendants are properly instructed in regard to their duties in case of an alarm of fire.

XVII. She shall cause a correct record to be kept of persons leaving or entering the Hospital between the hours for closing the doors and 7 A. M.

XVIII. She shall keep, or supervise the keeping of an extra diet book in each ward, in which shall be recorded all orders for extra liquors, medicines, medical supplies, or diet. These

shall be examined daily by the Superintendent and reported in writing to the Staff, as well as to the Board of Managers. She shall determine, subject to the direction of the Board of Managers, what charge, if any, shall be made for such extras. It shall be her duty to keep a record and report to the Staff, respecting the use of drugs, surgical and medical supplies, with such comments as she may deem proper.

XIX. It shall be her duty to make and post such rules as she may deem necessary for the internal management and discipline of the Hospital, subject to the revision thereof by the Board of Directors or its Executive Committee.

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## HOUSE OFFICERS.

I. Three or more resident assistants to the Medical and Surgical Staff shall be appointed by the Staff, subject to the Board of Directors, for a period not exceeding two years, and shall serve for the full period of their appointment unless sooner removed by the Staff or by the Directors. They shall be termed the Senior, Junior, Third, etc., House Officers, and shall reside in the Hospital and render their professional services gratuitously and exclusively to its inmates under the direction of the attending Medical Officers and the Superintendent.

II. All moneys, directly or indirectly, received at any time by any House Officer for professional services to patients, in or out of the Hospital, shall be immediately handed to the Superintendent.

III. They shall carry out the instructions of the attending Medical Officers of the Hospital with reference to the treatment of patients. They shall accompany such officers and physicians visiting private patients on their said visits as required.

IV. In all other matters, especially those affecting the internal management, order, and discipline of the Hospital, they shall follow the instructions of the Superintendent.

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## OUT-PATIENT DEPARTMENT.

I. This department shall be known as the Free Out-Patient department of the Rochester City Hospital. It shall be considered a department of the Hospital, and under the charge of the Superintendent.

II. A clinical record shall be kept of each case treated in the Out-Patient department, and a monthly report shall be

made to the Staff of the Hospital and to the Superintendent of the work of the several departments.

III. The Free Out-Patient department of the Hospital is designed solely to give treatment to indigent patients. No charge shall be made to any patient for advice or treatment, except when medicines or surgical appliances are furnished, when a sufficient sum may be collected to cover the cost of such medicines or appliances. All sums so received shall be duly entered and paid over to the Superintendent of the Hospital.

IV. The organization of those members of the Junior Staff assigned by the Staff to the Out-Patient department shall be under the direction of the Staff which may provide for such officers of the Out-Patient department and such methods of communicating with the Staff as it may deem proper.

V. Those members of the Junior Staff who are assigned to the Out-Patient department shall not be permitted to attend patients in the public wards of the Hospital except with the consent of the attending medical officer, or if he is absent and in an emergency case, with that of the Superintendent.

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## ADMISSION OF PATIENTS.

I. Application for admission of patients should be made to the Superintendent at the Hospital each day of the week, Sunday excepted, between 9 A. M. and 12 M.

II. Whenever able, the patient should apply in person. When not able to appear in person, application may be made by a friend.

III. Persons carried directly to the Hospital from the place of an accident are admitted immediately and at all hours.

IV. No person can be admitted whose case is judged to be incurable, unless temporarily for urgent symptoms which are deemed capable of being relieved.

V. Ward patients who can, personally or through friends, render compensation for their care and treatment, must make arrangements therefor before entering the ward.

VI. The charge for care and treatment in the general wards is seven dollars per week for each patient, which includes medical and surgical attendance, medicine, nursing, and washing.

VII. Beds in private wards, eight dollars per week.

VIII. The charge for the use of the Surgical Pavilion is ten dollars for each operation. A deduction of five dollars will

be made from the charge for each patient occupying a bed in a private ward.

IX. All paying patients are required to pay weekly or monthly in advance or to furnish security for payments.

X. Visitors will be permitted to see ward patients from 2 until 4 o'clock each day, Sunday excepted, and Saturday evenings from 7 until 8, and no patient shall receive more than two visitors in one day. The Superintendent, however, may exercise discretionary power as to excluding or admitting visitors.

XI. All patients not residents of Rochester are required to pay in advance or furnish security.

XII. Cases of contagious diseases are admitted only to the isolated pavilions, and application for their admission must be made to the Superintendent before bringing the patient to the Hospital.

XIII. The Superintendent is required and has full authority to enforce these regulations.

XIV. The above rules are subject to the arrangements made with the city and county for the treatment of patients who are charges on either.

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## PATIENTS.

I. Patients shall not leave the ward without permission of the Head Nurse. They shall not leave the Hospital grounds without a written pass from one of the House Officers. These passes shall be delivered to the Head Nurse on the return of the patient. Any patient violating this rule may be immediately discharged from the Hospital.

II. They will not visit the wards or rooms occupied by other patients, without permission from the Superintendent.

III. No loud talking, profane or vulgar language, or unnecessary noise or disturbance will be tolerated in the House or grounds.

IV. They must be in or near their beds during the visit of the Attending Physician and Surgeon, and also when the House Officers make their morning and evening visits through the wards.

V. They shall retire at or before 9 P. M. Non-compliance with this rule must be reported by the Nurses.

VI. Ward patients who are able shall assist the Nurses and render such other services in the household as the Superintend-

ent may direct. The Attending Medical Officer will decide as to the fitness of the patients to give the assistance referred to.

VII. All complaints must be made directly to the Nurse in attendance, who will report them to the proper authority.

VIII. Smoking of tobacco is not allowed in the Hospital.

IX. Patients will be discharged only by direction of the Attending Physician and Surgeon, or by the Superintendent in case of gross misconduct.

X. All moneys, jewelry, and other valuables shall be sent to the Superintendent for safe-keeping. The patient's clothing, also, will be kept in an appropriate place. The Hospital cannot undertake to care for the effects of a patient, who has died or left the institution for more than two weeks subsequent to such event. If personal property is not handed to the proper officer for safe-keeping, as stated herein, the Hospital cannot be responsible for any loss or damage.

XI. The Hospital is designed for the reception of acute cases only, or of cases that may be benefited by treatment. Patients who are not so benefited are to be removed whenever the interests of the Hospital require their discharge.

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## VISITORS.

I. Visitors to wards will be permitted to see patients from 2 to 4 P. M. and on Saturdays from 7 to 8 P. M., if not otherwise ordered by the Superintendent. They will not see patients on Sundays without special permission, and except in cases of extreme necessity.

II. Any articles of diet brought by visitors to patients, must be left in the office, and will be given to the person designated if so permitted by the Attending Physician or Surgeon.

III. Patients may be visited by clergymen of their own selection, when such visits are desired.

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## GENERAL RULES.

I. Employees, so far as practicable, shall have assigned to them regular duties, but they will be expected to comply with any reasonable request for unusual services.

II. Permission for absence from hours of duty must first be obtained from the Superintendent.

III. No changes or repairs in the buildings or rooms of the Hospital shall be made unless they are first approved by the Executive Committee of the Directors, except in an emergency when immediate action is necessary for the protection of property; in such a case the Executive Committee shall be notified without delay.

IV. Complaints against any person connected with or affecting any part of the management of the Hospital must, unless they are made directly to the Superintendent, in order to receive notice, be formulated in writing, properly signed and addressed to the Secretary of the Committee on Rules and Appeals.

Any person desiring the interpretation of an existing rule shall present his request for such interpretation in writing, properly signed, to the Secretary of the Committee on Rules and Appeals, and the decision of the Committee in respect thereto shall be final.

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## ADDITIONAL RULES.

*The following rules have been made by the Superintendent, and, together with the foregoing, constitute the rules of the Hospital.*

### HOUSE OFFICERS.

I. The Senior House Officer shall, when called upon by the Superintendent, examine patients who present themselves for admission to the Hospital.

II. He shall accompany any officer sent by the Poormaster to investigate patients in the wards, and shall give information regarding the condition of such patients as the officer may require, but, with this exception, shall allow no one unconnected with the Hospital, unless invited by the attending medical officers, to accompany them into the wards at any time to make an examination of patients.

III. He shall keep a full clinical record of all cases in the Hospital, making such entries as the attending medical officer shall direct. He shall report all births and deaths to the Superintendent.

IV. He shall make a daily morning and evening visit upon each patient, and when it is advisable to notify the relatives or friends of patients who may be seriously ill, or when a patient desires a religious adviser, shall notify the Superintendent.

V. The Hospital shall not at any time be left without the attendance of two of the House Officers.

VI. He shall notify the Superintendent when an autopsy is to be made.

VII. He shall not transfer patients from one place to another without the consent of the Superintendent. He shall see that patients received into the accident room are not transferred to the wards until application has been made to the Superintendent, and admission cards prepared.

VIII. In the performance of the foregoing duties, the Junior and other officers shall render such aid as may be required by the Senior House Officer, and in the absence of the latter will assume his authority in the order of their appointments.

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## HEAD NURSES.

I. Each Head Nurse shall wear a black velvet band as a badge on her cap.

II. She will be held responsible for the good condition of her ward, including the kitchen, closets and bath-room, and for the cleanliness and serviceable condition of all utensils.

III. She shall report promptly to the proper person everything in the ward requiring attention, and any misbehavior or insubordination of nurses, patients, or employees in her department. She must enforce the rules and discipline of the Hospital, and endeavor to prevent waste and destruction.

IV She must accompany the medical officers during their visits, be ready to answer all inquiries, and see that all orders are promptly and faithfully executed. She will be responsible for all medicines and treatment, and must see that all necessary supplies are provided for the ward. She will keep an account of all articles sent to the laundry, and see that they are returned in proper condition, and, if not, report the same at once to the Superintendent.

V Whenever she is obliged to leave the ward, she must put a competent nurse in charge. The nurse so placed temporarily in charge must hold herself responsible for the proper care of the ward, trying to fill, as far as possible, the place of the Head Nurse. A nurse must always be in sight on the ward, so as to give all officers, visitors, and patients prompt and courteous attention.

VI. A correct list must be kept of all clothing belonging to patients, and each article must be distinctly marked with the owner's name. Any money or other valuables must be taken to the Superintendent for safe-keeping, and a list of such articles

kept in the ward. On the death of a patient all articles of value must be removed from the body before it is taken from the ward. The effects are to be inventoried and kept for the patient's legal representatives.

VII. She must see that for each new patient cards of admission are sent from the office endorsed by the Superintendent or her representative. This card, with the record of the pulse, temperature and respiration, must be taken as soon as possible to the House officer in charge of the ward.

VIII. She must see that the meals are properly served, and that each patient receives the diet which has been ordered.

IX. She shall see that the furniture, etc., belonging to any private room, is not taken for use in any other room.

X. She must remember that it is her duty to instruct her assistants in the practical details of nursing. She must teach them to watch symptoms and changes in the patients, arrange for them to accompany her on her rounds with the physicians, and strive to make them useful and efficient nurses. She will be responsible for the punctuality and neat appearance of her nurses, and must neither give nor take extra time off duty without permission from the Superintendent.

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## NIGHT NURSES.

I. The hours of duty for Night nurses are from 7 P. M. to 7 A. M. During these hours the nurses must not leave the wards, except on business, without permission from the Night Superintendent. They must wear noiseless shoes and must not remove their caps and aprons, or lie down while on duty.

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## SPECIAL NURSES.

"Graduate Nurses" employed temporarily in the Hospital must observe the rules of the institution in every particular, and shall be directly subordinate to the Superintendent and the heads of the several departments in which they may be employed.

Only such nurses as are satisfactory to the Superintendent shall be allowed to do special nursing in the Hospital.

## ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT OF THE TRAINING SCHOOL AND NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT

The Assistant Superintendent of the Training School, Night Superintendent, and Head Nurses shall be appointed and discharged by the Superintendent, subject to the approval of the Managers.

The Assistant Superintendent shall, under the direction of the Superintendent, be held responsible for the nursing of the patients, the cleanliness of the wards and private rooms. She shall report promptly to the Superintendent everything in the wards requiring attention, and any misbehavior on the part of any person in the Hospital. She must enforce the rules and discipline of the Hospital. The omission to do this will be considered evidence of unfitness to occupy the position. She shall attend to the clerical work of the Training School, and give such portion of the didactic instruction as the Superintendent may require. She shall act for the Superintendent in her absence, and perform such other duties as may be from time to time determined.

The above rules shall apply also to the Night Superintendent during her hours of duty.

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## NURSES.

I. Nurses will be selected by the Superintendent and appointed by the Training-school Committee. Any nurse whose services and conduct are not satisfactory, may be discharged at any time. A diploma will be given only to those nurses who pass a satisfactory examination upon the subjects taught during the course.

II. They will be subject to the Superintendent and to the heads of the several departments in which they may be employed. Prompt observance of the rules and regulations of the Hospital will be required.

III. They must be on duty and leave the wards promptly at the appointed hours, which, for day nurses are : from 7 A. M. to 7 P. M.; for night nurses, from 7 P. M. to 7 A. M. While on duty they must wear broad-toed and flat-heeled boots, and the uniform of the school.

IV. They must be at their meals in season, and must not linger in the dining room after meals. They shall not order

extra food from the kitchen. They shall not take meals in places other than their dining room, without permission from the superintendent of nurses. Breakfast for day nurses is at 6:30 A. M.; for night nurses at 7:15 A. M.; first dinner from 12:00 to 12:30 P. M.; second dinner from 12:30 to 1:00 P. M.; supper for day nurses from 5:00 to 5:45 P. M.; for night nurses from 5:45 to 6:15 P. M.

V. They will retire to their rooms at or before 9:30 P. M. All lights must be extinguished at 10 P. M. No nurse shall be absent from the hospital after 9:30 P. M., without permission from the Superintendent, who shall require explanations of all absences.

VI. When taken off duty on account of illness, they will not leave their rooms or return to their hospital duties without permission from the Superintendent. She will see that they have suitable care and diet, and will select a physician to attend to those who need medical care. They will not consult any other physician, or obtain medicine from the Hospital Pharmacy without her permission.

VII. They are not permitted to receive calls in the wards or during duty hours, from their friends or other nurses. When off duty they will remain out of the wards. They will not visit the kitchens or laundry, except in their performance of their duties. They must not take visitors to their rooms or invite them to meals without permission.

VIII. They must keep their rooms in order and always ready for inspection. One dress and eighteen pieces are allowed in the wash weekly. If more pieces are required, permission must be obtained from the Superintendent.

IX. They will have no relations or communications of any kind with the Physicians, House Officers, patients or any employees of the hospital, except so far as may be necessary in the care of patients or the regular work of the institution.

X. They will make no comments upon the treatment of patients by different physicians. All physicians must be shown equal respect. Any nurse who gives information to a patient or visitor, inside or outside the Hospital, with regard to the histories, diseases or treatment of patients, will subject herself to the penalty of dismissal from the school. All patients must be treated with kindness and courtesy.

XI. They must not be absent from class or lectures without permission.

XII. The resignation of any nurse will not be accepted unless the reason for the same is satisfactory to the Superintendent and Training-school Committee.

## THE AMBULANCE SERVICE.

I. The ambulance and ambulance service is under the control and direction of the Superintendent of the Hospital.

II. The Third House Officer shall be considered Ambulance Surgeon, and will be held responsible for the instruments, drugs, and all appliances, (splints, etc.) carried in the ambulance. He must keep an inventory of same and turn them over to his successor, at the termination of his term of service. He shall see that all bottles are kept filled and in good condition, that all appliances, dressings, towels, sponges, bandages, etc., are kept in order, that instruments are properly cleaned and sterilized, and all returned to the ambulance in good condition ; also that blankets are in good condition and kept clean, and that the proper blankets are in the ambulance when it is about to answer a call. He shall see that the stretchers are kept clean and in proper condition. He shall also make, in a book provided for the purpose, a full record of all ambulance calls and cases and report the same to the Superintendent. It is the duty of the Ambulance Surgeon to get the patient to the Hospital as speedily as possible, compatible with the safety and comfort of the patient, and with due regard to the nature of the case. Any operations before reaching the Hospital are to be only such as emergency demands.

III. The satchel containing the drugs, instruments, dressings, etc., shall be kept in a convenient place in the Hospital, where it can be quickly obtained by the Surgeon, who will take it with him in the ambulance, when answering a call, and return it to its proper place in the Hospital upon the return of the ambulance.

IV. In case of collision or other accident, occurring to or resulting from the ambulance, the Surgeon will make note of same in his book, and when possible, obtain names of the injured and those witnessing or causing the accident.

V. When a call for the ambulance comes, it must be attended to as speedily as possible. Accident or emergency cases brought to the Hospital must be admitted in regular form, by the Superintendent, before being carried into the ward.

VI. Accident or emergency cases shall be carried free to any Hospital or other institution or residence within the city limits, that the patients or their friends may designate.

VII. Hospital patients will be carried from any point inside the city limits to the Hospital, free of charge, and will be removed from the Hospital to their residences or the railroad station, free of charge.

VIII. In other cases, the only charges for use of the ambulance, inside the city limits, shall be two dollars (\$2) for each call, and in case the ambulance shall convey patients to places outside the city limits, an extra charge of one dollar (\$1) for each mile or fraction of a mile, (charge to be made for one way only) shall be made.

IX. The driver is to care for horse, ambulance, blankets, and all articles except drugs, instruments, and appliances, and report at once to the Superintendent any injury, loss or damage to them. He shall be on hand at all times to answer calls promptly. He shall drive carefully, and all reckless driving or racing with other vehicles is strictly prohibited.

He shall drive to any place or places directed by the Ambulance Surgeon, as quickly as possible, compatible with safety, but must use his own judgment regarding speed of driving.

# TRAINING SCHOOL FOR NURSES.

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The Managers of the Rochester City Hospital are prepared to give a two-years' course of training to women who wish to become professional nurses. Those who wish to receive this course of instruction must apply to the Superintendent of the Rochester City Hospital.

Applicants for admission to the School must be single women, between twenty-two and thirty-five years of age, possessed of a good education, of perfect health, and unexceptionable moral character. Upon the approval of the Superintendent, candidates will be received for a probationary term of one month. During the month of trial, and previous to being accepted as a pupil in the School, the applicant must be prepared for an examination in reading, penmanship, simple arithmetic, and English dictation. This amount of education is indispensable, but women of superior education and culture, when otherwise qualified, will be preferred to those who do not possess these advantages.

At the end of this month, if their services and examinations have been acceptable, they will be admitted as pupil nurses, after signing an agreement to remain in the School for two years (including the probationary term), subject to its rules and regulations.

After the probation period, pupils are paid ten dollars per month during the first year, and twelve dollars per month during the second year. This is not considered as wages, but the allowance covers the cost of uniforms, text books, and other necessary expenses during the period of training.

The Superintendent has full power to decide as to the fitness of the pupils for the work, and the desirability of retaining or dismissing them. She can also, with the approval of the Training School Committee, sever their connection with the School at any time in case of misconduct or inefficiency, for moral or physical unfitness for the work, or for any reason which may be deemed sufficient.

The hours for Day Nurses are from 7 A. M. to 7 P. M. ; for Night Nurses, from 7 P. M. to 7 A. M. No Nurse is required to do both day duty and night duty on the same day, except in rare emergencies. Each Nurse on day duty is allowed one hour for rest and recreation daily, one afternoon during the week, and

three hours on Sunday. A vacation of two weeks is allowed each year. The Nurses are required to wear the uniform at all times when on duty.

Accepted candidates, when coming to the Hospital, must bring with them the following articles, for use during the probationary term : three cotton dresses, with plain waist and full skirt, six or more aprons of white cotton sheeting two yards and a quarter wide and nearly as long as the dress-skirt, *broad-toed and flat-heeled boots*, a good supply of plain underclothing, and two bags for soiled clothes. The owner's full name must be indelibly marked on each article. During the two years, board, lodging, and washing are furnished without charge. In illness all pupils are cared for gratuitously, but time so lost must be made up at the end of the term.

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## COURSE OF TRAINING.

The instructions include :

1. The care of sick rooms and wards ; the principles of ventilation, and the best practical method of supplying fresh air and warming and ventilating sick rooms.
2. Bed-making, changing bed and body-linen with patient in bed ; keeping patient warm or cool ; giving baths ; management of helpless patients ; prevention and treatment of bed-sores.
3. The application and dressing of blisters ; care of burns, sores, wounds ; the preparation and application of fomentations, poultices, cups, and leeches.
4. The lining of splints ; the making and application of straps, bandages, rollers, tampons, and dossils.
5. The administration of enemata, douches ; the use of the catheter.
6. The care of patients before, during, and after confinement ; the nursing of sick children ; massage and Swedish movements, and the best method of applying friction to the body and extremities.
7. The care of the eye when diseased and after operations ; the names and uses of surgical instruments ; the care of patients before, during, and after operations ; the prevention and control of hemorrhage ; artificial respiration ; the care of the dead.
8. The various modes of feeding patients ; the preparation and serving of food for the sick ; the treatment of convalescents ; the care of infectious cases ; disinfection and contagion.

Pupils are taught to make accurate observations and reports to the physician, of the state of the secretions, expectoration, skin, temperature, pulse, respiration, sleep, mental condition, character of eruptions, condition of wounds, state of the appetite, effects of diet, medicine, and stimulants.

Nurses are detailed for district nursing among the poor, for a period of one month, during the second year. The instruction is given by the Superintendent of Nurses, Staff Officers, and Head Nurses. Lectures, demonstrations, and examinations, by members of the Hospital Staff, take place from time to time.

When the full term of two years is satisfactorily completed, each Nurse, after final examinations, shall receive at the next Commencement exercises a diploma certifying to her ability and knowledge of nursing. The Commencement exercises of the Training School are held in the spring of each year.

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## QUESTIONS TO BE ANSWERED BY CANDIDATE.

We ask you to write a personal letter giving answers to the following questions :

1. Give your name in full and present address.
2. Give the date and place of your birth ; your height and weight.
3. Are you single, widowed, or divorced? If widowed or divorced, state whether you have, or have had, any children. If so, how are they provided for?
4. Are you free from domestic responsibility, so that you are not liable to be called away?
5. Are your sight and hearing perfect? Have you any physical defects?
6. Are you perfectly strong and well? And have you always been so?
7. In what school or schools were you educated? When did you leave school, and what have been your occupations since?
8. Have you ever been a nurse in any hospital or asylum, and have you applied elsewhere?
9. What are your reasons and motives for desiring the education of a nurse?
10. Do you fear any disease to the care of which you might be assigned?
11. Are you a member of, or regular attendant at any church? And if so, of what denomination?
12. Give the names and addresses of two persons for reference as to your character, and state how long each has known you. If previously employed, one of these must be the last employer.
13. Have you read and do you clearly understand this paper?

## LECTURES TO THE TRAINING SCHOOL FOR NURSES.

The following is the revised list of subjects for the year 1896-7 :

### JUNIOR CLASS LECTURES.

1896.

Sept. 1, 8—Four Lectures. By DR. ROSE.

15, 22—Anatomy. The cell. Formation of living tissue. The Skeleton. Growth and repair of bones. Muscles. Their use, origin, and insertion. The soft tissues. Blood.

29—Three Lectures. By DR. YOUNG.

Oct. 6, 13—Bacteriology. Outlines of theory. Disease-producing germs, and conditions favorable to their development. Germs necessary for health. Nature's protection. Disinfection.

20, 27—Six Lectures. By DR. ELY.

Nov. 3, 10, 17, 24—Dust. Its dangers. Importance of absolute cleanliness in hospital wards. Ventilation. Water. Keeping of bedside records. What to observe and how to record. Importance of accuracy and promptness in all schemes of treatment. Bed-sores. Cause, prevention, treatment. Baths. Enemata. Douches. Use of catheter. Fomentations. Weights, measures, and administration of medicine. Signs of death. Care of the dead. Autopsies.

Dec. 1, 8—Two Lectures. By DR. HASTINGS.

Organs of respiration. Pulse, temperature, and respiration. Heat, how produced and equalized. Chill.

15, 22—Two Lectures. By DR. DURAND.

Anatomy and functions of organs of digestion. Physiology of food. Food preservation. Feeding of helpless patients.

1897.

Jan. 5, 12—Two Lectures. By DR. KEMPE.

Organs of elimination. Skin, lungs, bowels, kidneys. Urinalysis.

19, 26—Four Lectures. By DR. S. W. LITTLE.

Feb. 2, 9—Surgery. Asepsis, antiseptis. Operating-room, instruments, ligatures. Preparation of patient for operation. Cleansing of hands. Nurse's place in surgical technique. After-care of patient. Dressings. Surgical emergencies. Traumatic fever. Delirium.

Feb. 16, 23—Two Lectures. By DR. MULLIGAN.

Anæsthetics. Ether, chloroform, cocaine. How to administer. Amount to give. Depressing influences, with remedies. Ether, its inflammability. Chloroform, its irritability. Protection of eyes, lips, etc. Position of tongue.

March 2, 9—Two Lectures. By DR. HUBER.

Typhoid fever. Typhoid hemorrhage. Special nursing. Bath treatment.

16, 23—Two Lectures. By DR. COOK.

Nervous system.

30—One Lecture. By DR. YOUNG.

Work of the district nurse. Homes of the poor. Service of the out-patient department.

April 6, 13, 20, 27—Four lessons in bandaging. By DR. DURAND.

May 4, 11, 18, 25—Four Lectures. By DR. D. LITTLE.

#### SENIOR CLASS LECTURES.

1896,

Sept. 4, 11, 18, 25—Four Lectures. By DR. SOBLE.

Diseases of organs of the thoracic cavity, acute and chronic. Pneumonia, pleurisy, phthisis, bronchitis, etc. Various forms of heart-disease. Medical hemorrhage. Medical emergencies.

Oct. 2, 9, 16—Three Lectures. By DR. HENCKELL.

Wounds and their methods of healing. Slough, inflammation, gangrene, erysipelas, septicæmia, pyæmia, burns, scalds, frost-bites, bites of animals. Fractures, dislocations, sprains. Surgical hemorrhage.

23, 30—Two Lectures. By DR. WILLIAMS.

Gynecology.

Nov. 6, 13, 20—Three Lectures. By DR. HOWARD.

Diseases of the brain. Various forms of insanity, with special nursing.

27—Three Lectures. By DR. RIDER.

Dec. 4, 11—Eye and ear.

Dec. 18, 24—Two Lectures. By DR. BECKER.

Poisons.

1897.

Jan. 8, 15—Two Lectures. By DR. ROSEBOOM.

Care of the hair and skin. Parasitic diseases.

22, 29—Four Lectures. By DR. WEIGEL.

Feb. 5, 12—Management of orthopedic cases. Plaster bandages. Apparatus. Electricity.

19, 26—Two Lectures. By DR. MANDEVILLE.

Diseases of the throat and nose. Tracheotomy. Intubation.

Mar. 5, 12, 19, 26—Four Lectures. By DR. ANGELL.

Nervous diseases. The rest-cure. Food. Quiet. Moral influences. Special qualifications of the nurse. Massage.

April 2, 19—Two Lectures. By DR. WHITBECK.

Surgical affections of abdominal organs. Treatment. Operations. Transfusion of blood. Normal salt solution, its uses.

16, 23, 30—Three Lectures. By DR. STODDARD.

Materia medica. Venereal diseases.

May 7, 14, 21, 28—Six Lectures. By DR. DEWEY.

June 4, 11—Obstetrics. Care of infants. Diseases of childhood. The exanthemata. Duties of nurse to family.

## GRADUATES OF THE TRAINING SCHOOL FOR NURSES.

### 1883.

L. A. MARKHAM, M. E. CAMPBELL, E. DICKINSON, M. E. DYSON.

### 1884.

C. E. SHERMAN, S. TYTLER, S. H. PERRY, A. J. SHERMAN,  
K. A. HATHAWAY, A. J. CONROY, F. A. OSTRANDER, F. A. MITCHELL,  
M. B. BULLARD.

### 1885.

C. MUELLER, D. M. HULL, M. R. THORNE, M. L. FOULDS,  
F. E. THORNE, E. L. SPENCER.

### 1886.

N. A. LEWIS, E. DABELLE, E. H. CASSON, E. A. TAYLOR,  
E. J. HOLLISTER, L. L. JACOKES, L. M. MITCHELL, J. M. CORBY.  
E. C. SANFORD.

### 1887.

C. J. CAPWELL, C. H. WORCESTER, A. F. FRINK, A. L. GREENWOOD,  
H. T. JONES, E. R. JONES, E. L. COLE, C. M. AYERS.

### 1888.

M. M. LANGFORD, A. M. HYATT, E. McELROY, H. L. NEWCOMB,  
R. A. SERCOMBE, E. M. READ, S. E. HYATT, A. S. LULL,  
E. S. MOYLE.

### 1889.

S. L. LAIRD, J. J. CUNNINGHAM, E. A. KIMBALL, C. NORRIS,  
E. M. HILL, J. H. AGNEW, G. BURROUGHS.

### 1890.

K. E. JONES, R. A. SWAIM, M. E. MAY, P. E. BUSH,  
H. L. HOOD, J. C. HOOD, M. E. EVERSLED, I. E. NISBET,  
L. A. GARDINER.

### 1891.

C. C. SWEET, M. B. SCANLAN, E. POWERS, E. B. SPEAR,  
S. E. JAQUISH, M. HUFF, L. BAYNE, F. E. WOOD,  
H. McEVERS, E. N. FORMAN, A. BIGFORD, A. E. DEAN,  
A. J. ROSENBERG, C. H. LOUNSBURY, E. A. SEYMOUR, D. BLOECKER.

### 1892.

B. M. A. SINCLAIR, WINIFRED DAVIS, J. M. SCOTT, J. L. FREDENBURG,  
M. C. McLAREN, MARY MORTON, EMILIE HARGITT, MARIE STOBBE,  
A. L. MACGACHEN, M. V. HAM, F. A. GRAHAM, N. B. COWLES,  
CLARIBEL EGBERT, A. WELSTEAD.

### 1893.

K. JOHNSON, E. M. KELLY, M. J. DOYLE, E. M. HARGITT,  
M. L. McMAHON, MINNIE MAXON, BELLE WAGGONER, M. A. CASTLE,  
A. L. DICKINSON, J. O. BISHOP, L. E. LANGSTAFF, J. M. DONNELLY,  
H. M. FARLEY, N. M. HEALY, C. T. WOODLEY, M. M. I. CARTWRIGHT.

**1894.**

FRANCES KELLY,	EVA J. GATES,	E. E. ELLIOTT,	M. T. DUNCAN,
F. L. SMITH,	IDA A. LYNCH,	M. P. WRIGHT,	M. A. BLATCHLEY,
M. G. POLLOCK,	C. B. WILLIAMS,	M. E. ROSS,	M. J. JAMESON,
M. A. SHOWERS.			

**1895.**

MAGGIE McLAREN,	E. A. HENTIG,	F. MELDRUM,	AMY S. HUBBARD,
M. M. MATTHEWS,	L. M. GOODELL,	LILY HUTCHINSON.	

**1896.**

L. M. BOVAIRD,	M. E. WIGGINS,	C. A. BATES,	IDA PERRY,
C. M. HUGHES,	C. J. DEVEREAUX,	A. LOCKRIDGE,	JOSIE DICKSON,
R. M. STAFFORD,	M. L. HUDGINS,	HELEN BURKE,	M. L. CARTER,
J. M. WILSON,	E. V. CONNOR,	W. E. LEWIS,	MYRTIE MACE,
M. R. DOYLE,	MARY C. TOWER.		

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## ENDOWMENT OF BEDS.

The cost of endowing beds in the Hospital, either in perpetuity, or for a limited time, is as follows :

Perpetual Bed in General Ward.....	\$5000
“ “ “ Children’s Pavilion.....	3000
Bed in General Ward for 33 years.....	3000
“ “ “ 1 year .....	300
“ Private “ 1 year .....	300

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### FORM OF BEQUEST.

I give and bequeath to The Rochester City Hospital of Rochester, N. Y., the sum of.....Dollars.

NOTE.—If a testator desires money to be applied to any special use in the Hospital, that fact should be stated in the will.

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To meet the wishes of those persons who desire to give money to the Endowment Fund of the Hospital during their lives, but are unable to forego the income derived from such money, the following action has been taken by the Board of Directors :

It is provided that the Board of Directors may receive sums of money as additions to the Endowment Fund, under agreement with the donors that the money so given shall belong to the Hospital, but shall be invested and kept invested, and the income derived therefrom shall be paid annually to the donor, during his or her life.

## ENDOWED BEDS IN THE ROCHESTER CITY HOSPITAL.

In Perpetuity.		For a Term of 33 Years.		Annually.	
1860	Rochester Female Charitable Society.	1886	ANDREW M. SEMPLE, By His Sister, CHRISTINA SEMPLE.	1889	ALFRED WRIGHT.
1865	Rochester Fire Department.				
1880	ERICKSON, by MRS. WM. S. NICHOLS and MRS. GILMAN H. PERKINS.				
1883	JOHN GREENWOOD, by JOHN GREENWOOD.				
1885	GEORGE J. WHITNEY, By His Wife, JULIA WHITNEY.				
1894	SAMUEL GEO. ANDREWS, By His Wife, LOIS A. ANDREWS.				

## CHILDREN'S PAVILION.

1886	CHILDREN'S COT, by CHILDREN AND THEIR FRIENDS.			1888	In Memory of FREEMAN CLARKE WEBB, by MRS. FREEMAN CLARKE.
1888	HIRAM SIBLEY, JR., In Memory of MARGARET H. SIBLEY, and HIRAM SIBLEY, JR., by MR. AND MRS. H. W. SIBLEY.			1889	ALFRED WRIGHT.
1889	LOIS E. WHITNEY, by A Few of Her Friends.			1891	THE SCHOLAR'S BED, by the Public School Children.
1892	In Memory of FREEMAN CLARKE WEBB, by MRS. FREEMAN CLARKE.			1892	CAROLINE BED by the Properly Bent Twig.
1892	In Memory of JEANNIE LASELL BACKUS.			1891	In Memory of ANNA MAGEE BOISSEVAIN.
1893	In Memory of ANTONETTE PERKINS.				

## THE HOSPITAL REVIEW.

The Hospital does not issue an annual report in pamphlet form. The information ordinarily contained in such a report, and other interesting data, are to be found in the *Hospital Review*, which is published each month by the institution.

### PERPETUAL FREE BED.

The following Bond is given to those who endow Perpetual Free Beds in the Hospital :

Know all Men by these Presents: That the ROCHESTER CITY HOSPITAL, in the State of New York, for and in consideration of the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ contributed to the funds of said Hospital by \_\_\_\_\_

DOES HEREBY GRANT TO \_\_\_\_\_ and to \_\_\_\_\_ heirs, or such person as they shall agree upon, in perpetuity, the right to nominate patients from time to time to use and occupy one Bed, to be known forever as the \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Free Bed (in a ward or room), of said Hospital, *free of charge* ; said patients to be proper subjects for treatment, according to the current rules and regulations of said Hospital, and to be at all times subject to such rules and regulations.

In Witness Whereof, the said Hospital has caused its corporate seal to be hereto affixed and these presents to be subscribed by its President and Secretary the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ one thousand eight hundred and \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ *President.*

\_\_\_\_\_ *Secretary.*

NOTE.—A similar Bond is given to those who endow Beds for a limited time.

# THE HOSPITAL REVIEW



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### THIRTY-THIRD ANNUAL REPORT OF THE ROCHESTER CITY HOSPITAL.

It was in the spring of 1847 that the legislature of the State of New York passed an act to incorporate the Rochester City Hospital. Eleven directors composed the petitioner. Within a month twelve other representative men of Rochester were added to the board. Four years later the Common Council of Rochester placed land at the disposal of these twenty-one directors, although a clear title to it was not procured until six years afterward, when a second act of the State legislature made the gift free of all claims.

Nothing more was done until the years '61 and '62, when the main building as it now stands was completed, exhausting the fund called "the almshouse fund," that the Common Council had placed at the disposal of the directors, and one of \$5,000 in addition which had been raised by the efforts of the ladies of the Female Charitable Society. The doors were then closed only to be opened a year later to admit the necessary furniture to equip the building with ten beds, etc. Again it seemed that the only course was to wait for time to bring more money, when the members of the Female Charitable Society again rose to the occasion, and because of their inspiration and energy, many of the city churches, as well as individuals, took upon themselves the responsibility of furnishing private rooms and wards.

After that period there was no delay or backward step. On January 28, 1864, the hospital was equipped for work, and the public asked to inspect it. On February 1st of that year the first patient was received. The coming two years found the institution crowded in every part by the sick and wounded Rochester boys, who came home from defending their country's honor.

We meet, then, to-day to celebrate the thirty-third year of the hospital's active existence, and to remind ourselves that one acquainted with the birth of the institution and its continued effort to be maintained can but be at once surprised, proud and grateful for the advances made in the work which the hospital stands for. In glancing over the names of its original supporters, the fact is evident that but few remain to help carry on the trust that has been handed down, and which stands as a monument to those self-sacrificing benefactors who were its founders.

This report covers more than the usual record of twelve months of the hospital work, as the date for holding the annual meeting has been changed from October till January, which according to the revision of the constitution and by-laws makes the year for the managers and directors end at the same time. An annual report seems almost unnecessary, so ably are the hospital's work and needs set forth each month in the "Review," conducted by Mrs. J. P. Varnum; but the old-time custom must be observed. There have been improvements during the year, both inside the building and out, that are apparent to those familiar with its surroundings, although last year we promised ourselves that no more changes should be made in the hospital itself. The demand for the small, inexpensive private rooms, where any physician of the city

can attend his patient, became so great that again an architect's assistance seemed necessary, and Foster Warner's generosity and skill were appealed to. In the early summer the directors ordered work to begin, and as a result the first floor of the east wing, which in old times was the male surgical ward, has been divided to correspond with the arrangement of the west wing, and twelve rooms are now ready. Of the additional rooms all but three have been furnished—one by the First Graft, one by the Morning Twig, one, very daintily and prettily by Mrs. Harlan for the Third Presbyterian church, and one by Miss Lockbridge (training school class of 1896) who wishes it reserved as far as may be for nurses who need hospital care. What was formerly the large medical ward on the second story has been made into two smaller, pleasanter wards, holding twenty-three beds; one for medical and the other for surgical cases. Fine bath rooms and plenty of room for supplies and appliances have made it attractive and comfortable. Off from the surgical ward, on the south side of the house, is a broad piazza for sitting upon in suitable weather, and it is especially designed for patients who are unable to get out on the lawn.

While these changes were in progress, several smaller interior improvements were made that will add to the comfort of the hospital's family. A pleasant sitting room is now at the disposal of persons who are anxiously awaiting the result of an operation upon a friend, and who naturally wish to be by themselves at such times. A parlor for the use of the hospital physicians and the house doctors has been created by the removal of a partition that formerly divided the space into two small rooms. The house has been equipped with twelve telephone stations, so that if a nurse in a remote part of the building, or in one of the isolated pavilions, needs assistance, she can call for it and have aid in a very few seconds. This adds immeasurably to the safety of the patient and nurse, especially at night, but we are anxious for six more stations to make the system complete.

We hope and we think that the problem of serving meals hot to patients, a difficulty experienced in every institution, has been solved by the introduction of many steam tables placed in the small diet kitchens. The painter's brush has made the children's pavilion bright and fresh, and the children are at home again in their cheerful quarters from various parts of the house, where they were temporarily placed. A change much needed has been to give the dispensary larger space, and this has lately been accomplished. We now have in the basement under the free out-patient department, a large and well-ordered pharmacy, in charge of a skilled and capable pharmacist. Here patients who need the counsel of the physicians who give their time to the out-patient department, can have pure and reliable medicine furnished them for the very small fee of ten cents a prescription, thus administering a charity without pauperizing the recipient. In all cases no charge is made, if, upon investigation, the person is unable to pay. The work in this department during the year has been large, the number of new patients cared for have been 1,273. These made 4,878 visits to the hospital, and received 4,604 prescriptions and treatments. It is expected that in addition to the present hours, an evening clinic will be established, for the benefit of those who cannot attend during the day.

That it may not seem to have been uncalled-for extravagance that these improvements have been indulged in, we want to emphasize the fact that the directors have drawn upon a fund that they promised themselves should be forthcoming for

just such changes, and that no debt has been contracted to meet the expense, and so to make the repair account a large item in the annual summing up. Except as the wear and tear of time make inroads, we trust that no more extraordinary improvements will be needed on the main building, but that the next move will be to give us the long-wished-for home for the nurses, that the pupils of our school shall enjoy what most other institutions have supplied themselves with, a detached building, where quiet and relief can be found from the constant strain that a nurse is necessarily subjected to. It is of the greatest importance that a suitable home should be established. One generous friend has pledged a thousand dollars, to be given when the time comes, and a few small sums are waiting, but our cry is for more. Thus the nurses' home remains an unachieved wish, and must remain so until the amount sufficient for its erection shall flow into the treasury. There are to-day over two hundred training schools for nurses in this country, with a strong organization of their superintendents, who strive to further the best interests of the nursing profession. The Rochester City Hospital's school stands among the first that were established, and in consequence is one of the pioneers. Experience has made it expedient to return once more temporarily to the paying system. For five years the nurses of the school received no remuneration for their services. The experiment was tried, hoping that the plan would be universally adopted, and that the theory of not paying a nurse while she is acquiring skill and knowledge would be acquiesced in by other institutions. For the first few years the method was entirely successful, but because of the depression in the financial world many young women who wished to join the school were obliged to go to one where monthly payments were made. During the last fifteen months there have been 560 applicants for circulars, and 200 of those applied for admission to the school, 51 were received as probationers, and of that number 28 were allowed to become pupil-nurses. The total number in the school at present is 33. Perhaps one of the advantages of a return to the pay system is that requirements for admission can be more exacting, and so the high standard, that is the school's aim, can be more easily maintained.

With the consent of the ladies of St. Peter's church, the room in the hospital known as the "Chapel," and which was cared for by them, has been transformed into a parlor for the nurses. It is a home-like and cheerful place, being made so by Mr. Waltjen, who gave the bright wall decoration, and by the rugs, furniture, fixtures and ornaments from friends both known and unknown to us. We thank them all, and voice the appreciation of the nurses, who enjoy having their own pleasant room. Here they receive lectures from the physicians and daily instruction from their superintendent. A valuable part of the nursing course is the lessons in cooking that the class receives at the Mechanics' Institute, where the facilities are of the best to put to practical test the principles for invalid cooking as well as teaching in a scientific way, the knowledge of food values. The trustees of the Mechanics' Institute have generously made the terms for instruction as moderate as possible to cover the bare expense; and have in so doing added an important factor to the nurses' two years of training. Since September 1, 1896, our pupil nurses have earned \$530 for special nursing in the hospital, this work having been done for eighteen months previously by graduates called in from outside.

The City Hospital's district nurse has con-

tinued her useful work among the sick poor. Much of the time two nurses have been on duty to meet the demand for their services. The visits made in the past fifteen months have amounted to 906. It is during the senior year that the nurses have the benefit of this experience which they gain amid many different surroundings from those which the well equipped hospital affords. Last March a large class of eighteen nurses graduated from the school, the interesting exercises being held in the Central church. A few days later the class was called upon to mourn the loss of a comrade. Mrs. Ida Perry, who died in the hospital, tenderly cared for by her classmates.

Six months ago in our want column, among the things that we hardly dared allow ourselves the pleasure of dreaming about, stood the wish for an ambulance and an apparatus for the X-Ray experiments. The latter has been given to the hospital by one of the junior hospital physicians, who desires his name withheld, and to place it in its proper position the elevator well has been cut through to the basement; thus in the elevator the patient can be easily carried to the spot where the machine stands. This gift has made the surgical pavilion a combination of operating rooms that in all respects has, perhaps, no superiors. To crown all, and to make our dream real, patients are brought to the hospital in our own ambulance, the gift of Dr. H. T. Williams. We want to acknowledge, with gratitude, the Homeopathic hospital's most liberal offer of its ambulance from the moment that it went into commission. Its order was to serve the City Hospital whenever called upon. It did so most fully and generously. The City Hospital's ambulance responded to its first call on June 6th, and up to January 1st has made 433 runs, so that already it has rendered great service. Everything that pertains to the welfare of a sufferer has been arranged for in the mechanism of the ambulance, and it is furnished with every known device to add to the comfort and safety of those it serves. A modest stable has been built on the southeast corner of the hospital's property, and the harnessing of the horses—for two horses, instead of one, as at first, are now needed for the work—for a start, is done, as in a fire house, by electricity. Besides the new ambulance, the one formerly owned by the city, although bought by private subscription, has been renovated, and stands in an adjoining shed, to be used for cases of contagion. When a hurry call comes by telephone, it takes but fifteen seconds before the ambulance is on its way, with two surgeons in attendance. To Dr. Williams we would say that of the many valuable gifts that the years have brought the hospital, none have conferred more distinct and conspicuous advantage than that offered by his ambulance.

The Board of Directors, during the year, have been obliged to accept the resignation of Mrs. H. L. Smith as a member of their body, and they have been glad to welcome Mrs. H. B. Willis, a new member. Because of the resignation of Miss Dart as Superintendent of Training School, Miss Sophia F. Palmer was called, and is Superintendent of the entire house. Miss Palmer was for many years at the head of the Garfield Memorial Hospital in Washington, and after a forced vacation that her health might be regained, has come to the Rochester City Hospital, to give it the benefit of her rare experience.

Since her last annual report the number of doctors connected officially with the hospital has been increased. The staff has made several additions to its membership, and some of the younger physicians have been promoted to positions of greater responsibility, as there has been opportunity.

Our appreciation is due, and is cordially extended to all who have aided as helpers in the institution, in many important capacities of caring for its interests and welfare, and to the city press for its oft-repeated aid. The ladies of the Brick Church, in a most liberal manner, have renovated their private room, and have made it as comfortable and attractive a place as one could wish to be sick in.

We cannot give the Twigs too much praise and gratitude for what they are to the daily needs of the hospital. To them is due much of the efficiency that has been attained, because of their organized, regular assistance. Their faithfulness and support, with that of our many other friends, at donation time, as well as all through the year, is a constant source of strength and pleasure. It is a matter of great satisfaction that the hospital has friends, far and near, and because of their kind thought the sick are happier and more comfortable. Flowers, fruit, reading matter and much besides have come, and are always welcome.

The concert given to the patients by members of the Mandolin Orchestra was greatly enjoyed. All such attentions are pleasant to receive and to acknowledge.

During the fifteen months the endowment fund has been increased by the gift of \$500 from the estate of the late Norman Galusha.

Will not our interested friends visit the institution and become acquainted with it and its workings? Wednesday afternoons are set aside by the managers for visits on the part of the general public. Since the adjustment of prices with the city for its patients, the work of the hospital has been steadily on the increase, the daily average for the fifteen months being seventy-three patients, and the average time in the institution being twenty-seven days. We sincerely wish that the question, How is our Hospital to be supported? did not confront us all of the time, for there is a never-ceasing wish to increase the charitable side of our work. For fifteen months, of the whole number of patients that were admitted to the institution, 261 were cared for absolutely without charge, and very many more paid in part, the sum being made as small as possible for them. The free beds have been in constant use, especially the Magee room, and in the children's pavilion, where, among others, is the scholar's bed, supported by the public school children of Rochester.

The changes in a hospital that seeks to utilize the latest approved methods and appliances and resources of modern medical science can never be expected to end. To have all these improvements involves a continued outlay, but sooner or later they must be had by every progressive institution. To go without them is not to stand still, but to fall behind hopelessly. We know that our beloved hospital is now equipped to meet every reasonable requirement, and we are sure that our friends will provide that its facilities shall always be equal to every possible demand.

Coupled with our thanks to all the many friends that the hospital possesses, we beg to assure them that we need a continuation of their interest.

For the Board.

SUSAN R. HOYT,  
Corresponding Secretary.

### Twigs.

Nearly all of the Twigs held their first regular meeting for 1897, on Friday, January 9th.

## Hospital Notes.

The Managers held their annual meeting on January 4th, when the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. A. S. Mumford; 1st Vice-president, Mrs. Oscar Craig; 2d Vice-president, Mrs. Arthur Robinson; Treasurer, Mrs. William H. Perkins; Assistant Treasurer, Mrs. H. G. Danforth; Recording secretary, Mrs. James C. Hart; Corresponding secretary, Mrs. H. F. Huntington.

Just before Christmas Mrs. William S. Kimball kindly sent a number of laurel ropes, sufficient for festooning the wards, and a quantity of holly wreaths and other Christmas greens, which imparted a festive and holiday air to the halls and rooms.

The Christmas tree which was provided by the kindness of Mrs. Wm. Osgood for the children in the Pavilion, is described by Mrs. Edward B. Angell, for the benefit of our readers.

The children in the contagious wards also enjoyed a merry Christmas, though they were not able to be present at the Christmas tree.

Dr. Halstead, of the Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, performed an operation of a critical nature on a private patient of Dr. W. B. Jones, during December. The operation took place in the Whitbeck Pavilion, and the eminent surgeon expressed himself as gratified to find an operating room so well equipped so far from the great hospital centres.

The return to the system of paying the nurses has proved after six months trial to be more than satisfactory. Applications are constantly received, and from so many, much valuable material may be selected.

Several senior nurses are in charge of wards, receiving training in executive work, the large class of junior nurses taken in during the year is falling into line, and the whole standard of the nursing department is being raised to a high point of excellence.

The room for the X-Ray experiments has been in readiness for some time past, and the apparatus has been in use on several occasions with most satisfactory results. A change in the elevator system now makes it possible to convey patients to the basement, so that they may easily be taken to the room where the experiments take place.

### The New Rooms.

A month or two since the managers issued a call through the *Review* for volunteers to undertake the furnishing of the recently finished rooms in the east wing. The response has been so satisfactory that but three rooms remain to be provided with furniture. The large room furnished by Mrs. Harlan (to be known as the Third Presbyterian Church room), is now in readiness, and is so pretty and attractive that one would scarcely complain if a *slight* illness made it necessary to become the occupant of such a charming retreat. The walls and floor covering are of a restful shade of pale green; the bed, dressing table, chairs, etc., of white enamel, and the curtains of white muslin, a combination which is entirely satisfactory to the eye, and of which one would not soon be weary.

The First Graft, and the Morning Twig, have taken two of the smaller rooms, and another has been selected by Miss Lockridge, a graduated nurse, who for personal and family reasons finds it necessary to give up her work in the Hospital, and leaves behind her this practical means of keeping her memory green among her associates, this room being set apart for the

use of any nurse who may be ill and unfitted for duty. Among so many it will readily be understood that there is always some one who is in need of the care and attention she so constantly gives to others. This is a wise and thoughtful provision, and will be a foretaste of what the Nurse's House will offer when that long-cherished dream shall have become a material fact.

### Death of Miss Taylor.

Miss Eleanor Taylor, a graduate of the City Hospital Training School, died at the Hospital during the past month. Miss Taylor was graduated in 1886, and spent the five years immediately following in private nursing, away from Rochester. During this time her health failed, and she spent a year in resting, then returned to her post, and was on duty in New York for more than two years. At the end of this time an operation became necessary, but as the result seemed entirely satisfactory, she again returned to her work, which she continued until last summer. In August she returned to Rochester, and placed herself under Dr. Whitbeck's care, but medical skill was unavailing, and after weeks of intense suffering she died on December 20th. Several of the managers, the Superintendent, and as many nurses as were at liberty attended the funeral services held in the Nurses' Pralor on the following day, the Rev. J. W. A. Stewart, of the First Baptist Church, officiating. The remains were taken to Canada by friends. These details are furnished by one of Miss Taylor's classmates, who testifies to the affection and esteem in which she was held by all her associates, and who expresses for them the appreciation and gratitude they feel for the kindness and unfailing care shown for her by Miss Palmer and Dr. Whitbeck during her long and severe illness.

Old cotton, books, magazines and wearing apparel will be thankfully received at the hospital.

### The Christmas Tree.

Christmas approaching found seventeen little ones in the Children's Pavilion, varying in ages from babyhood to fifteen years. These little people, notwithstanding their aches and pains, doubtless felt that same eager longing and excitement at the thought of Christmas that comes to well children. Through the large generosity of two of our citizens these childish longings were satisfied, and the Christmas sun went down that night on some of the happiest little hearts in all Rochester.

Mrs. Wm. S. Osgood gave the children a very beautiful Tree, whose branches reached to the ceiling of the Pavilion and were heavy with gifts, candy and oranges for each little sufferer. At the top of the Tree old Santa Claus himself presided over the scene to the special delight of the boys, and when the candles were lighted and shone on the gorgeous balls and on the shimmering strands which the little German children call the Christ-child's hair, the joy of the children was great. Mrs. Osgood dressed the Tree on Christmas eve with Miss Palmer's aid, and the four little boys who were confined to their beds thoroughly enjoyed the process. One of them, a new comer that day, was asked by some one passing through the room, "Where did *you* come from?" Pointing to Santa Claus on the top of the Tree he said, "Why, he brought me with his reindeer." Dear, brave little man, what an object lesson that was to some of us grown up people who so often sink beneath our burdens, instead of using the moments when we are free from pain to make the world a little brighter.

Mrs. Osgood had been among the children and learned the heart's desire of each one, so that dolls, doll carriages, books and games found their way to the ones who wanted them most. She had also made seven fascinating scrap-books on light blue, pink and red linen, using the

handsome pictures from calendars and tying the pages together with bright satin bows. This might be quite a suggestion to others having beautiful old calendars, for there are countless little ones in hospitals who could while away many a painful hour with such a companion as one of these books.

Mr. Samuel Wilder had also, most thoughtfully, made inquiries as to the children's wishes, and sent to each one a very handsome present, and it gave the children great pleasure to see their benefactor among them on Christmas afternoon. After the gifts were distributed Miss Mann was asked to tell the little ones a story, and with that charm which makes her the beloved kindergartener she is, she riveted their attention at once as she told them, very simply, what the shepherds heard and saw one night so many years ago on Bethlehem's plains. The children who were in the Pavilion for contagious diseases were not forgotten. An abundance of Malaga grapes and gifts found their way to their bedsides, and the generous hearts that made all this possible were not less happy, I am sure, than the little ones on Christmas night.

FLORENCE M. ANGELL.

### Found!

A silver cross marked "I. H. N." on the face, and "1886" on the back, was found at Fitzhugh Hall during the Donation and handed to the Treasurer. There are also several unclaimed dishes of which a list is given below:

- 1 platter, decorated in blue.
- 2 low glass dishes.
- 1 shell glass dish.
- Several pie plates.
- 1 dish for baked beans.
- 1 celery glass.
- 1 baking tin.

These articles can be found at the home of the treasurer, 174 Spring street.

**Contributions.**

DECEMBER, 1896.

Mrs. Osterhout, "Youth's Companion" for Children's Pavilion.

Mrs. W. E. Hoyt, pieces of cotton cloth.

Mrs. Woodworth, Gates, N. Y., package of old cotton and linen.

A friend, 11 shirts; 7 pairs of cuffs; 16 collars; old linen.

S. A. Hosmer, 8 barrels apples.

A friend, bag of oranges for Children's Pavilion.

Mrs. C. F. Lomb, toys and books for Children's Pavilion, Christmas.

The Fin de Siecle Club, Penn Yan, N. Y., 8 surgical night dresses.

Virginia Jeffrey Smith, chair for Children's Pavilion.

Miss A. Oviatt, 6 dressed dolls for Children's Pavilion.

F. A. O. Society, Park Avenue Baptist Church, 5 pairs bed socks.

Parent Stem, 7 pillow cases; 9 night shirts.

First Twig, 13 surgical towels.

First Graft, 43 pillow cases; 27 surgical towels; 10 diapers.

The Chips, 26 surgical towels.

**Hospital Report.**

DECEMBER, 1896.

Number of patients in Hospital Dec. 1, 1896.....	68	
Admitted during December.....	84	
		152
Number discharged during December, 1896.....	72	
Deaths during December.....	11	
Number in Hospital January 1, 1897.....	69	
		152
Lowest number during December.....	60	
Highest number during December.....	72	
Daily average number during December.....	66	
Number of hospital days during December.....	2033	

**DIED AT THE ROCHESTER CITY HOSPITAL.**

Dec. 2—John McRae.....	Aged 44 years
" 3—Thomas F. Stark.....	" 62 "
" 4—Harry A. Brereton.....	" 35 "
" 7—Mrs. Sadie L. Dyer.....	" 33 "
" 9—George Richer.....	" 22 "
" 9—George Cannon.....	" 70 "
" 13—William J. Gillmour.....	" 56 "
" 14—August Amberg.....	" 46 "
" 20—Eleanor A. Taylor.....	" 40 "
" 26—John Blivin.....	" 48 "
" 29—John Shaug.....	" 60 "

**Ambulance Report.**

DECEMBER, 1896.

BY R. BRUCE GAMBLE, M.D., Ambulance Surgeon

Total number of runs during December....	78
Transferred to Rochester City Hospital....	46
" " County Hospital.....	4
" " homes or stations.....	21
Cases not taken or treated.....	7
Number of ordinary calls.....	50
" " hurry ".....	28

**Report of Surgical Pavilion.**

DECEMBER, 1896.

BY WESLEY T. MULLIGAN, House Surgeon.

Number of operations during December.....	40
" " operators.....	8
" " patients.....	34

**Report of Training School.**

DECEMBER, 1896.

BY SOPHIA F. PALMER, Superintendent.

Applications for circulars.....	20
Applicants for admission.....	9
Candidates received on probation.....	3
Probationers accepted.....	2
" not ".....	2
Visits made by district nurse.....	41
Number of pupils in training.....	33

**Treasurer's Report.**

CASH DONATIONS.

Scrantom, Wetmore & Co.....	\$ 25 00
Bishop McQuaid.....	25 00

ENDOWMENT FUND FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN.

Subscriptions at the Donation.....	\$120 00
Receipts from the Hemlock Twig.....	63 27

\$ 183 27

Previously acknowledged.....	2,625 92
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\$2,809 19

FOR THE MARY BED.

Miss Fanny A. Smith, New York.....	\$ 1 00
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RECAPITULATION OF THE DONATION.

Subscriptions and cash donations.....	\$14,040 00
Receipts from tables, December 3d.....	432 52
" " " 4th.....	302 41

" " booths..... 758 07

Evening admissions.....	200 55
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Check room.....	62 30
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\$15,795 85

MRS. W. A. PERKINS, Treasurer.

MRS. H. G. DANFORTH, Ass't Treasurer.

The Alumnæ Association met at the Hospital on January 12th to consider the management of the Directory and other important matters.

**Directory of the Magne Jewell Memorial Out-Patient Department,  
Rochester City Hospital.**

The Magne Jewell Memorial Out-Patient Department is divided into eight sections, whose names, with the days and hours for consultation, follow :

*Diseases of the Eye and Ear*—Dr. Rider and Dr. Carson. Monday, Wednesday, Friday ; 11 to 12.

*General Medicine*—Dr. Huber and Dr. Soble. Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday ; 11 to 12.

*Diseases of the Nervous System*—Dr. Cook. Monday, Thursday ; 4 to 5.

*Diseases of the Skin and Genito-Urinary System*—Dr. Roseboom. Tuesday, Friday ; 4 to 5.

*Orthopædic Surgery*—Dr. Weigel. Monday, Thursday ; 4 to 5.

*Diseases of the Throat and Nose*—Dr. Mandeville. Monday, Wednesday, Friday ; 4 to 5.

*General Surgery*—Dr. Henckell. Monday, Wednesday, Friday ; 11 to 12.

*Diseases of Women*—Dr. Rose and Dr. Becker. Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday ; 10 to 11.

**TABULAR VIEW.**

	MONDAY.	TUESDAY.	WEDNESDAY.	THURSDAY.	FRIDAY.	SATURDAY.
10 to 11.		Dr. Becker.	Dr. Rose.		Dr. Becker.	Dr. Rose.
11 to 12.	Drs. Rider and Carson.	Drs. Huber and Soble.	Drs. Rider	Drs. Huber and Soble.	Drs. Rider and Carson.	Drs. Huber and Soble.
11 to 12.	Dr. Henckell.				Dr. Henckell.	
4 to 5.	Dr. Cook, Dr. Weigel, Dr. Mandeville.	Dr. Roseboom,	Dr. Mandeville,	Dr. Cook, Dr. Weigel.	Dr. Roseboom, Dr. Mandeville.	

In addition to the above an evening clinic is soon to be established, under the care of Drs. McCauley, Stapleton and Carpenter, for the benefit of the medical and surgical patients who cannot attend in the day time.

The second meeting of the Alumnæ Association, of the Rochester City Hospital Training School, was held in the Hospital parlor, on Tuesday, January 12th, at 2 P. M. Miss Cunningham, the President, in the chair, and about thirty members present. The leading subject for discussion was, "What shall be done with the Directory, and how shall it be managed?"

It will be remembered that a number of years ago a society was organized among the graduates, the main object of which was to maintain a Directory. The form of the society has recently been changed to that of an Alumnæ Association. Up to the present time the headquarters of the Directory has been at the Hospital, but for vari-

ous reasons which were freely discussed by the members present, it was decided to reorganize the Directory and change its location.

Hereafter no fee will be collected by the patrons, its support to come entirely from the nurses. A new set of rules is to be drafted by a committee of four, of which Miss Hollister is chairman, to be considered by the society at the next meeting in April, after which the Directory will be moved to 55 South Fitzhugh street, when Miss Kate Jones will assume charge of it, subject to said rules. This will bring the office into a more central and convenient location for the nurses, physicians and patrons.

An interesting paper was read by Dr. Sarah H. Perry, after which the meeting adjourned.

### Physicians of the Hospital Staff.

*Consulting*—C. E. Rider, E. V. Stoddard.  
*Medical*—W. S. Ely, C. A. Dewey, E. W. Mulligan.  
*Surgical*—D. Little, J. W. Whitbeck, J. J. Kempe, H. T. Williams.  
*Ophthalmologist*—W. Rider.  
*Orthopedist*—L. A. Weigel.  
*Dermatologist*—J. L. Roseboom.  
*Neurologist*—E. B. Angell.

### JUNIOR STAFF.

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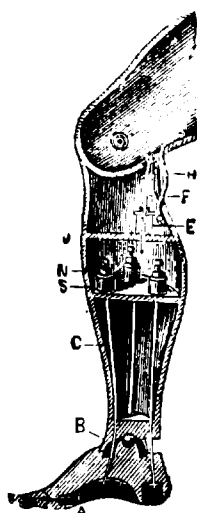
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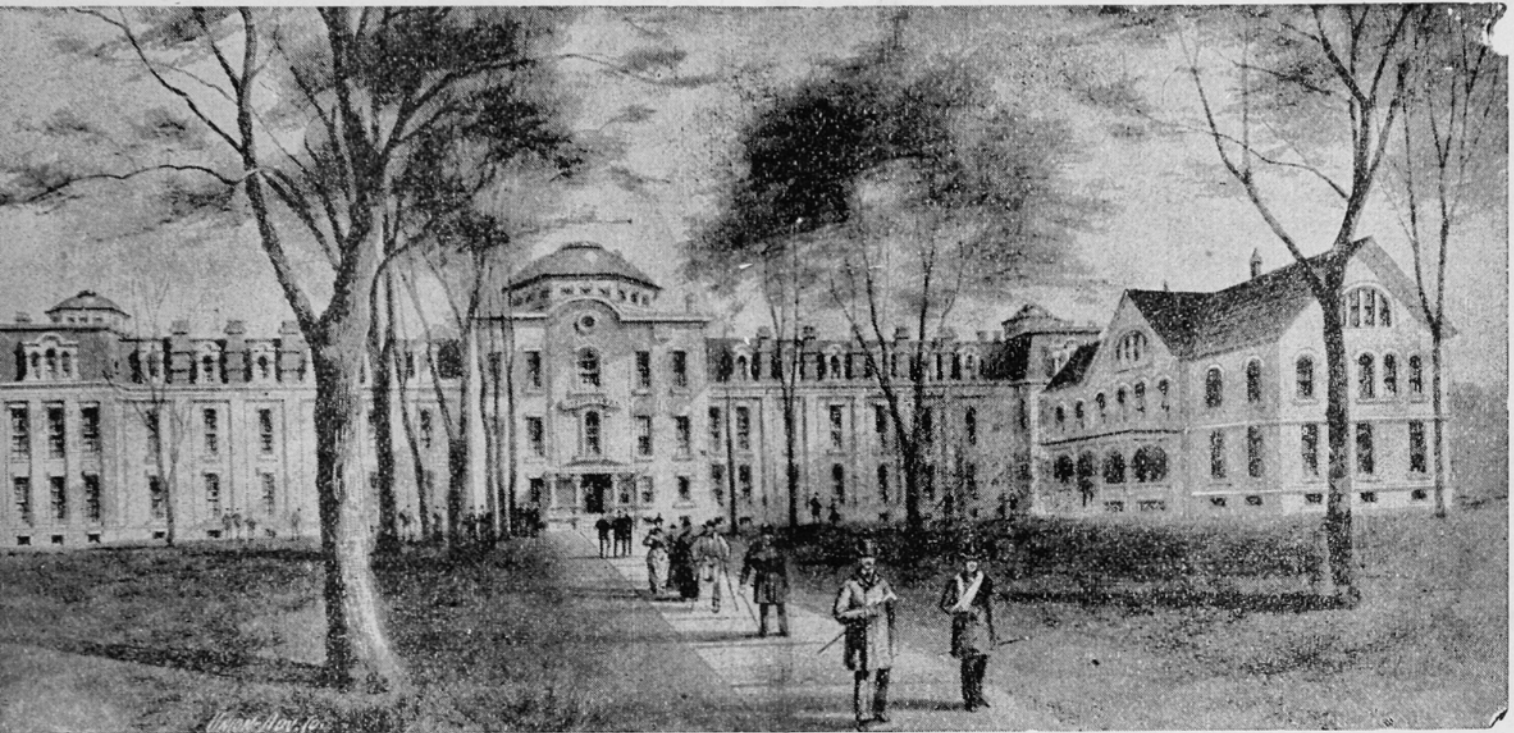
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ROCHESTER, N. Y., FEBRUARY 15, 1897.

No. 6

## The Annual Meeting.

The Annual meeting of the Directors of the City Hospital was held on January 21st, when officers were elected for the coming year. Mr. Rufus A. Sibley's resignation from the presidency of the Board of Directors has been received with universal and heartfelt regret. Business affairs which demand a large portion of his time have made this step necessary.

Mr. Samuel Wilder, whose interest in the Hospital is well-known, has consented to fill the position made vacant by Mr. Sibley's retirement, and his election is most satisfactory to Directors and Managers alike.

Mr. W. W. Mumford, Secretary of the Executive Committee, presented the following report:

Your Committee feels that the past year has been one of great importance in the history of the Hospital, and believes that the changes which the year has shown mark a great improvement and increased efficiency. The three principal matters which mark the changes during that time are: The engagement of the new Superintendent, the preparation and adoption of the new set of by-laws and rules, and the additions and improvements in the Hospital buildings.

It was deemed advisable by your Committee upon the resignation of Mr. Nelson, the former Superintendent, to engage as the new Superintendent some one with practical experience in the management of a Hospital.

After due time, and after the consideration of many candidates, the Committee engaged Miss Sophia F. Palmer, the present Superintendent. The result has been satisfactory even beyond the hopes of your Committee. The practical difficulties experienced by Miss Palmer in carrying out her ideas and those of your Committee, and bringing the Hospital into smooth running order were enormous, and no one who has not kept himself thoroughly acquainted with Hospital matters can adequately appreciate the amount of

tact, firmness, good judgment and executive ability which the situation demanded and were displayed.

It may be safely affirmed that at no time in recent years, at any rate, has the Hospital been in such good running order, and its work performed so well and with so little friction as at present. This does not imply that the situation could not be improved upon, but, judging from the past, your Committee feels that the future will rectify and adjust whatever is imperfect and irregular in the present.

The new Hospital pamphlet which has been placed in the hands of all the Directors tells the story of the changes made in the by-laws and rules and of the work done.

It is, of course, hopeless to expect that they should be perfect, or that they should satisfy all who are interested in the work of the Hospital. It is, however, hoped by your committee that they more adequately represent the present regime of the Hospital and furnish a better basis upon which to carry on the Hospital work than did the previous by-laws and rules.

It was the especial object of your Committee in drafting the by-laws to set out and to sanction by their authority the actually existing conditions of the Hospital government. In other words, to codify, with such changes and improvements as should be deemed advisable, the unwritten laws of the Hospital.

The rules which appear in the pamphlet are divided into two classes: Those in which the general policy of the Hospital seem to be involved, and those which concern themselves with the details of the management. The former are the rules of your body, and the latter the rules of the Superintendent made under your sanction and affirmed by you. It has been too early as yet to know the result of the by-laws and rules to put all of them into full operation, but it is believed that they will, in the main, accomplish the purposes for which they were intended.

In addition to the private rooms made in the west hall during 1895, the east hall has now also been turned into private rooms, all of which are, or will be within a short time, ready for occupancy.

An ambulance barn for the storage of two ambulances, and containing three horses, has also been provided. One of these ambulances complete, with a horse, was donated by Dr. H. T. Williams.

The pharmacy has been moved into very commodious quarters in the basement.

The whole house is now closely connected through the system of improved electric bells.

Another important change in the policy of the Hospital has been in respect to the Training School. It was found that the number and quality of the applicants for admission to the Training School was falling off, and this was be-

lieved to be due to the fact that the City Hospital did not pay its nurses, and did not offer sufficient other inducements to compensate for the failure to pay, and for that reason was not in a position to compete with other Hospitals for the best class of candidates. It was resolved to return to the system of paying the nurses some slight compensation, and the result of this action together with the increased efficiency of the Training School, due to the skill and energy of the Superintendent, has been far beyond the expectations of your Committee. The Hospital now has a surplus of candidates in the place of a deficiency.

Your Committee congratulates the Board upon the work done in the past year, and upon the prospects of the coming one.

W. W. MUMFORD, Secretary.

### Contributions.

JANUARY, 1897.

Mrs. John Brewster, box of oranges for Christmas, (not previously acknowledged).

Miss Christine Shuart and Miss Laura Robins, toys and books for the Children's Pavilion, and box of infants' underclothes.

Thomas Wright, 1 undershirt, 1 collar, 1 pair stockings, 1 pair drawers.

United States Baking Co., 1 barrel milk crackers.

Mrs. A. G. Yates, package of papers.

Mrs. Bartholomay, 6 children's flannel night dresses.

Genesee Valley Club, package of comic and illustrated papers.

From Canandaigua, box of scrap pictures, books and colored pictures for children's pavilion, per Miss Lockridge.

The children of the Jackson Sanatorium Sunday School, a year's subscription to the "Youth's Companion" for the Children's Pavilion.

Miss Shaw, pictures and scraps for Children's Pavilion.

Mr. Wilber, reading matter for men's ward.

Mrs. Hofheinz, illustrated papers.

From the Kraenzchen, 28 towels.

Mrs. Breck Perkins, 1 stomach tube.

Dr. A. W. Henckell, illustrated papers.

Miss S. C. Davis, old linen.

Mrs. Hart, magazines and other reading matter. In memory of Mrs. Wm. Churchill, flowers.

Sibley, Lindsay & Curr, comic papers and reading matter.

Dr. Weigel, magazines for Magee room.

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## ROCHESTER CITY HOSPITAL.

Comparative Statistics, Dec. 31, 1896.

	NUMBER DAYS WORK.			DAILY AVERAGE.		
	1894.	1895.	15 Mos. 1896.	1894.	1895.	15 Mos. 1896.
October.....	3,969	1,525	1,622	128	50	52
November.....	3,684	2,360	1,889	123	79	63
December.....	3,042	2,110	1,912	98	68	62
January.....	2,445	1,590	2,061	79	51	66
February.....	2,367	1,487	2,111	84	53	72
March.....	2,933	1,745	2,551	95	56	82
April.....	2,764	1,787	2,598	92	60	86
May.....	2,297	1,810	2,624	74	60	84
June.....	2,029	1,711	2,609	67	57	87
July.....	1,762	1,682	2,434	57	54	78
August.....	1,682	1,717	2,262	54	55	73
September.....	1,376	1,891	1,924	46	61	64
October.....	.....	.....	2,518	..	..	81
November.....	.....	.....	2,167	..	..	72
December.....	.....	.....	2,033	..	..	66
	30,350	21,425	33,315	83	58	73

CASH.	1894.	1895.	15 Mos. 1896.	DISBURSEMENTS.	1894.	1895.	15 Mos. 1896.
From Accounts.....	\$17,320.48	\$19,522.56	\$24,198.13	Supplies.....	\$31,418.40	\$25,123.55	\$34,908.54
From City.....	3,475.74	2,162.17	6,220.08	Wages.....	12,415.37	10,789.79	19,753.65
From County.....	259.15	1,231.29	1,405.00				
Total Collections.....	\$21,055.37	\$22,916.02	\$31,823.21	Total Expense.....	\$43,833.77	\$35,913.34	\$54,752.19

Average Cost Per Day, 1894.....	\$ 1.44
Average Cost Per Day, 1895.....	1.68
Average, Deducting Inventory, 1896.....	1.43
Expended for Permanent Improvement in 1895.....	4,166.76
Expended for Permanent Improvement in 1896.....	5,540.82

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

## TRIAL BALANCE.

Cash on hand.....	\$ 512 58	Memorial fund.....	\$ 400 00
Bank account.....	1,865 80	Donations and legacies.....	27,623 57
Suspense accounts.....	7,023 84	Merchandise.....	425 77
Sundry accounts.....	2,932 43	Interest and discount.....	.....
Free beds.....	5,767 50	Interest endowment fund.....	6,250 57
Charity.....	3,411 49	Out-patient department.....	73 52
Assets and liabilities.....	149 66	Board and treatment.....	36,720 43
Bills receivable.....	84 80	Special nursing.....	4 467 11
Expense.....	1,275 18	Surgical pavilion.....	1,800 00
Wages and labor.....	19,732 32	Accounts payable.....	7,445 01
Supplies.....	40,278 99	Endowment fund.....	92 280 05
City and B. & T.....	660 42	Real estate.....	204,625 00
City ambulance.....	250 00	Nurses' directory.....	35 00
County.....	1,004 43	Ambulance.....	583 33
Towns.....	725 00		
H. S. Hanford.....	92,280 05		\$ 382,729 36
Trustees.....	204,625 00		
State Industrial School.....	85 71		
Interest and discount.....	64 16		
	\$ 382,729 36		

## Balance Sheet.—Resources and Liabilities. December 31, 1896.

Resources.	Amount.	Liabilities.	Amount.
Cash on hand.....	\$ 512 58	Memorial fund.....	\$ 400 00
Cash in bank.....	1,865 80	Assets and liabilities.....	7 623 71
Bills receivable.....	84 80	Accounts payable.....	7,445 01
Inventory.....	7,347 55	Endowment fund.....	92,280 05
State Industrial School.....	85 71	Real estate.....	214,332 58
City, due from.....	660 42		
City, account of ambulance.....	250 00		
County, due from.....	1,004 43		
Towns, due from.....	725 00		
Sundry accounts.....	2,932 43		
H. S. Hanford.....	92,280 05		
Trustees.....	214,332 58		
	\$ 322,081 25		\$ 322,081 25

## THE HOSPITAL REVIEW

## RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS.

For Fifteen Months, October 1, 1895, to December 31, 1896.

Receipts.		Disbursements.	
Cash on hand, Oct. 1, 1895 .....	\$ 590 52	Provisions and supplies .....	\$ 17,230 23
Cash from county and towns .....	1,405 00	Clothing.....	69 08
Cash from city .....	6,220 08	Medicines and medical supplies .....	3,996 77
Cash from donations.....	27,623 57	Fuel and lights.....	4,046 99
Cash from endowment fund.....	750 00	Furniture, beds, etc.....	1,104 55
Cash from interest endowment fund.....	6,250 57	Repairs .....	1,784 88
Cash from patients.....	24,198 13	Improvements.....	4,733 94
Cash from all other sources.....	556 68	Interest.....	111 70
Cash borrowed.....	5,000 00	Salaries and wages .....	19,753 65
		Indebtedness existing Oct. 1, 1895.....	10,000 00
		Borrowed money.....	5,000 00
		For investment.....	750 00
		All other purposes.....	1,634 38
		Cash on hand.....	2,378 38
	\$ 72,594 55		\$ 72,594 55

## Supplies Purchased.—Comparative Statement.

	12 months 1894 and 1895	15 months Oct. 1, '95 to Dec. 31, '96.		12 months 1894 and 1895	15 months Oct. 1, '95 to Dec. 31, '96.
Groceries .....	\$ 2,520 01	\$ 3,465 00	Medical and surgical supplies.....	\$ 1,223 33	\$ 2,271 25
Potatoes .....	149 80		Liquor .....	184 20	401 61
Butter.....	1,262 99	1,467 75	Cash items.....	694 36	1,382 87
Eggs.....	841 41	1,668 19	Furnishings .....	1,577 72	2,116 61
Milk .....	2,263 49	3,338 35	Crockery .....	18 66	
Meat .....	4,462 34	5,755 80	Nurses' supplies.....	78 37	61 55
Fish .....	376 11	581 75	Laundry supplies .....	395 82	360 54
Flour .....	146 30	105 80	Plumbing.....	42 22	189 48
Crackers and bread .....	389 99	676 91	Painting .....	704 25	617 82
Ice.....	413 63	382 38	Carpenters' supplies.....		50 00
Coal.....	2,800 67	3,398 10	Elevator expenses.....	30 53	157 20
Gas.....	228 10	378 01	Steam expenses.....	123 84	166 10
Electric lights.....	944 00	1,215 91	Mason work.....	40 77	26 00
Lamps and repairs.....	201 48	175 45	Water .....	596 75	691 80
Medicines .....	2,111 09	3,111 94	Other purposes.....	301 32	782 47
				\$25,122 55	\$24,098 54*

\* This does not include amount expended for permanent improvements in 1896 ..... \$5,540.82  
Inventory, per schedule filed..... 7,347.55

The month of February opened with 102 patients, the largest number in four years.

## Hospital Report.

JANUARY, 1897.

Number of patients in Hospital Jan. 1, 1897.....	69
Admitted during January.....	113
Number discharged during January, 1897.....	182
Number in Hospital February 1, 1897.....	87
Deaths during January.....	98
Lowest number during January.....	12
Highest number during January.....	197
Number of hospital days during January.....	65
	94
	2471

Of the deaths during January, six occurred within twenty-four hours after admission to Hospital.

## Report of Surgical Pavilion.

JANUARY, 1897.

BY WESLEY T. MULLIGAN, House Surgeon.

Number of operations during January.....	61
“ “ operators .....	20
“ “ patients.....	48

## Report of Training School.

JANUARY, 1897.

BY SOPHIA F. PALMER, Superintendent.

Applications for circulars .....	42
Applicants for admission.....	17
Candidates received on probation .....	5
Probationers accepted .....	1
“ not “ .....	1
Visits made by district nurse.....	22
Number of pupils in training.....	37
Special nursing by pupils, in Hospital, 95 days.....	\$154 14

## DIED AT THE ROCHESTER CITY HOSPITAL.

Jan. 3—James G. Greensmith....	Aged 17 mos.
" 4—Ruth E. Greensmith....	" 3 years
" 4—Mrs. Emma Organ.....	" 57 "
" 12—Mrs. Emma Herbon.....	" 30 "
" 13—Infant of Mrs. B. Brown	" 0 "
" 14—Albert White.....	" 21 "
" 17—Harold Spencer Daly....	" 23 mos.
" 24—Mrs. George Hooper....	" 30 years
" 25—Jacob Schlegel.....	" 36 "
" 28—William White.....	" 25 "
" 29—Harold Van Deuser.....	" 15 "
" 30—Henry Giles .....	" 13 "

## Ambulance Report.

JANUARY, 1897.

By R. BRUCE GAMBLE, M. D., Ambulance Surgeon

Total number of runs during January....	81
Transferred to Rochester City Hospital....	51
" " Other Hospitals.....	1
" " homes or stations.....	25
Cases not taken or treated.....	4
Number of ordinary calls.....	68
" " hurry ".....	13

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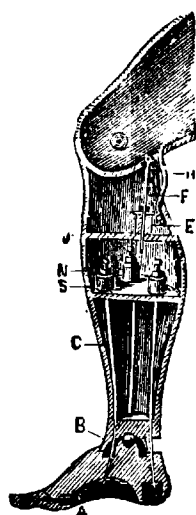
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VOL. XXXIII.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., MARCH 15, 1897.

No. 7

## Hospital Notes.

St. Mary's Hospital has issued its first copy of "Hospital News," a paper devoted to the interests of that institution, and the Hahnemann Hospital "Advocate," has reappeared in a new form beginning with January, 1897. Thus with the Homœopathic "Leaflet," and the "REVIEW," our citizens have no excuse for remaining in ignorance of the work done in the four great Hospitals of the city.

Dr. Henckell, Dr. Weigel and Dr. Seeley Little have charge of the X-Ray apparatus, and Mr. Handel, the Hospital pharmacist, is prepared to make the experiments in cases of emergency, if these physicians should be absent.

Much thought has been given of late to the subject of fire protection. The Hospital buildings are well provided with fire-escapes and hose-pipes, but the Chief of the Fire Department recently visited all parts of the institution, and made certain criticisms which have caused the Directors to place fire extinguishers, of a new and approved pattern, in each department. The house-staff has been organized as a fire-brigade and rescue corps, but the best we can wish for them is that their services in this capacity may never be required.

In the Out-Patient Department during January and February 154 new and 144 old patients were cared for. These made 617 visits to the Hospital, and received 609 prescriptions and treatments

The ambulance, which met with a serious trolley accident a month ago, has undergone a successful operation, and is able to leave the Hospital once more. An experienced driver has been engaged for the ambulance service—one who has driven the spirited horse attached to the ambulance of St. Mary's Hospital for some months, without accident.

Dr. Greenleaf and Dr. Gallagher have been appointed by the staff to fill the places of Dr. Wesley Mulligan and Dr. Stoddard, whose terms of office expired on February 1st.

Miss Maud Cartwright, a training school graduate, has been appointed book-keeper, in place of Mr. Stockbridge, resigned.

A proposition has been made to set apart one of the private rooms for the use of the City Police when any member of that corps may be in need of hospital nursing; the furnishing of the room to be undertaken by the Twigs and the care of the occupants to be entirely gratuitous. The matter has been communicated to Major Cleary, Chief of Police, who has expressed his thanks in an appreciative letter to the managers and will bring the subject before the Police Commissioners at their next meeting.

The date for the graduating exercises of the Training School has not been definitely fixed, but it is probable that they will take place on Thursday evening, March 25th, at Assembly Hall on Gibbs street where, after the exercises, the nurses and their friends may enjoy a dance. Announcement will be made in the daily papers, and it is hoped that the friends of the hospital will attend in large numbers.

### Death of Miss Jeffrey.

The City Hospital loses a true friend in Miss Agnes Jeffrey, whose sudden death will bring sorrow to many hearts. Her cheering words and acts of kindness will be missed by those who were associated with her in any capacity, and her death brings a sense of real personal loss to hosts of friends and acquaintances.

### Work of the Twigs.

[These items were crowded out last month to make room for the annual report.]

The Columbian Twig has sent seven night-gowns and fourteen surgical towels to the Hospital since the last report was sent in.

ANNA C. MCKOWN, Secretary.

Finished by the Fourth Twig at the meeting held February 5th: Eleven baby dresses and two flannel slips. Work previous to the first of the year was on picture frames for the Donation.

L. W. LITTLE, Secretary, *pro tem*.

The Morning Twig has taken up work for the Hospital children, and having purchased a quantity of flannel the members are now engaged in making a number of wrappers which will be warm and comfortable for the little wearers. If any of the other Twigs have undertaken any special line of work we shall be glad to have them report if they care to have it mentioned.

Twenty-one sheets were sent to the Hospital by the Second Twig on February 8th.

~~The Morning Twig has taken up work for the Hospital children, and having purchased a quantity of flannel the members are now engaged in making a number of wrappers which will be warm and comfortable for the little wearers.~~

### A Useful Appliance.

Among the many improvements and advanced appliances for the treatment of surgical cases at the City Hospital, one in use in the Magee room, especially attracted the attention of visitors at the Hospital last week. In one of the beds in this pleasant attractive private ward, lay a young girl who had met with a serious fracture of the thigh bone. It was absolutely necessary that she should not move one inch, as the slightest movement on her part would interfere with the proper knitting of the bone, and the recovery of the patient. To this end Dr. Weigel, who has charge of the case, has had made, under his personal supervision, an apparatus by which the patient is skillfully and painlessly lifted from the mattress for the necessary changes of sheets, bedding, etc., without the slightest movement on her part. One could not help exclaiming, when looking at this and the many other preventions of suffering, "What a blessing it is to live in the 19th century!" It would seem that the next hundred years must see the abolition of physical suffering. The City Hospital keeps pace with the rapid advance in medical and surgical science, and all that can be done to hasten the time "when there shall be no more pain," is done here.

### House-to-House Nursing.

One of the trying problems of sickness in the home is destined to be solved by the trained nurses of this country. Comparatively few people can afford to pay the regular rates charged for caring for the sick, when the entire time of the nurse is devoted to the patient. The great majority must depend on such care as can be given by the members of the family or some obliging neighbor. The trained nurse was quick to see this painful state of things, and as quick to devise a remedy. The experimental stage is past; and it is only a

question of a few years before all the large cities and towns, perhaps even the villages, will have visiting nurses whose duties will consist in going from house to house with the physician, or in his wake, to look after his patients and make them comfortable for the day.

In Rochester, where this system is perhaps best established, the ordinary charge is \$1 an hour. Of course, contagious diseases cannot be included in the list of those benefiting by this arrangement; but in surgical cases and many others, it is invaluable. How many young mothers, unable to keep a nurse the traditional month necessary for caring for the new baby, would bless a skilled woman who should come in for an hour every morning to bathe the child and dress it for the day, and oil the domestic machinery, so that it could run smoothly for twenty-four hours!

Such nursing is not only of physical benefit, but it is of moral help and mental cheer. It brings an atmosphere of rest to the tired household, and awakens hope. The nurse not only does her own work, but she shows the amateurs who continue her duties during the rest of the day how to do theirs better.

On the other hand the nurse reaps some advantages from this plan. She has a sense of independence, a stronger home feeling, a greater variety in life, more out-of-door life, and a wider, deeper, more sympathetic interest in humanity at large. This, at least, is the experience of those who have adopted the profession of visiting nurse.

As this plan develops it will probably be specialized, so that there will be children's nurses, surgeons' assistants, oculists' and aurists' assistants, and others, all drawn from the graduates of the best training-schools. These will exist in such numbers that no one who is sick need suffer for lack of attention; while those who can afford the luxury will still retain the constant service of nurses in their homes, from the

beginning to the end of the need. This is only one of the many reforms and improvements which nurses are introducing in their own domain.—*The Christian Register.*

### Treasurer's Report.

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### Hospital Report.

#### FEBRUARY, 1897.

Number of patients in Hospital Feb. 1, 1897.....	98
Admitted during February.....	91
Number discharged during February, 1897.....	102
Deaths during February.....	15
Number in Hospital March 1, 1897.....	72
Lowest number during February.....	71
Highest number during February.....	103
Daily average number during February.....	87
Number of hospital days during February.....	2441
Among the number of deaths 3 died within 12 hours after admittance to Hospital.	

### Died at Rochester City Hospital.

Feb. 3—Salvatore Simeoni.....	Aged — years
“ 4—Oswald Ramazetter.....	“ 10 “
“ 4—Miss E. Gavin.....	“ 15 “
“ 4—John Walker.....	“ 48 “
“ 11—Mrs. Grace Davis-Johnson.....	“ 20 “
“ 11—Frank Frazer.....	“ 14 “
“ 11—John Van Houte.....	“ 35 “
“ 14—Henry Davis.....	“ 88 “
“ 20—Joseph Miller.....	“ 36 “
“ 22—Mrs. Chas. Laidlaw.....	“ 26 “
“ 25—Annie Cohen.....	“ 22 “
“ 25—Anthony Koelmar.....	“ 30 “
“ 26—Matthew Dammart.....	“ 35 “
“ 27—Reinhardt Dunke.....	“ 34 “
“ 28—Harry Veneor.....	“ 5 “

### Report of Surgical Pavilion.

#### FEBRUARY, 1897.

By R. B. GAMBLE, M. D., House Surgeon.

Number of operations during February.....	56
“ “ patients.....	45
“ “ operators.....	19

### Ambulance Report.

#### FEBRUARY, 1897.

By C. GREENLEAF, M. D., Ambulance Surgeon.	
Total number of runs during February.....	102
Transferred to Rochester City Hospital.....	50
“ “ other hospitals.....	9
“ “ homes or stations.....	43
Cases not taken or treated.....	2
Number of ordinary calls.....	80
“ “ hurry “.....	22

### Report of Training School.

#### FEBRUARY, 1897.

BY SOPHIA F. PALMER, Superintendent.

Applications for circulars.....	48
Applicants for admission.....	20
Candidates received on probation.....	5
Probationers accepted.....	3
“ not “.....	2
Number of pupils in training.....	38
Visits made by district nurse.....	49
Amount of special nursing in Hospital, by pupil nurses—Private patients in private wards, 12 hours service, 103 days.....	\$148 50
Private patients in private wards, 24 hours' service, 8 days.....	\$ 21 00
Charity patients in public wards, 12 hours' service, 9 days.....	
Total.....	\$169 50

### Contributions.

#### February, 1897.

The Kraenzchen, 6 sheets.  
 The Watchful Circle, Central Church, 57 towels.  
 The Ladies' Book Club (per Miss Griffith), 6 recent works of fiction.  
 Mrs. W. H. Perkins, newspapers for men's ward.  
 Dr. Louis Weigel, complete outfit for the photographic department of the X-Ray room.  
 Mrs. Johnson, 2 infants' flannel dresses, 2 pair socks, 1 pair shoes, 2 pair trousers.  
 Mrs. Wm. E. Hoyt, old linen.  
 Mrs. Brewster, magazines.  
 Mrs. Angell, 8 packs of cards.  
 Mrs. Denman, toys for the children's ward.  
 Miss Gertrude Hess, comic papers for children's ward.  
 Mr. Chas. Morris, the Christmas pictorial numbers.  
 Scrantom & Wetmore, magazines and illustrated papers.  
 Mrs. Sexton, a year of Cosmopolitan magazine.

Mrs. Buell, old cotton.  
 Mrs. Danforth, magazines.  
 Dr. Hastings, magazines.  
 Miss Helen Stone, paper dolls for children's ward.  
 Mrs. Eisengarten, comic German papers.  
 Parent Stem, 4 night shirts, 3 table napkins.  
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 Morning Twig, 2 pillow cases, 6 flannel wrappers.  
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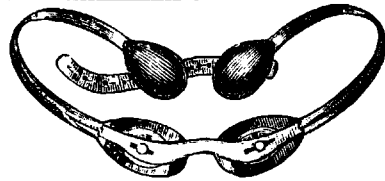
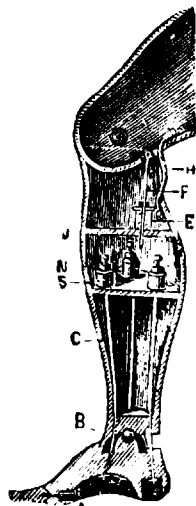
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The evening of Thursday, March 25th, found the friends of the Hospital and its nurses assembled once more to do honor to the class about to graduate from the Training School. By an innovation the exercises were held within the Hospital walls, the nurses' parlor and the main hall on the second floor having been found adequate to the demands of the occasion. The graduates and under graduates were seated in the hall with the members of the staff and Miss Palmer, Superintendent of the Hospital, while the managers and other guests were assembled in the parlor and the Superintendent's reception room, facing the hall on either side. The number and variety of exquisite flowers and plants bore evidence to the affection in which the members of the graduating class were held by their friends, every available space in the parlor being covered with beautiful and fragrant offerings.

Mr. Wilder, President of the Board of Directors, presided, and made the announcements of the order of exercises. There were no programmes and there was much less formality than on former occasions, a change which commended itself to every one concerned.

The exercises were opened with prayer by the Rev. Richard D. Harlan, after which Miss Henrietta Allen sang two songs in a charming manner, "Love's Nocturne," and "Daddy."

Dr. Little, who for years past has delivered the address to the graduating class, was unavoidably absent, and the address was read by Dr. Ely, who also presented the diplomas. After another song by Miss Allen the exercises closed with the benediction pronounced by Rev. Mr. Harlan.

Refreshments were then served and the nurses and their friends spent the remainder of the evening in dancing.

**Graduating Class of 1897.**

Elizabeth S. Rose,	Janet McKenzie,
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**Dr. Little's Address.**

In the long time ago, it pleased the medical and surgical staff of the Rochester City Hospital to make *me* (the last survivor of its original membership) its presiding officer, for what reason, other than seniority, doth not appear, unless the donors of the honor acted on the reasoning of the man who thought his dog must be a good hunter because he was good for nothing else.

"The honor sought the man," and the man rashly let himself be found, little recking that among the perquisites of the office was to be the favor of an annual armful of diplomas to be given, *with an address to outgoing nurses*.

The diplomas you have earned, and are welcome to; but, like Chinese kites, they need no tail to steady them. Then why tack on a string of words? Let the evil genius give answer who first evolved the idea.

By actual count, you have heard a hundred and fifty-six lectures from the doctors, and I know not how many more from your superintendent and head nurse; and now, at the end, comes this added atrocity, this monstrous "piling of Pelion upon Ossa"—this "line upon line"—this "precept upon precept"—this "here a little and there a little." It is a stupendous imposition for which you have my profound sympathy. Mayhap an echo of pity will rebound from you to me, who am thus doomed, year after year, to vex the outgoing classes.

A remedy is coming. When a clergyman's barrel is full of sermons, he sometimes turns it bottom-up and serves out stale stuff to his parishioners. When he does this his flock begins to look around for another shepherd. My barrel is full enough to revolve on its axis, and that other shepherd is heartily welcome to my old shoes.

With this protest—more vigorously felt than uttered—I proceed, perfunctorily, to my task, and ask you to bear with me. It will be only for a minute or two; for this further burden of brevity is imposed on me by my wise colleagues, who reason, perhaps, that “the least said is soonest mended.” I can mend *that*—Nothing said needs no mending. Or, it may be, they had in mind the adage “brevity is the soul of wit”; but you can’t see a soul, and by the terms of the aphorism its body is absent. So the “saw” falls senseless; in fact, like most of its venerable comrades that have “come down to us from a former generation” it is a hoary old fraud, walking up and down among the languages seeking whom it may deceive. *Apropos*: hear what Mr. McElroy said a few weeks ago to your sisters at the Homœopathic Hospital:

“Young ladies, you will be told that Mottoes are the wisdom of many and the wit of one, and be led to believe they are axioms. I would advise you to look sharp to mottoes. They are conservatism to swindle you out of your independence and enthusiasm.”

It is well to be reinforced by such good backing when one utters a heresy in attacking an old belief like the faith in aphorisms.

If, in parting with you, I am asked to tell you what one quality underlying all your technical knowledge will most conduce to your success in life, that will make you acceptable to God and your fellow man, and incidentally bank for you “treasures in heaven” and shekels on earth, the ready reply is, *common sense*. A curious misnomer this, as anyone knows that so-called *common sense* is decidedly uncommon. Probably the applied adjective came from the fact that this sense resides mostly among uneducated or common persons, who have to rely on it, in lieu of learning, to make their way in the world. The higher up the intellectual scale, the less of this quality one finds, as a rule. The self-made man is informed by it, and it has been the “making of him” in the line of his endeavor.

Bear in mind that medicine is not an exact science. Its practice is largely empirical. The mathematician puts two and two together in equal rectangular lines and draws a square. The doctor puts “two and two together” and draws—an inference! The one is certain of his results and is a scientist; the other, at best, is but a “happy guesser!”

“Tell it not in Gath, and proclaim it not in the streets of Askelon,” lest the dwellers therein lose faith in us, and you and I go patientless.

But this very incertitude, born of the numerous factors that enter into every problem the physician and the nurse is asked to solve, calls for something more and better, and higher, than mere scientific attainment and technical knowledge. What this is, the felicitous author of “Rab

and His Friends” tells in the following words:

“The prime qualifications of a physician may be summed up in the words, *capax*, *perspicax*, *sagax*, *efficax*. *Capax*—There must be room to receive and keep knowledge. *Perspicax*—Senses and perceptions keen, accurate, and immediate, to bring in materials from all sensible things. *Sagax*—A central power of knowing what is what, and what it is worth—of choosing and rejecting, of judging—and, finally *Efficax*—the will and the way—the power to turn all the other three—Capacity, Perspicacity and Sagacity—to account in the performance of the thing in hand, and thus rendering back to the outer world, in a new and useful form, what you had received from it.” Again, Dr. Brown says: “The doctor must have as his main, his master faculty, *Sense*.”

This sense is what makes faculty. The woman who knows how to face her work is a woman of faculty. Whatever materials time or occasion place before her she makes the most of, and cutting, and piecing, and trimming, a royal robe is wrought, out of fabrics another would hardly think fit for a crazy quilt.

So, then, common sense tells you how to apply your knowledge, and make the most of things that come to hand. In short how to *do* things and do them to the best advantage.

“Push things,” (another and better way of saying “do things” urgently,) was Grant’s grand motto. “Be up and doing” is the *fin de siècle* watchword, and “Be ye doers” is the epitome of gospel teaching. Therefore, cultivate this sense, this higher sense, this *common sense*, this God-given sense, that gives impulse and wise direction to every endeavor.

If you crave further counsel and more of detail, you can review your notes of a hundred and fifty six lectures, or you may ransack and rummage my barrel; or (better than either), read John Brown’s “With Brains, Sir,” and “Happy Guessing.”

The minutes have sped. Your parchments are due. Lay your lines and build your lives on the bed-rock of Common Sense, and you will surely prosper. This is our parting greeting.

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The Treasurer has received 25 cents as the last instalment on the price of a hip splint furnished to a boy in the Pavilion. His mother has paid nearly the entire cost of the appliance, a fact which deserves mention, as a contrast to the many who expect the Hospital to furnish everything without thought of obligation or indebtedness.

### Instruction for Alien Nurses.

During the month of March two United States Inspectors of Immigration visited the City Hospital and asked Miss Palmer to show them the records of the institution. In looking over the list of nurses in the Training School they soon discovered that a number of the young women receiving instruction were from Canada. The *Democrat and Chronicle* of April 1st thus describes the interview between the inspectors and the superintendent on the subject of the law governing the employment of aliens :

"The inspectors stated that the object of their visit was to determine if the City Hospital was complying with an order which had but lately been given out under the contract labor law, and which held that all aliens receiving instruction in the hospitals of the United States come under the provisions of the law. They stated that on the 11th of last November the secretary of the treasury had ordered his inspectors to look through the hospitals and find if there were really any Canadian girls being trained as nurses in these institutions. If they found that they were, they were to order the practice discontinued.

"The superintendent of the hospital told the agents, frankly, that she had never received any official notice of such a decision, and that she had therefore felt free to admit Canadian girls to the hospital on the same status as those from the United States. There were already several applications from young women in Canada that had been acted upon favorably, she said, and the applicants were expected soon. She told the inspectors that the present training class contained a large percentage of Canadian girls, and that she could scarcely see how these could be dismissed in the middle of their course without doing them a great injustice. The girls had signed a contract to remain at the institution for two years, and were receiving a small sum each month as an allowance for the purchase of the hospital uniforms, books and the like.

"On leaving, the inspectors stated that they would not be arbitrary in the matter, and that the Canadian girls who were at present members of the training school would be allowed to remain. The institution would, however, not be allowed to receive any more girls from abroad.

"Since that time, the superintendent has been obliged to deny the applications of a number of Canadian girls who were desirous of entering the training school. There were sixteen of these on file for the summer. A letter has been sent to each one, stating that owing to official notification given of the construction placed on the con-

tract labor law, the applications will have to be denied."

The employment of Canadian nurses in the United States is nothing new. The majority of our hospital superintendents and nurses are of Canadian and English birth. Those now holding such positions will be allowed to retain them, but the enforcement of the law will prevent the acceptance as probationers of any but American nurses, although the inspectors stated before leaving the hospital that there was a way in which they could get around the strict interpretation of the law. They said that it was only necessary for an applicant to be in the United States twenty-four hours in order to become "Americanized" and eligible to the training class of any hospital. The application could be forwarded to the would-be pupil anywhere this side of the line and she could make all the necessary arrangements in this country.

This is truly an ingenious way out of the difficulty ! So far as the authorities of the City Hospital have been able to learn, the inspectors confined their inquiries to that institution.

### Hospital Notes.

In the Out-Patient Department, during the month of March, 86 new patients and 90 old patients were treated. These made 356 visits to the Hospital and received 337 prescriptions and treatments.

Dandelions were blooming in the Hospital grounds on March 12th.

The past month has been an unusually busy one. A number of nurses and house servants having been ill with grip extra duty has fallen upon those who are well.

In the contagious pavilions the former prevailing epidemic, diphtheria, has given place to scarlet fever and erysipelas.

Such an event as the graduation of the nurses, which calls together a large assem-

blage of guests, serves to emphasize the fact that a separate house for the nurses, which shall provide a hall for such gatherings, as well as proper class-rooms, has become an absolute necessity. By removing furniture from the parlor and throwing it open, placing chairs in the hall and in the Superintendent's room, it is possible to find space for a numerous audience, but it will readily be seen that circumstances might arise when it would be impossible to use the main hall for such purposes. How long is the City Hospital—the first institution of the kind established in Rochester—to continue without this most important addition to its buildings? A fund has been started for this object. Who will assist?

The Treasurer has received the sum of two dollars from Ruth Moore of Mt. Hope avenue, who earned it by making and selling candy, paper dolls, etc., and sends it as a donation to the Cripples' Fund. The managers desire to express their thanks for the same.

It was a great disappointment that Dr. Little should have been seized with the prevailing malady—the grip—on the very day he was to deliver his address, and present their diplomas to the nurses. Much sympathy for his suffering, and regret for his absence were expressed by all present. Dr. Ely, who took his place, was heartily welcomed on his first appearance at the Hospital after his long illness.

The Managers desire to thank Mrs. Wm. S. Kimball for a quantity of exquisite flowers sent for the nurses' graduation; the West Avenue Improvement Society for the chairs which they kindly lent, and Mr. Schlegel, of South Avenue, for the beautiful palms which decorated the parlor and halls on that occasion; the Rev. Mr. Harlan and Miss Allen for their kind assistance, and all others who contributed to the pleasure of the evening.

Miss Cartwright has been obliged to resign her position as clerk owing to an affection of the eyes. She is succeeded by Miss Langstaff, who has had years of clerical and professional work in Chicago, since graduating from the Training School.

The perfecting of the fire-protection service still interests the dwellers within the Hospital. In addition to the twelve extinguishers already in place, fire-alarm boxes have been put in every section of the building. These are connected with the headquarters of the fire department, so that an alarm may be sent out without an instant's delay. The fire service was tested during the past month for the purpose of instructing the house staff in the use of the new extinguishers. A pile of barrels was set on fire in the grounds, and the utility and efficacy of the new apparatus was demonstrated. The extinguishers are from the firm of Meyrose & Co., St. Louis, and the fire signals are being placed by the Standard Electrical Signal Co.

### Twigs.

The Hemlock Twig has finished since last reported 15 sheets, 51 surgical towels, 20 pillow cases, and has also contributed \$5.00 towards furnishing the Policemen's room in the Hospital.

The Second Graft has been reorganized, and is holding its regular meetings.

The Columbian Twig has sent 11 night gowns to the Hospital since last report.

All of the Twigs have done splendid work during the winter. The society of German ladies, called the "Kraenzchen" is also very energetic, and sends in a good supply of finished work each month.

CALIFORNIA has five large asylums for the insane and forty-five hundred patients are domiciled therein.

**Mrs. Edward Melgs Smith.**

The daily papers have borne such just and accurate testimony to Mrs. Smith's worth as a woman and a friend, that it remains only for us to speak of her in connection with the City Hospital and its work.

From the early days of its establishment she was a member of the Board of Managers, where she did earnest work for many years. After resigning this position her interest in the Hospital still continued, and her work for it ended only with her life. Those who were privileged to work with her in preparation for the Annual Donation, know how heartily she entered into every detail of the arrangements, what happy suggestions she offered, and how successful were the results accomplished.

Owing to her failing health, the Twig of which she was a member was invited to meet regularly at her house, in the hope that she might be able to join them at their work. This she did when possible, but when she became unable to do so, she sent down cheery messages from her room, or perhaps said a pleasant word over the stair-rail as the members were leaving her ever-hospitable home. In all that was undertaken for the Hospital she was heartily interested, and in this as in every other direction, she made her interest to be felt.

Mrs. Smith will be missed in every circle of the community in which she was known, but only those who knew her best, can appreciate fully the void created by her death.

**A Critical Operation.**

*Post Express.*

Last Monday there was performed at the City Hospital, by one of the physicians connected with the Hospital, an operation of extreme delicacy. A tumor was successfully removed from the four months old daughter of Burt A. Whiting. The

child is now at the City Hospital, and as far as the tumor is concerned is doing well. After the operation scarlet fever set in and the little one is now confined with an attack of that disease. She was to-day reported as doing well and it is hoped that she will recover. It is thought that this establishes a new record for the age at which such an operation has been successfully conducted, as it is often that even a person of mature age does not survive the removal of a tumor.

**Evening Clinic.**

Mention was made in the REVIEW some months ago, of an evening Clinic soon to be established in connection with the Out-Patient Department of the City Hospital. The long and serious illness of Dr. Ely, who had charge of the arrangements, has made it impossible to carry out the proposed plan thus far, but now being restored to health and able to resume his duties at the Hospital, he is prepared to give his attention to the matter, and the directors have decided to establish a tri-weekly evening clinic, for men, women and children, who are unable to attend the regular day clinic.

Beginning April 12th, one or more of the Out-Patient staff will be present in the Out-Patient Department, 223 West avenue, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings, from 7 to 8 o'clock, to treat medical and surgical cases. If the attendance should be large enough to make it necessary the clinics will be held every evening, instead of three evenings in the week, and it is hoped that this arrangement will benefit a large number of working people whose daily occupations prevent them from receiving the treatment and medical skill which the Hospital is so generously prepared to furnish.

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 Miss Hildreth—Dressing gown.  
 Mrs. Hofheinz—Illustrated papers.  
 A Friend—Illustrated papers and reading matter.

**Hospital Report.**

MARCH, 1897.

Number of patients in Hospital March 1,	72
Admitted during March.....	114
	186
Number discharged during March.....	93
Deaths during March.....	14
Number in Hospital April 1.....	79
	186
Lowest number during March.....	72
Highest number during March.....	89
Daily average number during March....	82
Number of hospital days during March.....	2549

Among the number of deaths 5 died within 24 hours after admittance to Hospital.

**Ambulance Report.**

MARCH, 1897.

By C. GREENLEAF, M. D., Ambulance Surgeon.

Total number of runs during March.....	84
Transferred to Rochester City Hospital.....	45
“ “ other hospitals.....	3
“ “ homes or stations.....	29
Cases not taken or treated.....	7
Number of ordinary calls.....	57
“ “ hurry “.....	27

**Report of Training School.**

MARCH, 1897.

BY SOPHIA F. PALMER, Superintendent.

Applications for circulars .....	23
Applicants for admission.....	17
Applicants received on probation .....	4
Probationers accepted .....	3
“ not “ .....	5
Number of pupils in training.....	36
Visits made by district nurse.....	23
Amount of special nursing in Hospital, by pupil nurses—Private patients in private wards, 12 hours service, 137 days.....	\$195 00
Private patients in private wards, 24 hours' service, 9 days.....	\$ 24 00
Charity patients in public wards, 12 hours' service, 41 days.....	00
Total.....days 187.....	\$219 00

**Report of Surgical Pavilion.**

MARCH, 1897.

By R. B. GAMBLE, M. D., House Surgeon.

Number of operations during March.....	83
“ “ patients.....	54
“ “ operators .....	16

**Treasurer's Report.**

ENDOWMENT FUND FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN.

From Ruth Moore.....	\$ 2 00
Last payment on splint for boy in pavilion .....	25
Previously acknowledged.....	2,809 19
	\$2,811 44

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In memoriam Clarence Jeffrey .....	\$ 25 00
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**Died at Rochester City Hospital.**

March 1—Louis Strump.....	aged 31 years.
“ 1—Mr. Waterman.....	“ — “
“ 3—Mrs. Henry Taylor.....	“ 43 “
“ 4—Luella Butts.....	“ 16 “
“ 7—Ruth Frances Brower..	“ 2½ “
“ 9—Dr. J. A. Sprague.....	“ 44 “
“ 15—Conrad Esker.....	“ 23 “
“ 18—Infant.....	“ — “
“ 18—Mary Mungovan.....	“ 13 “
“ 23—George Kinzel.....	“ 69 “
“ 25—Mrs. Anthony Fromm... ✓	“ 34 “
“ 26—Andrew Mitchell.....	“ 48 “
“ 28—James Wilshaw.....	“ 40 “
“ 30—Edward Connell.....	“ 26 “

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*Orthopædic Surgery*—Dr. Weigel. Monday, Thursday ; 4 to 5.  
*Diseases of the Throat and Nose*—Dr. Mandeville. Monday, Wednesday, Friday ; 4 to 5.  
*General Surgery*—Dr. Henckell. Monday, Wednesday, Friday ; 11 to 12.  
*Diseases of Women*—Dr. Rose and Dr. Becker. Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday ; 10 to 11.

TABULAR VIEW.

	MONDAY.	TUESDAY.	WEDNESDAY.	THURSDAY.	FRIDAY.	SATURDAY.
10 to 11.		Dr. Becker.	Dr. Rose.		Dr. Becker.	Dr. Rose.
11 to 12.	Drs. Rider and Carson.	Drs. Huber and Soble.	Drs. Rider	Drs. Huber and Soble.	Drs. Rider and Carson.	Drs. Huber and Soble.
11 to 12.	Dr. Henckell.				Dr. Henckell.	
4 to 5.	Dr. Cook, Dr. Weigel, Dr. Mandeville.	Dr. Roseboom,	Dr. Mandeville,	Dr. Cook, Dr. Weigel.	Dr. Roseboom, Dr. Mandeville.	

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London Lancet.

Everyone who has read Prof. Sully's "Studies of Childhood" must acknowledge the American child to be a subject worthy of study. But the following delicious production which we received from the medical man to whom it was sent, shows, we think, that the child mind in this country is equally interesting. The

letter is written upon small pink paper, ornamented with a picture of a pony, and we transcribe it verbatim, omitting only names and addresses:

"DEAR DR. —, I would be very pleased if you would let me have a baby for one guinea. We want it on The 4th of Febry for Mother's birthday. We would like it fat and Bonny, with blue eyes and fair hair. We Children are going to give it to her ourselves please answer at once. Yours sincerely, Archie —. P. S.—Which would be the cheaper a Boy or a Girl?"

We commend this to the notice of Prof. Sully. The P. S. is delightful, and who is there shall answer the momentous question? The age of the writer—the eldest child—we may add, is 7. We are honored with the acquaintance of a young lady, aged 5, who one day remarked: "Father, dear, why is our baby such an unpleasant, common little thing?"

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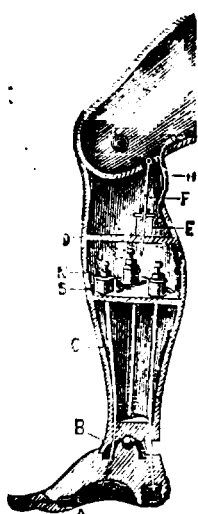
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### Hospital Notes.

The evening clinic in the Out-Patient Department has been successfully established since our last report. It is expected that only those patients who cannot attend the day medical and surgical clinics will come in the evening.

The whole department cared for 171 patients in April. These made 413 visits to the hospital and received 410 prescriptions and treatment.

The record for the month shows it to have been an unusually busy one, the daily average for the first week having been ten more than for a year past.

A number of nurses have been ill with grip, and those able to attend to their duties have been constantly occupied, many cases of severe illness, as well as numerous accident cases among the patients received, having required the closest care and attention.

The furious winds of the past fortnight have played havoc with the shingles of the north contagious pavilion, entailing extra and unlooked for expenditure for new roofing.

Dr. Macauley, of the Out-Patient Department, has resigned his position on account of the pressing duties of private practice.

Dr. Gallegher has been seriously ill for some weeks, and is still in his room under hospital care. Dr. Crittenden, of Geneva, a recent graduate of the Buffalo school, has taken his place temporarily.

The city has laid a new asphalt pavement on the West avenue side of the grounds—for which the Hospital is to pay the bill—and in preparing for the work all the trees on the sidewalk have been cut down. The pavement is an improvement over the old one, but what can replace the trees destroyed in this ruthless “march of civilization”?

The bricks taken from the old walk will be used to pave the Troup street drive, making a sweep to the barn and from there to the Hospital entrance.

A new horse-mower has been purchased under Mr. Wilder's direction, for use in the Hospital grounds. This will do the work in a half-day which it formerly required a week to accomplish with hand mowers. One of the ambulance horses, when off duty, will be used for this purpose.

The managers desire to express their thanks for a fine garden seat received from Mr. John Greenwood—a gift much needed. If other friends of the Hospital would follow this good example their kindness would be fully appreciated, as the benches now in use in the grounds are nearly worn out.

The “Greentree Room” has been entirely renovated and newly decorated. The old furniture has been re-placed by white enameled bed, dressing table, etc., and there is scarcely a more attractive room in the Hospital than this, with its present fresh and dainty adornments.

During the prevalence of grip in and about the Hospital, Miss Palmer's assistant, Miss Doyle, became ill, and is still confined to her bed. Miss Smart, a graduate of the Boston City Hospital, has been appointed to take her place until she is able to resume her work at the Hospital.

The "Fin de Siecle" club, of Penn Yan, has ended its work for the season, by sending seven nightgowns for hospital use. The members hope to take up work again next winter for the same object.

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The Parent Stem held its last meeting for the season on May 7th.

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The Fourth Twig finished, at its last meeting, five baby dresses and two flannel slips.

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Among the distinguished visitors of the past month were Bishop Walker, who made a tour of the Hospital and addressed the patients in the wards, and Dr. Halstead, of Baltimore, who came to perform an operation.

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### Hospital Improvements.

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The long-expected oak doors are at last in place at both the Hospital entrances, and are very handsome, with heavy sheets of plate-glass and brass fittings. The vestibule and steps are to be painted, and the approaches to the main building will be much more inviting than formerly.

The hinges for the doors were given some months ago, through the firm of Hamilton & Mathews, by the Stanley Works of New Britain, Conn., and the locks and bolts by P. & F. Corbin of the same place. The work upon the doors has been done by Mr. Luther, carpenter and contractor, of this city.

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### Outfit for Sick-Calls.

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The priests of St. Patrick's Cathedral have presented to the City Hospital a beautiful "Sick-Call Outfit," for the use of any Roman Catholic priest called to administer consolation to the sick or dying members of that church. The service is of silver, consisting

of a heavily embossed crucifix, with standard and candlesticks, two flat dishes, richly engraved, a cup, a vial of holy water, and a supply of linen napkins, candles, etc., the whole enclosed in a handsome oak case lined with purple silk and embellished with a gold cross on the cover.

For many years the City Hospital has provided an ordinary service for the administration of the rites of the Roman Catholic Church, but nothing so complete as this could have been prepared at the institution. The gift was made through Father Hughes, who, by request, has written a description of the articles in the case and their uses, but, unfortunately, limited space prevents the publication of more than the small part of his article which we subjoin :

"The Catholic priest is ready at all times to respond to a sick-call. It matters not whether it be in the dead of night, or what may be the condition of the weather, or how far he may be obliged to travel. He is always ready to respond to a call from any one who may desire his services in case of sickness or accident. When he is called to the houses of his own people, he always finds everything prepared for him. All the necessary articles are ready for the administration of the sacraments. But it may happen at times that a Catholic is taken ill in a house where there are no Catholics and consequently the priest is at a loss for the necessary things to administer the Holy Rites of the Church in a becoming manner. It is for this reason that the priests of the Cathedral have provided this sick-call outfit for their use in the City Hospital. The priests are very thankful to the managers of the Hospital for their kindness shown to them through their attendants and nurses. They are always made very welcome by the Superintendent and every kindness to them is duly appreciated."

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A contribution for the REVIEW was left by a subscriber at Miss Rumsey's house during her absence from town early in December. By some mistake the name was lost, and the contribution is placed in the list as from an unknown donor. If the subscriber will kindly communicate with Miss Rumsey, 39 South Washington street, the amount will be credited to the proper source.

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## Hospital Report.

APRIL, 1897.

Number of patients in Hospital April 1,	79
Admitted during April.....	108
	187
Number discharged during April.....	89
Deaths during April.....	10
Number, in Hospital May 1.....	88
	187
Lowest number during April.....	78
Highest number during April.....	96
Daily average number during April.....	83
Number of hospital days during April.....	2513

Among the number of deaths 1 died within 24 hours after admittance to Hospital.

## Ambulance Report.

APRIL, 1897.

By C. GREENLEAF, M. D., Ambulance Surgeon.

Total number of runs during April.....	74
Transferred to Rochester City Hospital.....	36
"    "    other hospitals.....	3
"    "    homes or stations.....	31
Cases not taken or treated.....	5
Number of ordinary calls.....	51
"    "    hurry    "    .....	23

## Report of Training school.

APRIL, 1897.

BY SOPHIA F. PALMER, Superintendent.

Applications for circulars .....	12
Applicants for admission.....	11
Applicants received on probation .....	4
Probationers accepted .....	1
"    not    "    .....	1
Number of pupils in training.....	34
Visits made by district nurse.....	29
Amount of special nursing in Hospital, by pupil nurses—Private patients in private wards, 12 hours' service, 107 days.....	\$153 00
Charity patients in public wards, 24 hours' service, 9 days.....	
Charity patients in public wards, 12 hours' service, 27 days.....	
Total, 143 days.	

## Treasurer's Report.

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## Report of Surgical Pavilion.

APRIL, 1897.

By R. B. GAMBLE, M. D., House Surgeon.

Number of operations during April.....	88
“ “ patients.....	62
“ “ operators.....	19

## Died at Rochester City Hospital.

April 1—Mrs. W. H. H. Osborne.....	aged 45 years
“ 6—Sidney B. Whitney.....	“ 4 mos.
“ 9—Felix McCarty.....	“ 70 years
“ 11—Oscar Miller.....	“ 5 “
“ 12—James Smith.....	“ 70 “
“ 20—Mrs. Barbara Steimes.....	“ 75 “
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“ 23—William H. Morrison.....	“ 45 “
“ 29—Bertie Benjamin.....	“ 5 “

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APRIL, 1897.

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 Church of the Epiphany—Old linen.  
 A Friend—“ Rochester Presbytery News.”  
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 Mrs. M. B. McDonald—Home Journal for 1895, Tennyson's Poems, pictures for Children's Pavilion.  
 Mrs. Alexander McVean—1 wheel chair, 1 pair crutches, old cotton.  
 Mrs. Brewster—Scribner's, 1895-1896, Harper's, 1895-1896.  
 Miss Saxton—Pictures for children.  
 Mrs. H. W. Meade—1 large hydrangea for Children's Pavilion.  
 Miss Alice R. Buell—1 large framed picture for Children's Pavilion.  
 W. H. H. Osborne, Palmyra—1 night gown.  
 First Presbyterian Church—5 Easter lily plants.  
 A Friend—Old cotton.

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 Mrs. Harlan—3 gallons ice cream.  
 Mrs. Hoyt—Tumblers, china cups, 2 children's night gowns, underclothes, magazines.  
 Mrs. H. P. Brewster—Magazines.  
 John Greenwood—1 lawn bench.  
 Mrs. J. F. Pool—Dressing sacque.  
 Mrs. McDowell—1 book.

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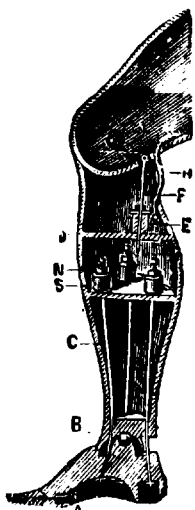
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**Hospital Notes.**

The Out-Patient Department for June reports 236 patients, who made 452 visits to the Hospital and received 489 prescriptions and dressings.

For the six months ending June 30 the total was :

Patients.....	1,103
Visits.....	2,163
Prescriptions, Treatments .....	2,324

Owing to the postponement of the Managers' meeting from the 5th until the 12th of July, and the consequent delay in receiving the Hospital reports, the REVIEW appears later than usual this month.

Although the number of hospital patients has not been large during the past month, the records show it to have been a busy one, owing to many serious accidents which have kept staff and nurses steadily employed.

On Saturday, July 3d, through the kindness of the Superintendent, the hospital children enjoyed a rare treat in witnessing a splendid display of fireworks which were set off for their benefit in the grounds, Dr. Greenleaf kindly acting as master of ceremonies. All the children were carried out from the pavilion and seated upon the garden benches, which were comfortably arranged with pillows and blankets for the occasion. The little ones were very happy, and thoroughly enjoyed their share of the celebration of our National Independence.

During the extremely hot weather the ambulance was provided with ice, and

equipped with all facilities for the immediate treatment of cases of sun-stroke.

The X-Ray apparatus is in daily use. An interesting photograph was recently taken in which a needle imbedded in a woman's hand was distinctly shown. While she was engaged in washing a pair of curtains the needle, which was somewhere in the folds, entered the ball of the thumb. A physician had probed for it unsuccessfully; but by the operation of the rays it was easily located in the back of the hand, instead of in the front where it had entered, and was at once removed.

Miss Doyle, formerly Miss Palmer's assistant, has been obliged, owing to continued ill-health, to resign her position. Miss Doyle has the best wishes of all who were associated with her at the hospital, and who felt the effect of her conscientious work, for a speedy recovery and complete restoration to health and usefulness in the career in which she is so successful.

The brick pavement on the Troup street side of the hospital is being laid under the supervision of Mr. Gorsline, which insures good and thorough work. When it is completed the appearance of the south approach to the buildings will be greatly improved.

The examinations of the junior and intermediate classes in the training school have been held during the past month, and the standing of both is reported as highly satisfactory.

From the present time until the autumn work begins, the nurses are expected to take their vacations, three or four leaving at a time for a fortnight each. They take with them the best wishes of many friends for plenty of fun and a good rest to fit them for the duties of the coming year.

### The Ambulance Service.

July 4th and 5th were the two busiest days of the year, owing to the number of accident cases which were brought in. None of these cases were what physicians would call very serious, but all needed immediate attention, and both ambulances were kept in constant use, until the horses were exhausted and overcome by the extreme heat. St. Mary's Hospital was then called upon for assistance and kindly and cordially responded by placing its ambulance at the disposal of the City Hospital, but this ambulance unfortunately met with an accident in collision with an ice wagon, by which it was so crippled that the City Hospital ambulances resumed work after the horses were rested and fed, and undertook the service for both hospitals during the remainder of the day. Many calls were sent in as "hurry calls" which could not properly be called such, and this brings to mind an excellent article published in a recent issue of the St. Mary's *Hospital News*, in regard to this subject, in which the writer points out that in nearly every case of accident near the heart of the city several ambulances are sent for when only one is needed. A little care and forethought would prevent much unnecessary fatigue to men and horses, and much confusion might be saved if the person who is about to send a call over the telephone, would ascertain before doing so whether an ambulance has already been summoned. On two recent occasions two ambulances received "hurry calls" for the same case, each making a long run in very short time, and one arriving just as the other had driven away with the patient. The four large hospitals of our city are so ready to render assistance wherever it is required that the public ought at least to consider the annoyance and unnecessary trouble which may be caused by the want of thought on the part of those who call upon them for their services.

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Mary Eliot.....	2 00

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**Hospital Report.**

JUNE, 1897.

Number of patients in Hospital June 1,	56
Admitted during June.....	87
	143
Number discharged during June.....	74
Deaths during June.....	11
Number in Hospital July 1.....	58
	143
Lowest number during June.....	53
Highest number during June.....	66
Daily average number during June.....	59
Number of hospital days during June.....	1772

Among the number of deaths, 1 died within 12 hours of admittance, and 1 within 24 hours of admittance.

**Report of Training School.**

JUNE, 1897.

BY SOPHIA F. PALMER, Superintendent.

Applications for circulars .....	24
Applicants for admission.....	10
Number of pupils in training.....	32
Visits made by district nurse.....	35
Amount of special nursing in Hospital, by pupil nurses—Private patients in private wards, 12 hours' service, days .....	143
Private patients in private wards, 24 hours' service, days.....	4½
Charity patients in public wards, 12 hours' service, days.....	14

**Ambulance Report.**

JUNE, 1897.

By C. H. GALLAGHER, M. D., Ambulance Surgeon.

Total number of runs during June.....	71
Transferred to Rochester City Hospital.....	43
“ “ other hospitals.....	3
“ “ homes or stations.....	20
Cases not taken or treated.....	5
Number of ordinary calls.....	38
“ “ hurry “ .....	33

**Report of Surgical Pavilion.**

JUNE, 1897.

By CHAS. O. BOSWELL, M. D., House Surgeon.

Number of operations during June.....	57
“ “ operators.....	18
This includes only cases needing a general anæsthetic.	
Cases treated in Accident Room and not included in above report, or in report of Out-Patient Department .....	30
Secondary dressings since June 15, on walking patients only, not included in Out-Patient Report .....	15

**Died at Rochester City Hospital.**

June 1—Henry C. Regg.....	aged 26 years
“ 6—Benjamin Schofield.....	“ 50 “
“ 6—Amelia Waldron.....	“ 50 “
“ 7—Mrs. John Eling .....	“ 31 “
“ 14—Mrs. Ann Anderson .....	“ 85 “
“ 14—Mrs. Wm. Attridge.....	“ 37 “
“ 16—James H. Thatcher.....	“ 57 “
“ 16—Mrs. Eliza Dibble.....	“ 27 “
“ 22—Baby Prentiss .....	“ 19 days
“ 25—Owen Stubb .....	“ 14 weeks
“ 27—Willie Fiedler .....	“ 3½ years

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### Massage.

The Nursing Record.

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In 1863 massage was taught in France, and advocated by some of the most prominent men in medicine. It, however, was not accepted by the profession at large, and it was not until comparatively recently that it obtained a hold among the majority of practitioners.

### After the Fourth.

I believe he has ten fingers,  
I hope he has ten toes,  
His face is powder blackened,  
I scarce can see his nose.

One eye at least is perfect,  
So he will not be blind,  
His clothes are all in shreds and  
His curls I cannot find.

One hand is cut and blistered,  
The other, oh, my dear!  
No wonder that it pains you  
And feels so hot and queer.

We'll wash away the powder  
To see what mischief's done.  
Poor, tired, sleepy little boy,  
How can he call it fun?

What! half asleep already?  
I only hear a sigh,  
And hear him wish that every day  
Might be the Fourth of July.

—*Selected.*

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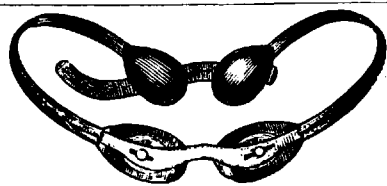
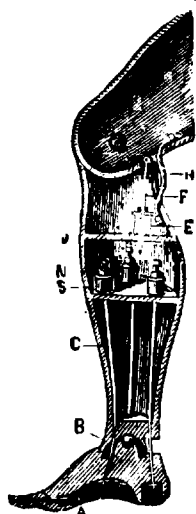
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## **The Donation.**

In case any one should have chanced to forget that there is such an event in the annual history of Rochester, as the Hospital Donation, it may be well to mention that the time for this important occasion will soon arrive, and that the dates fixed upon are December 3rd and 4th, and the scene of operations, Fitzhugh Hall, where recent Donations have been held.

"The Festival Days of the Year" will be represented by different booths over which the various Twigs, Grafts, Splinters, Chips and other off-shoots will preside.

As far as has been decided up to the present time, the order will be as follows:

New Year Day booth, Fourth Twig;  
Lincoln's Birthday booth, Columbian

Twig; St. Valentine's Day booth, Splinters; Washington's Birthday booth, Morning Twig; May Day booth, Parent Stem and "Properly Bent" Twig; Fourth of July booth, Hemlock Twig and First Graft; "Halloween" booth, "Chips of the Old Block"; Thanksgiving Day booth, First Twig; Christmas Day booth, Fourth Twig. Many charming devices are being planned and something entirely novel and picturesque is promised. The Donation dinners and suppers are their own best recommendation, and need no further advertisement, and the evening entertainment under the auspices of the First Graft, "Properly Bent" Twig, and "Chips of the Old Block," will be something of an amusing character not yet made public.

It is hoped that the citizens of Roches-

ter in general, as well as the friends of the Hospital, will show the same interest in the Donation for this year, that they have shown in years past, by their presence and their generous contributions. Please bear in mind the dates, Thursday and Friday, December 3rd and 4th, at Fitzhugh Hall.

### Hospital Improvements.

Extensive alterations and repairs are under way in several parts of the Hospital. The Children's Pavilion is in a delightfully promising state of upheaval, which means an improved condition of things in the immediate future. Painters have been holding high carnival in these rooms of late, and the pale yellow walls and gilt picture rails which are the result of their labors, are vastly more cheerful to look upon than the former blue-grey tone which prevailed there. The children are scattered all over the Hospital while the repairs are going on—boys in the men's wards, girls in the women's wards, some in the Magee Room, and four small babies in one of the Maternity rooms. Everything bids fair to be in order in a few weeks, when the little patients will return to their renovated pavilion.

A number of small rooms have been fitted up in what was formerly the medical and surgical ward in the east wing. Some of them are large enough for two beds and may be used as small private wards. Others are of the size of those already fitted up by the Twigs. The rooms are completed, but the furniture for them is wanting, and the Managers take this means of making known their needs, hoping that some of the many friends of the Hospital may be glad to assist in this work as a labor of love, or in memory of some friend. The prices for these rooms will be \$10 a week, and any physician may visit his patients while they occupy them, but the furnishings for them must first be forthcoming.

Another improvement is the change in position of the pharmacy, now situated in a large, well-lighted apartment in the basement, in every way superior to the room formerly used for this purpose. The space occupied by the old pharmacy has been thrown into the reception room on the Troup street side, and will probably be used as a sitting-room for the members of the staff.

### Cooking Class.

Arrangements have been made for a course of eighteen lessons in cooking, to be given at the Mechanics' Institute to the senior nurses of the City Hospital and the Homeopathic Hospital, beginning on Wednesday, October 7th. The instruction to the class last winter was most helpful and satisfactory, and still better results are hoped for in the lessons of the present course.

### Twigs, Ahoy!

Mrs. Arthur S. Hamilton, Chairman of the Committee on Twigs, requests that the Secretary of each Twig will report to her, as soon as work begins, the date and place of meeting, and the number of members enrolled for the coming year, as it is important that the Committee of Arrangements should know how many workers may be depended on to take part in preparing for the Donation. Mrs. Hamilton's address is 71 South Washington street.

### National Association of Nurses.

The "*Nursing World*" for October gives an interesting account of the Convention of Nurses held at the Manhattan Beach Hotel in September, when an association of graduated nurses was formed, which will ramify through the United States and Canada. The sessions lasted for three days, at the end of which time a constitution and by-laws having been satisfactorily drafted, the convention adjourned to meet February, 1897.

The Treasurer has received the following note :

"Please find enclosed a check for \$3.00, the amount collected by Nathalie Williams and Dorothy Eddy, at the Sunday-school held at their country home, Orchard Lake, Michigan. We think they have done very well, as Dorothy is but five years old, and Nathalie four. They wish it to be given to the cripples' fund, as they are very much interested in the "poor little sick children," they being two as *well* little children as you ever saw.

"Yours, M. R. W. Sept. 21st, 1896."

The Managers are very grateful to these two dear little girls for the good work they have done for the Hospital, and assure them that the money they have collected will be used just as they wish it to be, for the poor little sick children. The note accompanying this contribution comes from a friend who from childhood was active in working for the City Hospital, and her continued interest, and the fact that she is teaching the children to share in it, in spite of her absence from Rochester, is very gratifying to her old friends.

### Hospital Report.

SEPTEMBER, 1896.

Number of patients in Hospital Sept. 1, 1896.....	66	
Births during September.....	1	
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### DIED AT THE ROCHESTER CITY HOSPITAL.

Sept. 3—Mrs. Pauline Henko....	Aged 62 years
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TABULAR VIEW.

	MONDAY.	TUESDAY.	WEDNESDAY.	THURSDAY.	FRIDAY.	SATURDAY.
10 to 11.		Dr. Becker.	Dr. Rose.		Dr. Becker.	Dr. Rose.
11 to 12.	Drs. Rider and Carson.	Drs. Huber and Soble.	Drs. Rider	Drs. Huber and Soble.	Drs. Rider and Carson.	Drs. Huber and Soble.
11 to 12.	Dr. Henckell.				Dr. Henckell.	
4 to 5.	Dr. Cook, Dr. Weigel, Dr. Mandeville.	Dr. Roseboom,	Dr. Mandeville,	Dr. Cook, Dr. Weigel.	Dr. Roseboom, Dr. Mandeville.	

**A Model Republic.**

PART II.

We began our tour of inspection by visiting the bank and as it was ten o'clock, bank had just opened, and some of the citizens had come to draw money, and others to make deposits. Each boy who is so lucky as to have a balance in bank, has his bank book, and accounts kept and checks honored just as well as in any well regulated bank in the United States. We were given some of the currency of the Republic which is furnished by an interested New York friend. They are round pieces of tin, bearing on their face, "George Jr. Republic, 1896." They have one dollar, 50 cents, 25 cents, 10 cents, 5 cents, and 1 cent pieces. We then visited the library and reading-room, and there were told that legislature would convene, and went to attend its sessions. The session was opened with prayer by "Judge" Smith, and then the business began, the passage of bills, enacting of laws, etc. It was interesting, though there was nothing of great importance before the House that day. The boys were thoroughly in earnest. It is no play to them, it is all of vital importance. They were entirely oblivious of the twenty or more visitors. They transacted their business in perfect accord with parliamentary rules, and with the greatest

sobriety and dignity. We then visited the milliner's shop, where trimmed hats were offered for sale at ten cents each, and the carpenter's shop where some very good work is done.

The store was also a very interesting place to visit. There was clothing of all descriptions, and in all stages of repair, and dis-repair. The citizens of the Republic "pays their money and they takes their choice." It was funny to see some of the costumes worn. A New York dealer had sent a case of greenish-gray straw hats for girls, which were scoop-shape in front, and turned up behind. They were labeled in large letters, "The Exquisite." The boys had utilized them as firemen's hats, wearing them hind side before, and the effect was most ludicrous, as "The Exquisites" hove in sight. We visited the prison, and saw the prisoners in their cells. No make-believe cells, but genuine iron-bound prison cells. The prisoners had been tried, condemned and sentenced in their own police court. Mr. George told me that in New York he was an officer and had here some boys whom he had arrested in New York. He said on those occasions he had seen the boys laugh at their sentence, and glory in it, feeling that they were heroes. Here he had seen these same boys, when arrested and sentenced by their peers, their equals, break down and cry. A sense of shame,

of manhood or honor is aroused in them. I wish there were space to tell you more of this wonderful undertaking. Mr. George is doing a noble, philanthropic work. Instead of pauperizing the boys he teaches them that work is ennobling and manly. He has great schemes for the future, which he needs help and money to carry out, and he is getting both. Mr. Rockefeller has given him one thousand dollars with promise of more. People are beginning to know of his work, and in knowing, cannot fail to be interested. He is a deeply religious man, a Methodist, and believes that God has given him this work to do, and that therefore it cannot fail. He wants this to be an institution for the whole State, not for New York City alone. He wants the bad boys from Rochester and Buffalo and other cities. A Republic modeled on this one has just been founded in Illinois, and he hopes that before long each State in the Union will have one or more.

The children come now from July till September. Last year ten boys stayed all winter and went to school in Freeville, and this year twenty-five are to stay. Mr. George will spend the first two weeks in each month in Freeville with them. Three or four are preparing to enter college. Bear in mind these boys were all taken from the slums, the worst boys that could be found, and have been given salvation. "Judge" Smith enters Cornell college next year. There is much more that I want to say, but have, I fear, trespassed too far upon your space already. I will mention one little thing which amused us. We were sitting on the piazza waiting for the carriage to take us to the station, when I saw a little fellow flying down the road as fast as his little legs could carry him. Instantly I heard a shout of "Halt!" and a policeman was off after him. Judge Smith laughed, and said to me, "A test case." I asked him what he meant, and he answered, "We have a new police force and the sergeant told this boy to run as fast as he could, to try the policemen and see if they were vigilant." If the decoy runaway had gotten outside of the Republic limits the policeman on duty would have been fined a day's wages. One word to the boys and girls. Don't think anything is so old that it has not more wear in it, for somebody else, if you can't wear it yourself. Anything that will hold together is acceptable to these boys and girls. If you have any old clothes or shoes for which you have no use, and will send them to the writer of this article, she will gladly see that they reach the George Junior Republic.

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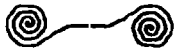
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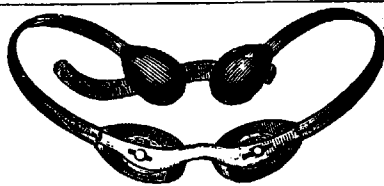
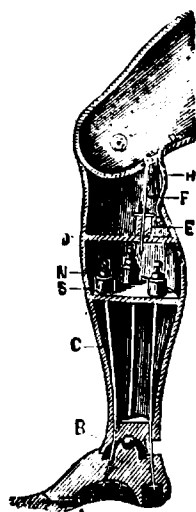
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