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Royal Free Hospital

GRAY'S INN ROAD, W.C.1



REPORT *of*

SPECIAL

APPEAL FUND COMMITTEE

of the

ROYAL FREE HOSPITAL

and the

LONDON SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

FOR WOMEN



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The Royal Free Hospital

was founded in 1828, by
WILLIAM MARSDEN, M.D.,

for the treatment of the necessitous poor, free
from letters of recommendation

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THE Royal Free Hospital is one of the twelve great Teaching Hospitals of London and, since 1877, has been associated with the London School of Medicine for Women.

In 1928, the Hospital will celebrate its Centenary. It is hoped by that date it will be entirely free from debt, and plans developed for the treatment of private patients at present unprovided for under any comprehensive scheme in this Country.

The Hospital possesses available land for this purpose, the gift of a generous donor, but requires the necessary funds for development.

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ROYAL FREE HOSPITAL.

Report of Special Appeal Fund Committee of the Royal Free Hospital and the London School of Medicine for Women.

THIS Committee was constituted in 1915, and was dissolved at a Meeting held on the 14th January, 1925.

From its inception the Committee was constituted as an independent organization and raised the funds that were to be devoted to objects of direct advantage to the Hospital and to the medical education of women.

In 1915, the steadily increasing number of women who, year by year, devoted themselves to the study and practice of medicine, compelled the School and Hospital to consider means of extending their clinical facilities. The Hospital had, in 1828, shown itself a pioneer by admitting necessitous men, women and children without the then universal Subscriber's letter; in 1877 it continued its pioneer work by admitting women medical students to its wards, and in 1902 by electing two women graduates to its Honorary Staff. In 1915, it was still the only general Hospital in London to admit women students for clinical teaching. As the efficiency of medical education depends on the number of cases to be studied, and as the number of cases depends on the number of beds available to receive them, the Royal Free Hospital once more played a pioneer part in the medical training of women by agreeing with the London School of Medicine for Women, upon an extension of the Hospital on land most generously presented by its Chairman, Mr. Langton.

A Committee was formed under the chairmanship first of Dr. Jane Walker, then of Mrs. Kinnell, then of Sir Alan Anderson, K.B.E.; and all friends of the School and Hospital are under deep obligation to these two ladies and to Sir Alan Anderson for the work which they accomplished. It was originally intended to provide additional beds for the gratuitous treatment of necessitous patients; but with the changing economic conditions brought about by the war the Committee decided that it would be more

useful to provide 50% of the additional 100 beds sanctioned by the King's Fund for the use of patients who were not justified in accepting free hospital treatment, but who had no facilities for operations in their own homes and were unable to pay the unavoidably high fees of a nursing home.

The condition of the building trade in 1920 was so difficult that the Royal Free Hospital, without abandoning its main scheme, was glad to convert a portion of its buildings into three extra wards containing 23 beds. The addition of these wards enabled the Hospital to have the honour of possessing the first recognised Unit of Obstetrics and Gynæcology in London, to which the Senate of the University of London appointed Professor Louise McIlroy to be the Director. Expansion in the Pathological department was also provided for teaching and research in the diseases of women and children, as well as for the general pathological work of the Hospital. The buildings for this department were re-constructed at a cost of £14,000.

Subsequently, the transfer of the maternity work, hitherto carried on at 20-23, Endsleigh Street, to the main buildings, necessitated a re-construction of the Obstetric departments. This transfer involved the erection of a new home for Nurses, which benefits all departments of the Hospital, and extensive alterations to existing buildings. After providing the necessary funds, which amounted to about £55,000, the Committee terminated its activities.

The total amount raised through the Committee, including gifts from the King's Fund, Roll of Honour Hospital, and the family of the late Doctor Sophia Jex Blake, and voted for Hospital purposes, was £72,889, and £15,889 of this sum were devoted to the General Fund of the Hospital. A list of donors who have responded to the appeals issued over the period is seen on the following pages.

During the years covered by the Committee's activities the funds accumulated by the interest on carefully selected investments, yielded a considerable increment to the original amounts. The funds were held by Trustees who were authorised to make grants for purposes approved by the Committee.

On completion early this year of the first portion of the Nurses' Home and the other works already mentioned, it is considered desirable that a statement should be issued. Renewed thanks are tendered to the Committee, donors and generous friends.

It is hoped that the donors whose names appear in the following list will take an early opportunity of inspecting the buildings they have helped to construct.

EXTENSION APPEAL FUND.

	£	s.	d.
Abbot, Miss Aldridge	1	0	0
Acland, The Rt. Hon. F. D.	50	0	0
Aitchison, Lady	10	10	0
Aldrich-Blake, Dame Louisa, D.B.E., M.S., M.D.	1,000	0	0
Alexander, Mrs.	5	0	0
Allingham, Mrs.	0	10	6
Alstrom, Dr.	1	0	0
Anderson, Sir Alan, K.B.E.	500	0	0
Anonymous (an old Widow)	0	10	0
Anonymous (F.)	3	0	0
Anonymous (per Miss Wight)	1	1	0
Austruther, Mrs.	100	0	0
Antrim, the Countess of	1	0	0
Armitage, Dr. Florence	50	0	0
Armstrong, Mrs.	2	2	0
Ascough, Miss Bessie	2	2	0
Ash, Miss	10	0	0
Ashcroft, Oscar S., Esq.	100	0	0
Ashwell, Miss Lena	1	1	0
Aykroyd, Alfred, Esq.	10	0	0
Aylen, Miss	1	1	0
Ayrton, Mrs.	5	0	0
Bagehot, Miss Isabel	1	1	0
Bale, Dr. Rosa	5	5	0
Balfour, F.R.S., Esq.	100	0	0
Balsan, Madame	1,000	0	0
Barker, Miss	5	0	0
Barker, Miss	0	10	0
Barlow, Mrs. N.	5	0	0
Barnett, R. W., Esq., M.P.	1	1	0
Bauer, G. M., Esq.	3	0	0
Beaverbrook, The Rt. Hon. Lord	100	0	0
Beck, The Misses	5	0	0
Becker, Messrs. F. D., & Co.	5	0	0
Bell, Dr.	2	2	0
Bengers, Dr. Mildred	1	1	0
Benham, Dr. Alice	5	0	0
Bennett, Dr. Victoria E. M.	1	1	0
Bentinck, Mrs.	5	0	0
Berry, Lady, M.D.	50	0	0
Billson, Miss M.	2	2	0
Bird, Mrs.	0	8	3
Bjorkegren, Mrs., M.D.	1	1	0
Black, Dr. J. Gordon	1	1	0
Bland-Sutton, Sir John, Bart. F.R.C.S.	5	5	0
Blaythwayt, Mrs.	1	1	0
Block, Miss	1	0	0
Board, Dr.	0	5	0
Body, Miss K.	5	0	0
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	£	s.	d.
Bone, Dr. Honor	5	0	0
Boulton, Sidney, Esq.	105	0	0
Bradford, Miss E.	1	1	0
Bradley, Miss Rose	0	10	6
Braithwaite, Miss Lilian	1	1	0
Bratmann, Mrs.	1	0	0
Broadbent, Mrs.	1	0	0
Browne, Mrs.	0	10	0
Browning, Lady	3	0	0
Browning, Miss	1	1	0
Buchanan, Miss., M.P.S.	0	10	6
Budson, Miss	1	0	0
Bulloch, Dr.	0	15	0
Burder, Mrs.	2	2	0
Burder, —, Esq.	3	3	0
Butler, Lady	1	1	0
Buxton, Alfred F., Esq.	10	0	0
Buxton, Mrs. V.	100	0	0
Buxton, A. F., Esq.	100	0	0
Cadbury, Mrs. George	2	2	0
Cadbury, Henry T., Esq.	5	0	0
Calkin, J. W. Arch., Esq.	1	1	0
Calkin, Miss E. L.	1	1	0
Carter, Henry Bonham, Esq.	20	0	0
Carter, Miss Bonham	5	0	0
Carew-Hunt, Mrs., M.D.	3	3	0
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Cartmell, James Austin, Esq.	3	3	0
Chadburn, Dr.	1	1	0
Chalk, Mrs. R. F.	3	3	0
Chalmers, Mrs.	52	10	0
Champneys, Sir Francis Bart., M.D.	5	0	0
Chance, Lady	2	2	0
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Chapman, Mrs.	4	4	0
Chodak-Gregory, Mrs., M.D.	5	5	0
Clausen, George, Esq., R.A.	3	3	0
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Cochran, Miss Constance	2	0	0
Cole, Dr.	1	1	0
Colebrook, Dr. D. C.	2	2	0
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Collins, Alderman T., J.P.	5	5	0
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Colman, Miss	1	0	0
Colman, Mrs., M.D.	3	3	0
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Cooke, Dr.	1	1	0
Coombe-Williams, Mrs.	5	5	0
Cooper, Lady	15	15	0

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Courtauld, Miss D. S.	20	0	0
Courtauld, Mrs.	1,000	0	0
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Cowan, Lady	1	1	0
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Crook, Miss Hilda	1	1	0
Cunliffe, Miss	1	0	0
Cunningham, Miss	0	10	0
Cusack-Smith, Sir Berry, Bart.	5	0	0
Cuthbertson, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas	100	0	0
Cutlers, The Worshipful Company of	50	0	0
Dalby, Dr.	1	1	0
Dale, Miss	5	0	0
Dalrymple, Sir Hew and Lady Hamilton	10	10	0
Dane, Mrs. Ferguson	1	1	0
Davidson, Miss	1	0	0
Davies, Major-General H. R.	3	0	0
Davies, Mrs. May	5	0	0
Dawney, Mrs.	1	1	0
Debenham, Mrs.	10	0	0
De Brath, Lady	2	0	0
Dewar, Mrs. M.	5	0	0
Dick, Mrs. T. A.	2	0	0
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Dowson, Cecil, Esq.	10	0	0
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Elliott, Mrs. Lee	1	1	0
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Fraser, Dr. Margaret	5	5	0
Freeman, Miss	50	0	0
Freeman, Miss A. C.	50	0	0
Fry, Miss M.	1	6	0
Fry, Miss Marjory	1	1	0
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Gilliat, C. R., Esq.	50	0	0
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Gordon, Dr. Mary	2	2	0
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Hervey, Mrs.	0	5	0
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Horne, Mrs.	2	0	0
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Johnston, Miss K. L.	2	2	0
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Joseph, Miss	0	10	6
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Kemp, Miss Alice M.	10	0	0
Kemp, Miss	200	0	0
Kemp, Mrs.	8	0	0
Kennedy, Mrs. W.	5	0	0
Kent, Miss Agnes E.	1	0	0
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Kidd, Dr.	2	2	0
Kinnaid, The Hon. Gertrude	3	3	0
Kinnell, Mrs.	1,000	0	0
Knight, Mrs. Laura	2	2	0
Knight, Dr. E.	30	0	0
Knowles, Mrs., Litt.D.	1	1	0
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Lambert, Dr. Barrie	5	0	0
Lane-Clayton, Dr. Janet	2	2	0
Langton, Alfred, Esq.	5,500	0	0
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Lawley, The Hon. Lady	20	0	0
Lawrence, General The Hon. Sir H.	10	0	0
Lawson, Miss	2	2	0
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Shirley, Dr. and Mrs. ..	5	5	0
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Verney, Mrs.	1	1	0
Verrall, Miss	1	0	0
Verrall, Frank, Esq.	10	0	0
Vickery, Dr. Alice	1	1	0
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White, Miss A. H.	1	2	0
Wigram, Miss Spencer	5	5	0
Williams, Mrs. Pillman, M.D.	10	10	0
Williams, Miss Ethel M.	1	1	0
Wills, Dame Janet Stancomb	5	0	0
Wilson, Dr. Lilian	2	2	0
Winfield, A., Esq.	2	2	0
Woodside, Miss F. M.	1	5	0
Workham, Miss	0	5	0
Wotherspoon, Mrs.	1	0	0
Wright, Lady	5	0	0
Waste Paper	0	5	0
Yarr, Sir Thomas, K.C.M.G.	5	0	0
Zimmern, Mrs.	1	1	0
Zimmern, Miss Edith	1	1	0
Zimmern, Miss Elsie M.	5	0	0

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DURING the year 1924 the ROYAL FREE HOSPITAL treated no fewer than 4,415 in-patients and 11,645 new out-patients, the attendances of the latter (including those already in receipt of treatment) reaching the very large total of 229,843—an average of over 600 per day.

The 240 beds provided, a number, by the way, totally inadequate to the demands made upon the institution, are to be supplemented in the near future by the addition of 18 cots in a Children's Ward that is shortly to be founded, and for which funds must ultimately be forthcoming for their maintenance.

The income of the Hospital has, unfortunately, fallen considerably below the level necessary to meet adequately its pressing needs; but progress has not been arrested on that account, for in every department there has been considerable development and expansion. To meet the expenses of this expansion, however, the assistance of many more friends is urgently needed; such help will be most cordially welcomed and gratefully appreciated.

The annual income from all sources falls short of the yearly expenditure by upwards of £12,000, a deficit that has been met in the past by the sale of investments and the extraordinary generosity of a few friends. A great responsibility devolves upon the Hospital to maintain the high state of efficiency which has characterised an institution that has not once closed its doors to the poor since they were first opened, nearly a century ago. Those responsible for the finance of the Hospital would be relieved of much anxiety if more friends were prevailed upon to become annual subscribers to its funds.

