Victorian Baby Health Centres Association

NINETEENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF CENTRAL COUNCIL 1936-1937

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Aims and Objects of the Association.

(1) To Safeguard the Health of mothers and babies.

(2) To encourage the breast-feeding of infants.

(3) To train double certificated Nurses in Mothercraft and Infant Welfare.

(4) To employ these trained Nurses, who shall—

(a) Attend certain Centres, where not only mothers with their babies can come, but also expectant mothers.

(b) Visit mothers at their homes, and help them carry out simple hygienic rules.

(5) To hold meetings and give organised teaching to women, as opportunity shall arise, and to disseminate such knowledge by every available agency.

(6) To co-operate with all present or future organisations working for the same objects.

The object of the Association being to keep infants healthy, sick children are not treated at Centres, but are always referred to their own doctor or to a hospital.
VICTORIAN BABY HEALTH CENTRES ASSOCIATION (CENTRAL)

NINETEENTH ANNUAL REPORT

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

In presenting the Nineteenth Annual report the Council draws attention to the fact that, while its report gives a general survey of the Association's work, each Health Centre publishes its own Annual Report and Balance Sheet, manages its own affairs, and extends the work in its own district, the Association acting as a co-ordinating link between the various Centres.

The Balance Sheet at the end of this Report relates only to the Central Council and the Mothercraft Home and Training School.

ADMINISTRATION

The Council has met every month. The Executive Committee, consisting of the office-bearers and ten members of Council, of whom two at least must be representatives of Municipal Councils, two at least representatives of country Centres, and one a member of the British Medical Association, is elected by the Council at the first meeting after the Annual Meeting. This Committee, which co-ordinates the work, has met every month. The Training School Committee and Medical Sub-Committee deal with all technical matters in connection with the training of the Nurses and the conduct of Baby Health Centres generally. Finance is controlled by a separate Sub-Committee, and there is a Board of Trustees to manage the affairs of the Newspaper Depot.

LADY HUNTINGFIELD

Lady Huntingfield kindly consented to represent the Association at the Seventh English-Speaking Conference on Maternity and Child Welfare held in London in June 1937. The Council is deeply indebted to Lady Huntingfield and very much appreciates her continued interest in the Association and the work of the Baby Health Centres throughout Victoria.

GENERAL PROGRESS.

New sub-centres have been opened at Belmont, Branxholme, Devenish, Gisborne, Macedon, Warracknabeal, At Bayswater and Warrandyte, new centres are being established.

There are now 137 centres affiliated with the Association, 55 of these being in country districts.

New buildings for centres have been erected at Hampton, Brighton, Geelong West, Glen Iris, and Mildura, and many new buildings are contemplated.

MOTHERS' CLUBS.

During the year an interesting development of the work has taken place in the formation of Mothers' Clubs, in connection with the Centres which are run on educational lines. The Mothers are very interested and good attendances are reported at every meeting. There are three Mothers' Clubs at Essendon, one at Colac, Croydon and Terang. A very successful Mothers' Club has been established at Bendigo for some years. Lectures are given by Specialists.

TRAVELLING BABY HEALTH CENTRE

The Travelling Baby Health Centre is now completed and will begin its service shortly to mothers in country districts. The first visit will be paid to the Wimmera and Upper Mallee. Sisters Hughston and Turner will be in charge of the Travelling Centre.

The Women's Centenary Council donated the Travelling Baby Health Centre in honour of the Pioneer Women of Victoria, and a further donation of £828 was received from King George V. Jubilee Fund. 3DB Broadcasting Station donated £700 from its "Tall Story" Fund to maintain the Caravan for a year. It is hoped that its value will be demonstrated sufficiently to enable funds to be raised to continue and develop the service in other districts.
In the front portion of the Caravan, a Baby Health Centre is arranged to accommodate five people and sleeping and living accommodation for two Sisters in the rear.

All equipment and furnishings, scales, linen, china, cutlery, etc., have been donated by business houses.

The Council wishes to place on record the very fine service rendered to the Association by Mr. F. W. Kerr, City Engineer, Box Hill. Mr. Kerr has designed and supervised the building of the Travelling Baby Health Centre, and his advice and help on matters in this connection have been invaluable.

TRAINING SCHOOL AND MOTHERCRAFT HOME

The work of the Mothercraft Home and Training School has progressed very satisfactorily under the management of Matron Sage.

Admissions to the Mothercraft Home during the year numbered 106.

At the Model Baby Health Centre at the Training School the attendances were as follows:

- Individual Babies at Centre .................. 307
- Total attendances ............................ 2748
- No. of new Expectant Mothers advised ........ 13
- No. of visits to homes ......................... 624
- Letters requesting advice, received and answered 116
- Lectures given ................................ 265
- Group demonstrations given ................. 228

Trainees at the Mothercraft Home and Training School during the year numbered 27, making a total of 393 nurses trained by the Association in Mothercraft and Infant Welfare.

Medical Students continue to attend at the Training School for lectures and demonstrations in Infant Welfare—the number attending during the past year being twenty-eight. Post Graduate Courses arranged by the Women’s Hospital for Midwifery Nurses include lectures and demonstrations in Infant Welfare.

Dr. Kate Campbell, the Association’s Medical Officer, continues her valuable work in connection with the Mothercraft Home and Training School—visiting the Mothers and Babies at the Mothercraft Home and giving lectures in Mothercraft and Infant Welfare to trainees of the Association.

The Council wishes to thank Dr. Campbell most sincerely for her great interest and work for the Association.
AUXILIARIES

The Council is very grateful indeed to the “Ashfield” (Caulfield and Brighton) and Ivanhoe Auxiliaries for their splendid assistance to the Mothercraft Home. Many valuable gifts have been received from these Auxiliaries. Special interest is shown by the Ivanhoe Auxiliary in the premature babies ward.

Miss Book, President of the “Ashfield” Auxiliary, is sincerely thanked for her continued interest and for the work she has done for the benefit of the Mothercraft Home.

Mrs. Foletta, President of the Ivanhoe Auxiliary, is also thanked most sincerely for her interest and help.

VOLUNTARY HELPERS AT CENTRES.

Mrs. H. L. Williams continues her valuable work as Hon. Organiser of the Voluntary Helpers—the Council thanks her very much indeed for her interest and the help so willingly given to this branch of the work of the Association.

The assistance rendered by voluntary helpers at the centres is greatly appreciated by the Sisters-in-charge, and the Association.

During the past twelve months, 32 new Voluntary Helpers have attended the lectures at the Training School and were successful in the examinations held in June, the majority of the helpers have been allotted centres, the remainder are waiting for vacancies at centres near their homes.

The Voluntary Helpers club formed in 1925, is very active. There are twenty-eight financial members. Several social functions have been held during the year in the form of card parties, picture nights, etc., a total amount of £28 being raised. A very fine Show Case has been donated by the Club to the Training School.

It is the intention of the club to provide the Training School with a camera and projector to show films demonstrating the lectures on Mothercraft.

LECTURING NURSE

The Association considers that the work of the Lecturing Sister is of great importance to the future generation.

During the past year the following schools have been visited and lectures given to the senior girls on Mothercraft:—


Examinations are held at the end of each course of lectures and during the year pupils who sat for the examination, numbered 1921, the results being as follow:—

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The girls, with very few exceptions are keenly interested in Mothercraft, and look forward to the weekly lectures.

The Headmistresses of the various schools have expressed their appreciation of the work being done by the Association in making these lectures available.

The pupils of the schools where lectures are given have contributed towards the Newspaper Depot; large collections of papers being received from E. Malvern, Westgarth, Brighton and Elwood as well as smaller quantities from other schools.

The pupils of Fitzroy Girls School have given a donation of day gowns and booties for the babies in residence at the Mothercraft Home.

Visits to the Training School were paid by pupils from the Emily McPherson College of Domestic Economy, Methodist Ladies College and the Fitzroy Girls School.

Lectures were given to the Diploma Students of the Emily McPherson College of Domestic Economy, and to the Students of the Kindergarten Training College, Kew.

Two courses of lectures were given to the midwifery nurses of St. George's Intermediate Hospital, Kew.

From the 12th to 19th November last, the Victorian Baby Health Centres Association occupied a stand in the Melbourne Town Hall in conjunction with others who took part in Children's Health Week. The stand attracted a great deal of attention and many visitors expressed their opinion regarding the great value of the work of the Centres in helping to improve and maintain the health of the babies.

CO-OPERATION

The Council wishes to express its gratitude to Professor Marshall Allan for his continued interest in the Association, to the lecturers and examiners at the Training School—Dr. Hilda Kincaid, Dr. George Simpson, Dr. A P. Derham and Dr. Boyd-Graham, sincere thanks are extended.

The Willsmere Milk Institute, Free Kindergarten Union, Victorian Association of Creches, Melbourne District Nursing Society, Benevolent Society and Girl Guides Association, have all greatly assisted in the work throughout the year. Special mention must be made of the interest shown by members of the Junior Red Cross Circles; they have been very active in helping in the collection of newspapers for the Association's Depot.

The Australian Women's National League (combined junior branches) have organised social functions in order to raise money to help the work; great interest being displayed in the Training School.

Members of "Time and Talents" have again donated most lovely garments for the babies at the Mothercraft Home—their work is much appreciated.

The Council has also to thank 3DB Broadcasting Station for beautiful woollen garments for the babies; many parcels of useful clothes have been received.

The Country Women's Association is co-operating with the Association in the work of the Travelling Baby Health Centre—interesting their members in the scheme and helping the Association in planning areas to be visited.

STATE GOVERNMENT.

The Victorian Government has subsidised the Centres £1 for £1 with the Municipal Councils up to £100 p.a. for each full time centre. In some instances this amount has been increased to £112/10/- p.a., but further reductions have recently been made. The Council sincerely hopes that the Government will see its way to restore the grant to centres to the full amount paid before the depression, i.e., £125 p.a. for each full time centre. When the Baby Health Centre
Movement was inaugurated, it was estimated that the cost of running a full time centre (including salary of the Sister-in-Charge and maintenance of centre) was £250; of this amount the Government agreed to pay £125 p.a., the Councils paying £125 p.a.

**MUNICIPAL COUNCILS**

The interest shown by Municipal Councils in their individual centres is apparent to everyone who has seen the fine buildings erected for carrying out the work for the welfare of mothers and babies. The cost of these buildings is borne entirely by the Councils, many of whom have also supplied the furnishings. Municipal Councils are in many districts making up the Government Grant reductions. They are hopeful that the Government Grant will soon be restored to the original amount paid, i.e., £125 p.a.

The Councils at the present time in addition to subsidising the centres are providing buildings which cost from £600—£2000 and in many instances they are making special grants for milk to be provided for necessitous cases.

**CHARITIES BOARD**

The Grant of £200 p.a., received by the Association from the Charities Board, towards the cost of maintenance of the Training School, is of great assistance.

**NEWSPAPER DEPOT**

The Council wishes to take this opportunity of thanking all donors of paper for the Newspaper Depot. Through the organised effort of interested members increased supplies have been received for which we are very grateful. The work of the Depot is progressing very satisfactorily.

Branches of Junior Red Cross Circles have been of great assistance; at many State Schools large collections have been made. The co-operation of Head-teachers in this connection is very much appreciated. Among schools contributing are Elwood, Hawthorn West, Northcote, Ascot Vale and many others.

At many of the centres, boxes for the collection of newspapers are installed. Several donors from country districts have very kindly arranged for their supplies of paper to be delivered direct to the Depot.

**FINANCE**

The Council desires to thank the Trustees of the Alfred Felton Estate, H V. McKay Charitable Trust, Alfred Edmonds Estate, J. R. McPherson Trust, for their generous donations towards the Association's work, which have been of the greatest assistance.

Trustees of the R. W. Gillespie Trust (Sydney), Henry Gyles Turner's Estate, David Syme Charitable Trust, Sir Wm. Austin Zeal Trust, T. J. Sumner Trust, William Heath Estate, 3DB Broadcasting Station, E. Truby Williams, Esq., G. R. Nicholas, Esq., Victoria Palace Limited; Brighton, St. Kilda and Kew City Councils, and all those who have helped, are gratefully thanked for their donations.

Donations received in connection with lectures arranged by the Association are very much appreciated. The Kindergarten Training College, Fintona Girls School, Methodist Ladies College, University High School for Girls, Swinburne Girls Junior Technical School, are sincerely thanked for their donations.

Special donations towards the Training School are gratefully acknowledged—the Trustees Walter and Eliza Hall, Australian Women's National League, A.W.N.L., Malvern
Junior Branch, Victorian Baby Health Centre Sisters Club, Ivanhoe Baby Health Centre Voluntary Helpers Club, South Melbourne City Council, Northcote City Council, Bendigo Baby Health Centre Committee, Maryborough Baby Health Centre Committee, Mrs. Dickinson. The interest shown in the work of the Training School is much appreciated.

The Directors of the "Argus," "Age," "Herald" and "Sun" are thanked for their kind co-operation.

The Council sincerely thanks the Matron of the Training School and all the Sisters of the Association for their loyal and faithful service without which it would be impossible to carry on so successfully the work of the welfare of the Mothers and Babies of Victoria.

Victorian Baby Health Centres Association

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Victorian Baby Health Centres Association

GRANTS AND DONATIONS.

King George V Jubilee Fund .................................. £672 0 0
Felton Bequests Committee .................................. 380 0 0
H. V. McKay Charitable Trust ................................ 200 0 0
Trustees Alfred Edmonds Estate ............................ 75 0 0
Trustees J. R. McPherson Trust .............................. 50 0 0
Trustees R. W. Gillespie Trust, Sydney ................... 50 0 0
Trustees Henry Gyles Turner's Estate .................... 30 0 0
Trustees David Syme Charitable Trust .................... 25 0 0
3DB Broadcasting Station (Tall Story Club) .............. 20 0 0
Trustees Estate of the late Sir Wm. Austin Zeal ....... 18 0 0
Trustees T. J. Summer Trust ................................ 16 0 0
Trustees William Heath Estate ............................. 10 0 0
Messrs. A. M. and G. R. Nicholas ......................... 10 10 0
Brighton City Council ........................................ 10 0 0
St. Kilda City Council ...................................... 5 0 0
C. J. Coles & Co. Ltd. ...................................... 5 0 0
Kew City Council ............................................ 5 0 0
Moorabbin City Council ..................................... 2 2 0
E. Truby Williams, Esq. .................................... 1 1 0
Victoria Palace Limited .................................... 1 0 0
Miss Weston .................................................. 1 0 0
Mrs. G. H. Simpson ......................................... 2 6 0

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Donations in Appreciation of Lectures Arranged by the Victorian Baby Health Centres Association—

Kindergarten Training College ................................ £7 0 0
Fintona Girls' School ....................................... 2 2 0
University High School for Girls ........................... 1 1 0
Methodist Ladies' College ................................... 1 1 0
The Swinburne Technical College Girls' Junior Technical School ............................................. 1 1 0

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Donations Towards Training School and Mothercraft Home—

Trustees Walter and Eliza Hall Trust .................... £18 0 0
Cr. J. Eastman (proceeds of Concert held at Collingwood) ........... 13 3 0
Australian Women's National League Combined Junior Branches .......... 10 18 8
Lord Mayor's Fund ......................................... 10 0 10
Bendigo Baby Health Centre Ladies' Committee ........ 10 0 0
Victorian Baby Health Centre Sisters' Club ............ 4 7 0
Northcote City Council ..................................... 3 0 0
Maryborough Baby Health Centre Ladies' Committee .... 5 0 0
Mrs. Dickinson (Croydon) ................................ 4 0 0
Australian Women's National League, Malvern Junior Branch .......... 3 10 0
South Melbourne City Council .............................. 2 10 0
Ivanhoe Baby Health Centre Voluntary Helpers' Club ........ 2 5 0
Moorabbin City Council ..................................... 2 2 0
Sandringham City Council ................................... 2 2 0
Ringwood Baby Health Centre Ladies' Committee ....... 1 1 0
Warragul Baby Health Centre Ladies' Committee ........ 1 1 0
Contribution, Box, Training School ....................... 2 2 7
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Grant from Charities Board ................................ £200 0 0

Donations Towards Travelling Baby Health Centre—

King George V Jubilee Fund ................................. £957 2 10
3DB ("Herald") Broadcasting Station Tall Story Club .......... 700 0 0
St. Kilda Branch, Country Women's Association ........ 1 1 0
Mrs. P. Cato ................................................ 1 0 0

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Prize for Best Trainee of the Year, Donated by Mrs. C. O. White ................................ £1 1 0
### Victorian Baby Health Centres Association

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ALBERT PARK.—18 Dundas Place. Monday and Friday, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Tuesday and Thursday, 1 to 4 p.m.; Wednesday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

ALPHINGTON.—Methodist Hall, Heidelberg Road. Monday and Thursday, 1 to 4.30 p.m.

ARARAT.—Town Hall. Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Thursday, 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

ASCOT VALE.—Maribyrnong Road. Tuesday and Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Thursday 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Friday, 11 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

AUBURN.—Recreation Hall, Auburn Road. Tuesday, 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Thursday, 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

BAINSDALE.—B.H.C., Nicholson Street. Tuesday and Thursday, 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 5 p.m.; Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

BALLARAT.—B.H.C., Camp Street. Tuesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday and Thursday, 1 to 4.30 p.m.

BALLARAT EAST.—Free Kindergarten. Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

BALWYN.—B.H.C., Cherry Street, off Whitehorse Road. Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Thursday, 10.30 a.m. to 12 noon, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

BAYSWATER.—

BELGRAVE.—Soldiers' Memorial Hall. Tuesday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

BELMONT.—Mount Pleasant Road. Friday, 12 noon to 4.30 p.m.

BENALLA.—B.H.C., Bridge Street. Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., 2 to 5 p.m.

BENDIGO.—Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

BIRREGURRA.—B.H.C., Main Street. Friday, 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.

BLACKBURN.—Recreation Hall. Tuesday, 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

BOX HILL.—B.H.C., Eastern Oval, Whitehorse Road. Monday, Tuesday and Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday, 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

BRANXHOLME.—B.H.C., Tuesday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

BRIGHTON.—Public Library, Bay Street. Monday, Tuesday and Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday, 9.30 to 11.30 a.m.; 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

BUNNINONG.—Town Hall. Tuesday and Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday 10.30 a.m. to 12 noon; 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

BUNYIP.—Main Street. Friday, 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

BURNSIDE.—St. Bartholomew's Hall, cr. Burnley and Boyd Streets. Monday and Thursday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday, 10.30 a.m. to 1 p.m.; Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

BURWOOD.—B.H.C., Trent Street, near Burwood Station. Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday, 10.30 a.m. to 1 p.m.; Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

CAMBERWELL.—Town Hall. Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday, 1 p.m. to 12 noon, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Thursday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

CAMBERWELL SOUTH.—B.H.C., Bowen Street. Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

CAMPERDOWN.—Old Power House, Scott Street. Tuesday and Thursday, 2 to 4.30 p.m.

CANTERBURY.—Library, Canterbury Road. Tuesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

CARLTON.—Training School, Swanston Street (near Women's Hospital). Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 9 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

CARLTON V.B.H.C.A.—Training School. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, 11 a.m. to 4.30 p.m.; Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

CARNegie.—B.H.C., 15 Truganina Road. Monday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 4 p.m.; Tuesday, 1 to 4 p.m.; Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 4 p.m.; Friday, 1 to 4 p.m.

CASTERTON.—Thursday 12.30 to 5 p.m.

CASTLEMAINE.—Town Hall. Monday, Tuesday and Thursday, 1 to 4.30 p.m.; Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

CAULFIELD.—B.H.C., near Town Hall, Hawthorn Road. Monday (Exp. Mothers only), 1 to 4 p.m.; Tuesday, 9 to 11.30 a.m., and 1 to 4 p.m.; Wednesday and Thursday, 1 to 4 p.m.; Friday, 9 to 11.30 a.m., and 1 to 4 p.m.

CHELSEA.—B.H.C., Station Street, Chelse. Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 4 p.m.

CLAYTON.—Mechanic's Hall, Clayton Road. Tuesday, 12 noon to 4.30 p.m.

COLE.—B.H.C., Monday, 11 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4 p.m.; Wednesday and Thursday, 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

COLERAINE.—Tuesday, 1 to 4.30 p.m.

COLLINGWOOD.—Gahan Reserve. Monday to Friday, 9.30 a.m. to 4.30 p.m.

COROROKE.—Public Hall. Tuesday, 2 to 4 p.m.

CROYDON.—B.H.C., Haig Avenue. Monday and Friday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

DAYLESFORD.—Fortnightly: Monday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

DEVENISH.—B.H.C. Thursday, 2 to 4.30 p.m.

DOOKIE.—C. of E. Hall. Second and Fourth Monday, 2.30 to 5 p.m.

EAGLEHAWK.—Monday and Thursday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

ECHUCA.—Town Hall, cr. High and Hogarth Streets. Tuesday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 4.30 p.m.

ELMORE.—Wednesday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

ESSENDON & MOONEE PONDS.—B.H.C., cr. of Pascoe Vale Road and Thomas Street, Moonee Ponds. Tuesday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Thursday, 11 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

ESSENDON NORTH.—Methodist Hall, 1003 Mt. Alexander Road, Monday and Thursday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m., and Wednesday and Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.; Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

FAIRFIELD.—84 Arthur Street. Tuesday and Friday, 10.30 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 4.30 p.m.
FERNTREE GULLY.—Memorial Hall, Lower Ferntree Gully. Monday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.; 1.30 to 4 p.m.; Tuesday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.; 1.30 to 4 p.m.; Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.; 1.30 to 4 p.m.; Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.; 1.30 to 4 p.m.; Friday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.; 1.30 to 4 p.m.; Saturday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.; 1.30 to 4 p.m.; Sunday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.; 1.30 to 4 p.m.

PITZROY.—Town Hall. Monday, Tuesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 to 4 p.m.; Tuesday, 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. and 1 to 4 p.m.; Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 to 4 p.m.; Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Saturday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Sunday, 12 noon to 4.30 p.m.

PITZROY NORTH.—Edinburgh Gardens, Brunswick Street. Monday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Saturday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Sunday, 12 noon to 4.30 p.m.

FLEMINGTON.—Town Hall. Monday, Tuesday and Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 to 4 p.m.; Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Saturday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Sunday, 12 noon to 4.30 p.m.

GLEN ELLEN.—Friday, 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Saturday, 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

GEE LONG.—Hopetoun Park. Monday, 2 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2 to 4.30 p.m.; Friday, 2 to 4.30 p.m.

GEE LONG WEST.—Pekington Street. Monday, Tuesday and Thursday, 2 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2 to 4.30 p.m.

GIBSON.—Shire Hall. Tuesday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1 to 5 p.m.

GLEN IRIS.—High Street. Tuesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

GLEN WAVERLEY.—Mechanics' Hall, Springvale Road. Thursday, 12 noon to 4.30 p.m.

GREENSBOROUGH.—Main Road. Wednesday, 11.30 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 4.30 p.m.; Thursday, 10.30 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

HAMPTON.—Soldiers' Hall, Hampton. Monday and Tuesday, 1 to 4.30 p.m.

HAWTHORN.—B.H.C., 319 Burwood Road. Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

HEIDELBERG.—Barkly Place. Tuesday and Friday, 10.30 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 4.30 p.m.

HEIDELBERG WEST.—Methodist Church. Wednesday, 1 to 4.30 p.m.

HEYWOOD.—B.H.C. Wednesday, 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

IVANHOE.—B.H.C., Waterdale Road. Monday and Thursday, 10.30 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 4.30 p.m.; Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

KANGAROO FLAT.—Tuesday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

KEW.—Town Hall. Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Friday, 11 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

KEW EAST.—Strathalbyn Street, East Kew. Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday and Thursday, 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 2 to 4.30 p.m.; Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

KEW NORTH.—Peel Street, Kew. Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Thursday, 11 a.m. to 12 noon, and 2 to 4.30 p.m.

MACEDON.—Presbyterian Guild Hall, Tuesday, 9.45 a.m. to 4.30 p.m.

MALVERN.—4 Barkly Avenue. Monday, Thursday and Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday, 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.

MALVERN EAST.—Old Fire Station, Junction of Waverley and Dandenong Roads. Monday, Tuesday and Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Thursday, 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

MARYBOROUGH.—B.H.C., Clarendon Street. Monday and Thursday, 1.30 to 5 p.m.; Wednesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 5 p.m. (December-March, 7 to 9 p.m.).

MERBEIN.—Crobie Hall. Tuesday and Friday, 1.30 to 4 p.m.

MILDURA.—Town Hall. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 2 and 4.30 to 6.30 p.m.; Friday, 2 to 4.30 p.m.

MICHAM.—Memorial Hall. Wednesday, 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

MONBULK.—B.H.C. Second Wednesday in each month, 10.30 a.m.

MONTAGUE.—Buckhurst Street Kindergarten. Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

MOORABBIN.—B.H.C., Point Nepean Road. Tuesday and Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1 to 4 p.m.

NEWTOWN & CHILWELL.—Russell Street, Chilwell. Monday and Wednesday, 2 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday and Thursday, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., and 2 to 4.30 p.m.

NORTH CARLTON.—B.H.C., Princes Hill, Pidgon Street. Monday, Tuesday and Thursday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

NORTH COTE.—B.H.C., cr. Hastings Street and Olds Avenue. Tuesday and Wednesday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.

NORTH MELBOURNE.—B.H.C., Abbotsford Street, near Flemington Road. Tuesday and Wednesday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Pre-School Children: Tuesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

NORTH MELBOURNE.—Town Hall. Thursday and Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Pre-School Children. Wednesday and Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

OAKLEIGH.—B.H.C., Warravee Park, Monday and Tuesday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 5 p.m.; Thursday, 2 to 4 p.m. (by appointment only).

ORMOND.—B.H.C., cr. Grange and Oakleigh Roads. Monday, 2 to 4 p.m. (by appointment); Tuesday and Friday, 9.45 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 4 p.m.; Wednesday, 1 to 4 p.m.

PORT FAIRY.—Borough Chambers. Tuesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 3 to 5 p.m.

PORTLAND.—Thursday and Friday, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., and 2 to 4.30 p.m., Monday 2 to 4.30 p.m.

PORT MELBOURNE.—B.H.C., Liardet Street. Monday, Tuesday and Friday, 1.30 to 4 p.m.; Thursday, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., and 1.30 to 4 p.m.

PRAHRAN.—B.H.C., Malvern Road, near Chapel Street. Children over 2 years. Wednesday.

ARMADALE.—Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

WINDSOR.—Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

SOUTH YARRA.—Wednesday and Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

TOORAK.—QUEENSCLIFF.—Town Hall. Friday, 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

RECLIFTS.—B.H.C. (near Methodist Church). Wednesday and Saturday, 9 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.; Thursday, 9 a.m. to 5.30 p.m.

RICHMOND.—Church Street, North Richmond. Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Tuesday 10 a.m. to 12 noon.
RICHMOND SOUTH.—Cr. of Church and Hill Streets. Tuesday and Thursday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.
RINGWOOD.—Town Hall. Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
ROCHESTER.—Town Hall, MacKay Street. Wednesday and Thursday, 10.15 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
SANDRINGHAM.—Town Hall. Tuesday and Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
SEBASTOPOL.—Shire Hall. Thursday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
SHEPPARTON.—B.H.C., Queens Gardens, Wyndham Street. Tuesday, 11 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 5 p.m.; Thursday and Friday, 1.30 to 5 p.m.; Saturday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 5 p.m.; from December to March, Tuesday, 7 to 9 p.m.
SOUTH MELBOURNE.—Town Hall. Monday and Tuesday, 1 to 4 p.m.; Wednesday and Friday, 11 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 4 p.m.
ST. KILDA.—Town Hall. Tuesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday and Thursday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
STAWELL.—Town Hall. Tuesday and Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
SURREY HILLS.—B.H.C., in Gardens, Union Road, off Canterbury Road. Tuesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
TERANG.—Mechanics’ Hall. Monday and Wednesday, 12.45 to 4.30 p.m.
THORNBURY.—B.H.C., Clarendon Street. Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Friday, 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
WARRAGUL.—Shire Hall. Monday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday and Thursday, 10.30 a.m. to 12 noon, and 1 to 4.30 p.m.
WARRACKNABEAL.—Woolcock Street. Monday, Tuesday and Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
WARRANDYTE.—
WARNAMBOOL.—B.H.C., Liebig Street. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.
WERRIMULL.—Temporarily closed.
WILLIARVA.—Public Hall. Alternate Wednesdays, 2 to 4.30 p.m.
WOOTAGGI.—B.H.C., McBride Avenue. Monday and Friday, 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.; Wednesday and Saturday, 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.
WORTHAGGI NORTH.—Methodist Church, White Road. Tuesday, 2 to 4.30 p.m.

Victorian Baby Health Centres Association

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VICTORIAN BABY HEALTH CENTRES.

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V.B.H.C.A.—Voluntary Helpers’ Club: Mrs. H. L. Williams.
## Victorian Baby Health Centres Association

### Income and Expenditure Account for Year Ended 30th June, 1937.

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| **By Training School—** | **Salaries (Medical & Nursing)** | £488 14 4 |
| Wages (Domestics) | 158 0 0 |
| Provisions | 315 1 0 |
| Fuel, Heat and Light | 170 6 3 |
| Equipment | 68 0 7 |
| Drugs and Dressings | 22 6 6 |
| Babies' Foods | 12 6 10 |
| Telephone | 17 10 11 |
| Printing and Stationery | 14 7 7 |
| Insurances | 23 8 10 |
| Repairs | 14 19 2 |
| Rates | 7 1 0 |
| Laundry | 101 11 5 |
| Cleaning | 10 17 3 |
| Rent | 6 0 0 |
| General Expenses | 8 6 0 |

| **£1,438 17 8** |
| **Transfer to Building Fund** | 43 7 8 |
| Salaries (Secretarial and Lecturing) | 409 11 4 |
| Petty Cash, General Expenses and Postages | 38 6 8 |
| Printing and Stationery | 53 12 0 |
| Grants to Centres and Propaganda | 20 14 0 |
| Travelling Expenses (Lecturing Nurse) | 23 10 5 |
| Telephone | 15 12 5 |
| Electric Light and Heating | 7 8 0 |
| Rent and Cleaning | 70 15 0 |
| Audit Fees | 5 5 0 |

| **£2,127 0 2** |
| **Surplus for Year** | 709 10 0 |

| **£2,836 10 10** |
## BUILDING FUND ACCOUNT

| To Transfer from General Fund of the amount required annually to extinguish the debt at the expiration of the Lease in 1940 | £43 7 8 |
| By Balance at 30th June, 1936 | £521 2 9 |
| " Balance at 30th June, 1937 | £477 15 1 |
| Total | £521 2 9 |

## TRAVELLING CENTRE ACCOUNT

| To Balance at 30th June, 1936 | £710 0 0 |
| " Donations | £1704 3 10 |
| " Interest | 34 13 7 |
| Total | 1738 17 5 |
| By Purchase of "International" Chassis | £342 10 0 |
| " Progress Payments on Caravan Body | 330 0 0 |
| " Sundries | 5 13 8 |
| " Balance at State Savings Bank | £678 3 8 |
| " Balance on Fixed Deposit | £1770 13 9 |
| Total | £2448 17 5 |

## BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30th June, 1937

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<td>Balance at 30th June, 1936, before Deduction of Building Fund</td>
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**Melbourne, 24th September, 1937.**

C. C. A. GEORGE, Hon. Treasurer.